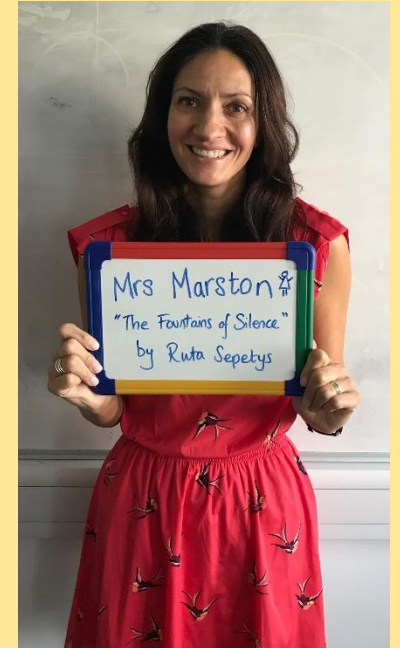
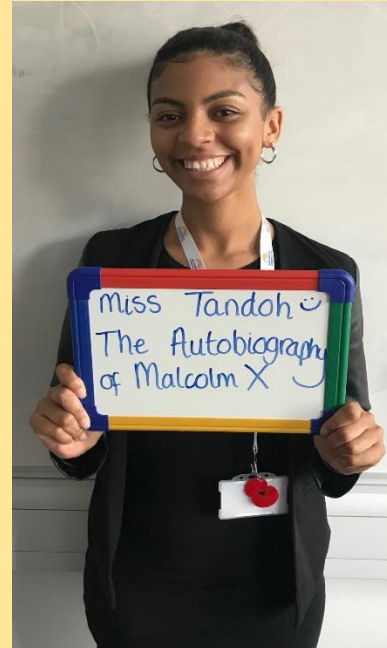
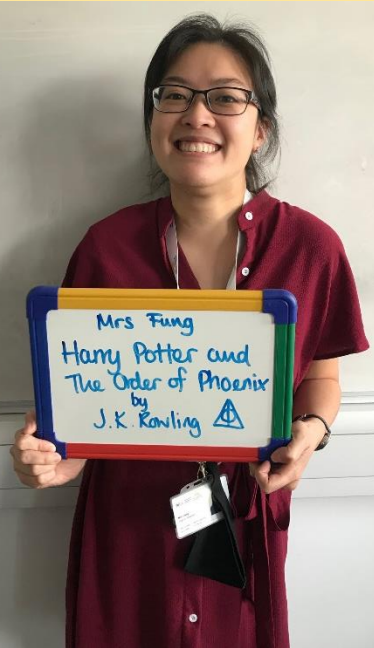




Welcome to the English
department at NIA!

Fabulous English teachers with their favourite books 😊



What's your favourite book?



