

Peicai Secondary School
Subject Overview for Semester 1 2023
English Language | Secondary 3 | Normal Academic

Term 1			
Week	Chapter/Topic/Skill/Area	Assignment/ Homework	Weighted Assessment
Week 3 CNY Celebrations (Fri)	Introduction 1) Expectations and routines 2) English materials and resources 3) Editing book, EL file, stationery Discursive Writing (Unit 4 - Law & Justice) 1) Introduce Unit 4 2) Introduce Discursive Writing 3) Research on topics related to Law & Justice	1) Mindmap (based on research) 2) 1 article based on research topic	
Week 4 CNY holiday (Mon & Tues)	Discursive Writing (Unit 4 - Law & Justice) 1) Present completed mindmap to class 2) Features of Discursive Writing 3) Introduction writing (discursive) 4) Complete Introduction + 1 PEEL paragraph (Discursive)	1) Introduction + 1 PEEL	
Week 5 HBL #1 (Wed)	Non-Narrative Comprehension (Unit 3 - Artificial Intelligence) 1) Paper 2 Section C revision (annotation skills, summary writing skills) + practice		
Week 6	Non-Narrative Comprehension (Unit 3 - Artificial Intelligence) 1) Paper 2 Section C revision (annotation skills, summary writing skills) + practice	1) P2SB practice	
Week 7 HBL #2 (Wed)	Non-Narrative Comprehension - Paper 2 Section C practice Discursive Writing (Unit 4 - Law & Justice) - Writing Draft 1	1) HBL Assignment: Grammar (SVA/ Tenses/ Verb Form)	WA1: Non-narrative Comprehension including summary
Week 8	Non-Narrative Comprehension - Go through WA1 corrections Discursive Writing (Unit 4 - Law & Justice) - Fine-tuning Draft 1 - Peer-feedback (Writing Checklist)	1) Submission of Final Discursive Essay	
Week 9 HBL #3 (Wed)	Visual Text - Revise annotation skills - Emphasis on tone and status - Practice Papers		WA1 (Other subjects)

Week 10	Discursive Writing (Unit 4 - Law & Justice) - Return Discursive essay - Unit reflection		
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Term 2			
Week	Chapter/Topic/Skill/Area	Assignment/ Homework	Weighted Assessment
Week 1 <i>HBL #4 (Wed)</i>	Descriptive Writing 1) Introduce Descriptive Essay Features 2) What makes a good description?	1) HBL: Descriptive vocabulary 2) Descriptive writing paragraph 3) Vocabulary mindmap	
Week 2	Descriptive Writing 1) Show not Tell 2) Descriptive writing vocabulary		
Week 3 <i>HBL #5 (Wed)</i> <i>Good Friday holiday (Fri)</i>	Descriptive Writing 1) Descriptive writing activity 2) Writing	1) Descriptive writing essay	
Week 4	Narrative Comprehension 1) Narrative question types 2) Annotation skills 3) Narrative Comprehension Class Activity	1) Comprehension Practice 1 (in class activity)	
Week 5 <i>HBL #6 (Wed)</i> <i>Hari Raya Puasa (Sat)</i>	Descriptive Writing 1) Return essay & corrections	1) HBL Assignment: Comprehension refresher practice 2	
Week 6 <i>Hari Raya Puasa holiday (Mon)</i>	Narrative Comprehension 1) Narrative Comprehension Class Activity 2) Narrative Comprehension Practice	1) Comprehension error analysis 2) Comprehension question type class activity	WA2: Descriptive Essay
Week 7 <i>HBL #7 (Wed)</i> <i>Labour Day (Mon)</i>	Grammar & Vocabulary 1) Revising prepositions, connectors, other grammar skills 2) Vocabulary building	1) Grammar: prepositions, connectors	
Week 8	Oral (Planned Response) 1) Planned Response format & skills		WA2 (Other subjects)

Week 9 <i>HBL #8 (Wed)</i>	Oral (Planned Response) 1) Planned Response activity	1) HBL Assignment: Planned response recording	
Week 10	Oral (Planned Response) 1) Planned Response activity, review, reflection		

The subject overview is tentative and is subject to changes.