English Department

Year: 7

Topic Non Fiction: Media

Learning Journey

Prior learning:
Oracy is embedded in other schemes of learning
Some non-fiction will have been explored at KS2

Learning sequence –								
Main learning steps	Introduction: what is media? Advertising and mass communication	Audiences and media products – connotation and denotation	Review: books and films; structure and conventions of book and film reviews	Writing Articles - writing for audience and purpose (using the 5 W's)	Interviews - conventions of interviews; crafting questions for interviews (open-ended questions)	Project based: creating individual component of a group magazine and performing a pitch of magazine	Writing and S+L: creating individual component of a group magazine and performing a pitch of magazine	
Assessment		OPTIONAL: Students demonstrate their understanding on audiences through the creation of an advert. SELF ASSESSMENT	- Students produce a film or book review PEER ASSESSMENT	-Students will research and write their own articles. TEACHER ASSESSMENT - using success criteria on ATD sheet		Students work in groups to produce a magazine.	Students prepare a short presentation on the magazine they have produced.	
		Reflection on how to improve or edit advert. (purple pen)	Students redraft one paragraph of their review based on feedback	Students redraft one paragraph to improve				

Key words: media, mass communication, audience, communication, connotation, denotation, conventions

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Y9 Non-Fiction: Feminism

Key skills for language paper 2: Non Fiction Oracy: y8 Speeches, y9 debate unit Y10 Speaking and Listening assessment