

# A Level English Language

## Wider Reading List

### Year 12 and Year 13



Reading widely around our subject can not only support your learning and revision, but help to foster a passion for and love of linguistics. Click on the title of each book to buy on Amazon (second hand copies are available).

[Language Myths](#) – by Laurie Bauer and Peter Trudgill

[Word Perfect](#) – by Susie Dent

[An Emotional Dictionary](#) – by Susie Dent

[Interesting Stories about Curious Words](#) – Susie Dent

[The Language Instinct](#) – by Steven Pinker

[A Little Book of Language](#) – by David Crystal

[How Language Works](#) – by David Crystal

[Txting](#) – The Gr8 Db8 – by David Crystal

[You Just Don't Understand](#) – by Deborah Tannen

[You Say Potato](#) – by David Crystal

[Beyond Words](#) – by John Humphries

[The Dictionary of Lost Words](#) – by Pip Williams (fiction book)

[Eats, Shoot and Leaves](#) – by Lynne Truss