

## Year 9 Autumn 1: Othello

Duplicitous	To deceive through lying	Alien	Not normal or expected
Credulous	To believe something easily	Controlled	Stops themselves from behaving badly
Malevolent	Evil	Subvert	Go against something
Benevolent	good	Stereotype	Expected characteristics / behaviour
Impervious to	Not affected by something	Measured	Controlled
Affected by	Influenced or changed by something	Hyperbole	Exaggerated
Dehumanise	To be treated as less than human	Contrast	Two ideas or people are opposite to each other
Defer to	To follow out of respect	Fascination	Interested in
Stabilise	Keep something as it is / stable	Machiavellian	Clever and secret plans to achieve goals
Destabilise	To make something unstable	Steadfast	Refuse to change / give up
Subservient	To be inferior to someone	Logical	Sensible and thinks carefully
Malcontent	Disappointed and want their situation to changed	Machination	A plot or plan
Animalistic	Acts / is treated like an animal		

## Year 9 Autumn 2: Othello

Deceptive	Trying to trick others	Hubris	Arrogant pride
Logical	According to reason and logic	Irrational	Not based on reason or logic
Subservient	Does whatever someone asks them to do	Destabilise	To undermine and make unstable
Credulous	Too trusting	Enchanted	Under a spell
Dehumanise	Treat as less than human	Inarticulacy	Not being able to speak
Puppeteer	Controlling others	Machination	Plan
Machiavellian	Doing everything for power	Malevolent	Deliberately tries to cause harm
Reverence	Respect	Deferential	Showing respect to someone
Duplicitous	Lying, deceptive	Malignity	Wanting to harm others
Inferior	Worse, less	Superior	Better, more
Steadfast	Convinced that what they are doing is right	Fidelity	Loyalty
Susceptible to	Easily influenced	Impervious to	Not affected
Motive	Reason for doing something	Disguise	To hide something

## Year 9 Spring 1: The Harlem Renaissance

Encouraging to take action	<b>Mobilise</b>	<b>Yield to</b>	Giving in to
Something being stopped	<b>Disruption</b>	<b>Stagnation</b>	Stops changing/progressing
Power to choose	<b>Autonomy</b>	<b>Subjugation</b>	Being controlled totally
A cure	<b>Panacea for</b>	<b>Exacerbation</b>	Made worse
Unreasonable dislike/preference	<b>Prejudiced</b>	<b>Egalitarian</b>	Supporting equality
Treated as less than human	<b>Dehumanised</b>	<b>Victimised</b>	Treated unfairly
Human qualities	<b>Humanity</b>	<b>Inhumanity</b>	Cruel refusal to see others as humans
Large number	<b>Multitude</b>	<b>Lack</b>	Not enough
Praise, make something seem special	<b>Glorify</b>	<b>Critique</b>	Judgement of situation or someone's ideas
Not affected by emotions	<b>Dispassionate</b>	<b>Visceral</b>	Feelings that cannot be controlled
Cruel treatment	<b>Oppression</b>	<b>Elevation</b>	Raising up
Cyclical, repetitive, non-stop	<b>Perpetual</b>	<b>Intermittent</b>	Happens every so often, not continuously
Never stops	<b>Incessantly</b>	<b>Periodically</b>	Every so often
Pointless	<b>Futile</b>	<b>Fruitful</b>	Good, useful
Cannot be escaped	<b>Inescapable</b>	<b>Nostalgic</b>	Thinking positively about the past
Respect	<b>Reverence</b>	<b>Scorn</b>	Hatred, contempt
Disorder, chaos	<b>Turmoil</b>	<b>Tranquillity</b>	Peace, calm
Restricted, small in amount	<b>Limited</b>	<b>Limitless</b>	Without end or limit

## Year 9 Spring 2: Zora Neale Hurston

Epitome of	The best example of	Perpetuate	Spread an idea
Conflate	Confuse, combine as one	Police	Control
Emasculate	Question masculinity; weaken	Victimised	Treated unfairly; made a victim
Antithetical to	Opposite to	Inescapable	Can't be escaped
Conform to	Follow a rule or idea	Inevitable	Definitely going to happen
Dispassionate	Not affected by emotions	Intractable	Very difficult or impossible to deal with or remove
Indifferent to	Don't care about	Elevation	Raising up
Luxuriate in	Enjoy because it's comfortable	Callous	Cold-hearted and thoughtless
Defiant	Refusing to obey rules	Catalyse	Cause
Retribution	Punishment for a sin	Impervious to	Not changed by
Agency	Ability to act independently	Susceptible to	Likely to be influenced by
Hubris	Excessive pride or arrogance	Malignity	Being deadly and evil
Subservient	Do whatever someone else wants	Oppression	Cruel or unfair treatment of a group of people
Dispose of	Throw away	Desolate	Sad, alone, without hope
Objectify	Treat as an object	Comeuppance	The punishment someone deserves
Dehumanise	Treat as less than human	Exploit	Treat unfairly for your own gain
Villain	Deliberately causes harm	Malevolent	Evil; deliberately tries to cause harm
Victim	Suffers because of someone else	Benevolent	Kind and fair

## Year 9 Summer 1 and 2: Anita and Me

other	treat someone differently to your group	repulsed	think something is horrible, disgusting
duplicitous	lies and is two-faced	indifferent to	don't care about
duality	has two sides	callous disregard	cold-heartedly don't care about
credulous	too ready to believe	altruistic	generous, cares about others
naïve	lacks experience, expects kindness and honesty	egotistical	selfish, only thinks of themselves
shrewd	clever, can understand quickly	trivialise	make something seem unimportant
defiant	refuses to follow instructions	normalise	make something seem normal
expose	show something	glamourise	make something seem impressive, desirable
repress	push down (feelings)	alien	not normal or expected
constrain	to limit something / limits	alienate	separate or distance someone from you
banal	Boring, dull	conflicted	trapped between two opposites
trivial	unimportant	complement	goes well with something else
liberate	set free	incongruous	out of place, stands out
imprison	trap, lock up	binary opposites	two ideas that seem total opposite of each other
proximity to	close or near to	liminal space	space between two binary opposites
dispassionate	not affected by emotions	conceal	Hide something
compassionate	sympathy, understanding for someone suffering	conflate	confuse two things, combine them as one
enchanted	like under a spell	emasculate	question or weaken someone's masculinity
antithetical to	opposite to	malignity	deadly and evil
conform to	follow an idea or rule	villain	deliberately harms people
juxtapose	two things together to show difference	victim	suffers because of someone else
impervious to	not changed by	malevolent	evil, causes harm