Year 7 Autumn 1 and 2: Greek Myths and Antigone					
mortal	Have to die and cannot live for ever.	vengeance	Act of killing, injuring, or harming someone because they have harmed you.		
immortal	Will live or last for ever and never die or be destroyed.	wither	Becoming very weak.		
heroic	Someone who is admired for extreme bravery.	vain	Showing extreme pride in own beauty, intelligence, or other good qualities.		
monstrous	Huge, powerful or ugly and frightening.	immoral	Behaviour is believed by most to be wrong or bad.		
deceitful	Aiming to make people believe something which is not true.	moral	Behaviour is believed by most to be good and right.		
over-reacher	A person who tries to reach something which is beyond their power.	stable	Not likely to change or come to an end suddenly.		
protagonist	One of the main people in a play or novel.	unstable	Likely to change suddenly, especially if this creates difficulty or danger.		
antagonist	Opponent or enemy.	captivity	The state of being kept imprisoned or trapped.		
disobedient	Do not do what someone in authority tells you to do.	courageous	Doing something difficult or dangerous, even though you may be afraid.		
obedient	Do what someone in authority tells you to do.	oppress	To prevent a group of people from having the same opportunities, freedom, and benefits as others.		
tyrannical	Someone who treats the people they rule over in a cruel and unfair way.	emancipate	To free someone from unpleasant or unfair social, political, or legal restrictions.		
misogyny	Strong dislike or hatred of women.	naive	To lack experience and so expect things to be easy or people to be honest or kind.		
vengeance	Act of killing, injuring, or harming someone because they have harmed you.	enchanted	Feeling great delight or pleasure, almost like being under a spell.		
avaricious	Very greedy for money or possessions.	superficial	To have little understanding of anything serious or important.		
objectify	To treat someone as though they are a lifeless object.	duplicitous	Someone who deceitful, lies and are two faced.		
exploit	To treat someone unfairly by using their work or ideas and giving very little in return.	cunning	Having the ability to achieve things in a clever way, often by deceiving other people.		
manipulate	To skilfully force or persuade people to do what they want.	foolish	Something which is not sensible and shows a lack of good judgment.		
solitary	To spend a lot of time alone.	barbaric	To behave in an extremely cruel or uncivilised way.		
annihilation	Total destruction.				

English: Year 7 Spring 1: Beowulf Knowledge					
stability	Not likely to change	idolatry	Worshipping idols		
instability	Likely to change suddenly	impotent	Powerless or weak		
ostracised	Left out and pushed away	potent	Effective and powerful		
sinful	Wicked or immoral	condemn	To judge someone or damn someone		
paradise	Where people go after they die or a beautiful place of perfection	seduce	Attract and make you want to do something you wouldn't usually do		
wasteland	An area of land that has been spoiled	idealised	Seems perfect		
defile	Destroy or ruin something important	pragmatic	Dealing with things in a practical way		
fallible	Not perfect and likely to make mistakes	brethren	Members of a group, often religious		
virtuous	A good person who behaves morally and cares for others	sacrifice	Give something up to benefit others		
purify	Make something pure by removing any harmful, dirty, or inferior things	wield	Carry or use a weapon or tool		
salvation	Saving someone from harm	exalt	Praise very highly		
embrace	Accept and support	kenning	An object described in a two-word phrase.		
enchanting	Attractive or charming, almost putting you under a spell	squander	Waste		
immoral	Wrong or bad	reconcile	Making up after a disagreement.		
suppress	Not expressing or pushing down feelings	martyr	Someone who suffers for their beliefs and is then admired		
extinguish	Destroy or stop from shining	lament	Express sadness about something		

English Year 7 Spring 2: Abrahamic Tales Knowledge					
omnipotent	Complete power	fiendish	Very clever, imaginative and cruel		
ex nihilo	Created from nothing	ostracise	Left out and pushed away		
pure	Morally good or clean, without harmful substances	embrace	Accept and support		
corrupt	Both dishonest and morally wrong	exile	Forced to live in a foreign place		
creation	Something someone has made	elevate	To bring up or raise up		
enchanted	Feeling delight and pleasure, almost as if under a spell	sacrifice	Give something up to benefit others		
joyous	Extremely happy	preserve	Save from damage or decay		
paradise	A place or situation that seems beautiful or perfect	loyalty	Supporting someone or something		
wasteland	A spoiled area of land where not much can grow	duty	Work that you have to do		
seduced	So attractive you do things you wouldn't usually do	endure	A painful or difficult experience that cannot be avoided		
sinful	Wicked or immoral	transient	Short-lived and constantly changing		
idyllic	Extremely pleasant, simple and peaceful. Without difficulties or dangers.	yield	Give up		
sanctuary	A place of safety	salvation	Saving someone from harm		
cunning	Clever, using intelligence to achieve what they want	good omen	Something good is likely to happen		
bad omen	Something bad is likely to happen	invulnerable	Cannot be harmed or damaged		
vulnerable	Weak and without protection. Easily hurt	over-reacher	To reach something that is beyond your power		

English Year 7 Summer 1 and 2: A Wrinkle in Time					
adequacy	good enough, acceptable	essence	someone's most important characteristic		
inadequacy	not good enough, unacceptable	absence	not being there		
ordinary	normal, not special	presence	being there		
extraordinary	extremely good, special	verbalise	express feelings or thoughts in words		
enigma	mysterious, difficult to understand	naïve	lack experience so expect kindness and honesty		
intentions	the reason or purpose of actions	paradise	a beautiful or perfect place		
comprehend	understand	wasteland	somewhere spoiled where nothing can grow		
misunderstand	not understand	metamorphose	change into something completely different		
ostracised	avoided, excluded	condemn	say something is bad and unacceptable		
connected	linked, shares a relationship	creativity	invent new ideas with imagination		
ambiguous	unclear, confusing	purity	clean of anything harmful or sinful		
obvious	easy to see or understand	sacrifice	give up something to gain something else		
conventional	thought to be normal	preserve	save or protect from damage		
unconventional	thought to be unexpected and different	uniformity	all being the same		
tangible	clear enough to be noticed or explained	pride	feeling good about yourself		
intangible	hard to be noticed or explained	order	everything in the expected place and time		