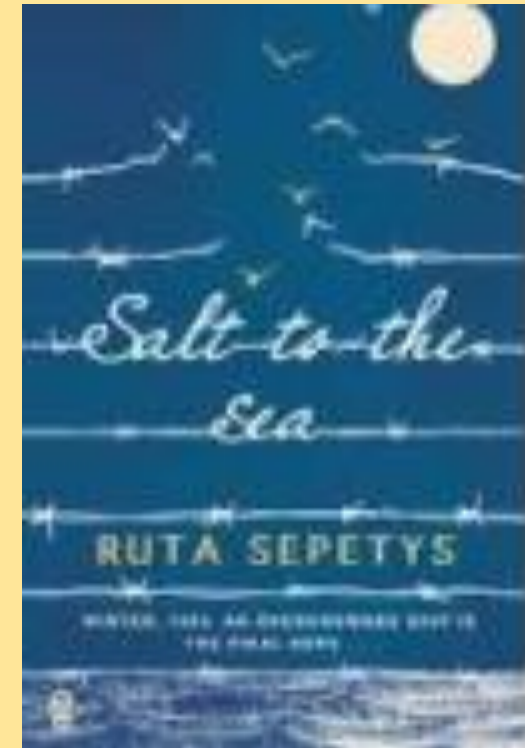
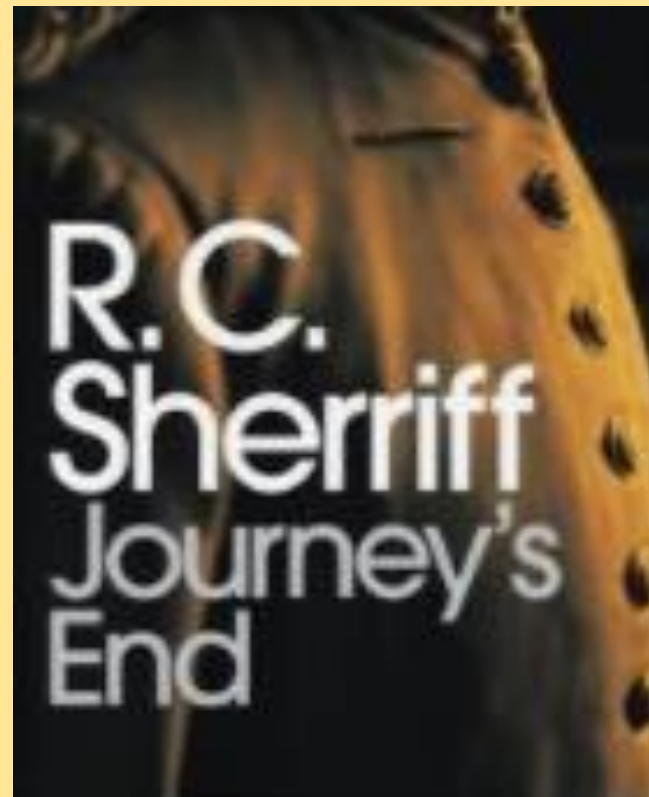
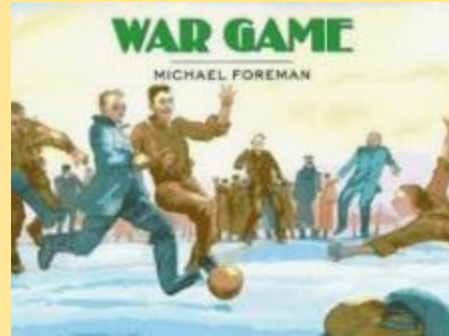
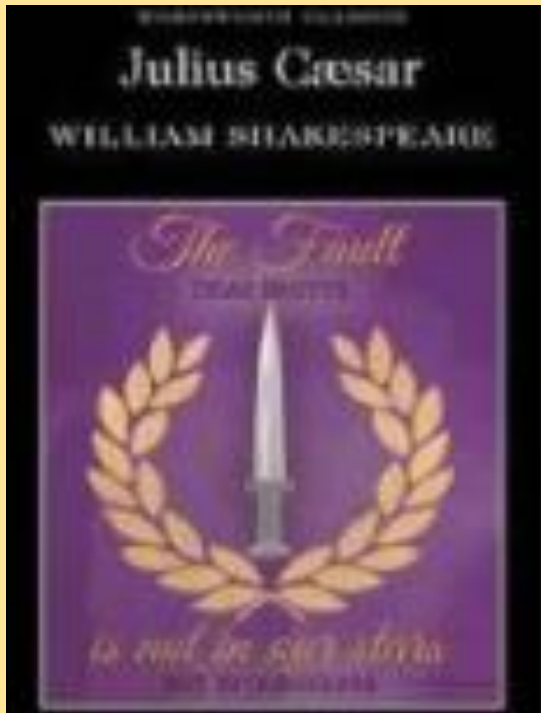
Everyone loves reading at NIA...

- Mr Manning, from the Science department, caught reading in his lunch break!



Year 8 texts

In year 8, we focus on the theme of conflict...



Cross-curricular links...

- We aim to connect with history topics, as far as possible. For example, we study our Shakespeare play in year 7 (Twelfth Night), when students are learning about the Tudors in History. This helps students strengthen the connections across their learning and understand the issues explored in the texts we read.
- We also have connections with Performing Arts; for example teaching terminology to help us bring plays to life!

Our lovely library

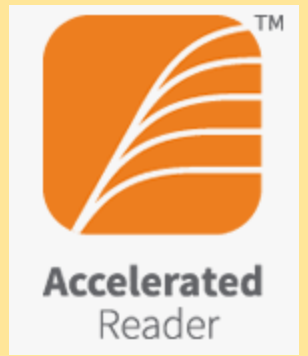
Brand new books!
(Over 1000 new books have been added in the last 6 months!)

A calm and relaxing place to be!



Award-winning books to take everyone's fancy!

Accelerated Reader



- Year 7&8 students access the Accelerated Reader programme, in fortnightly library lessons, to encourage regular reading at a suitable level of difficulty to support their developing reading skills.
- There is also an opportunity for students to win prizes for their reading progress!

Opportunities...

- Theatre trips (eg. Year 12 trip to the Globe in February 2020);
- Visiting author talks and workshops (including: Saviour Pirotta, Stewart Foster, Ross Montgomery, Dreadlock Alien, Steve Camden);
- Career-related talks and trips (such as a trip to Sky News studios in July 2019);
- Access to National Theatre performances in-school;
- Assisting in the judging of the Carnegie Prize, through the library.

We cannot wait to
welcome you to NIA
and share our love of
English with you!