

**KS3 Assessment Objective Overview**

Across each year in KS3, students will be assessed on reading and writing AOs multiple times to show progress and S&L at least once.

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| **Assessment Objective** |  |
| **Reading** | |
| **AO1** | **Reading and understanding variety of texts**  *Comprehension of texts and showing an understanding of the form, audience and purpose of the texts. Understanding of explicit and implicit information* |
| **AO2** | **Analysis of writer’s craft**                           *Analysis of language, form and structure/ Identification and effect of writer’s methods* |
| **AO3** | **Contextual Understanding**  *Relationships between a text and their social/historical/political context* |
| **Writing** | |
| **AO4** | **Content**  *Write effectively for a variety of purposes and effects* |
| **AO5** | **Organisation and SPaG**  *Organise writing effectively  Writing with varied and accurate spelling, punctuation and grammar.* |
| **Speaking and Listening** | |
| **AO6** | **Presenting information and ideas** *Selecting and organising information and ideas effectively and persuasively for prepared spoken presentations, planning effectively for different purposes and audience, making presentations and speeches* |
| **AO7** | **Responding to spoken language and using spoken Standard English** *Listens to and responds appropriately to questions and feedback/ Expressing ideas using Standard spoken English whenever and wherever appropriate* |