

AS Language and Literature in English Set Texts for Examination in 2014

Syllabus Code 8695



Examinations in June and November 2014 will contain questions on the following texts:

Poetry	
*Wilfred Owen	<i>Selected Poems</i> (Wordsworth Poetry Library) (see full list of poems to be studied in Appendix A)
* <i>Songs of Ourselves</i>	<i>The University of Cambridge International Examinations Anthology of Poetry in English</i> (ISBN 81-7596-248-8) (from Part 1) (see full list of poems to be studied in Appendix A)
Seamus Heaney	<i>District and Circle</i> (Faber) (see full list of poems to be studied in Appendix A)

Prose	
*Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie	<i>Half of a Yellow Sun</i>
E. M. Forster	<i>A Passage to India</i>
* <i>Stories of Ourselves</i>	<i>The University of Cambridge International Examinations Anthology of Stories in English</i> (ISBN 9780 521 727 914) (see full list of stories to be studied in Appendix A)

Drama	
*Robert Bolt	<i>A Man for All Seasons</i>
*Edward Albee	<i>Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?</i>
*William Shakespeare	<i>Richard III</i>

* texts will also be examined in 2015

4.5 Exam combinations

Candidates take **8695** Language and Literature in English as an Advanced Subsidiary (AS) qualification only.

Syllabus **8695** must not be offered in the same series with:

- 9093 English Language
- 9695 Literature in English.

Appendix A: Poems and stories to be studied in set texts

Poems to be studied in poetry set texts:

From Seamus Heaney *District and Circle* (Faber and Faber) Paper 3/Paper 9

The Turnip-Snedder A Shiver Polish Sleepers Anahorish 1944 To Mick Joyce in Heaven The Aerodrome Anything Can Happen Helmet Out of Shot Rilke: <i>After the Fire</i> District and Circle To George Seferis in the Underworld Wordsworth's Skates The Harrow-Pin	Poet to Blacksmith Midnight Anvil Súgán Senior Infants 1 The Sally Rod 2 A Chow 3 One Christmas Day in the Morning The Nod A Clip Edward Thomas on the Lagans Road The Lift Höfn The Tollund Man in Springtime The Blackbird of Glanmore
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From The Poems of Wilfred Owen (Wordsworth Poetry Library) Paper 3/Paper 9

On My Songs Storm Music Maundy Thursday To Eros Shadwell Stair 1914 The Unreturning Sonnet: On seeing a piece of our heavy artillery brought into action The End The Parable of the Old Man and the Young Song of Songs The Dead-Beat The Letter Anthem for Doomed Youth	Disabled <i>Dulce et Decorum Est</i> Soldier's Dream Inspection Wild With All Regrets Miners The Last Laugh Insensibility Exposure The Send-Off Futility Mental Cases Strange Meeting The Sentry Spring Offensive
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**From *Stories of Ourselves: The University of Cambridge International Examinations Anthology of Stories in English* (ISBN 978 0521 727 914)
Paper 3/Paper 9**

Nathaniel Hawthorne	The Hollow of the Three Hills
Edith Wharton	The Moving Finger
Saki (Hector Hugh Munro)	Sredni Vashtar
Virginia Woolf	The Lady in the Looking Glass: A Reflection
Bernard Malamud	The Prison
J. G. Ballard	Billennium
V. S. Naipaul	The Enemy
Doris Lessing	Report on the Threatened City
Janet Frame	The Bath
Raymond Carver	Elephant
Amit Chaudhuri	Real Time
Annie Proulx	The Contest

**From *Songs of Ourselves: The University of Cambridge International Examinations Anthology of Poetry in English* (ISBN 81-7596-248-8)
Paper 3/Paper 9**

Sir John Suckling	<i>Song: Why So Pale and Wan, Fond Lover?</i>
George Peele	What Thing Is Love?
Lady Mary Wroth	Sonnet 11
Anonymous	<i>Song: Weep You No More, Sad Fountains</i>
Queen Elizabeth I	When I Was Fair And Young
Sir Thomas Wyatt	They Flee From Me, That Sometime Did Me Seek
Michael Drayton	Sonnet 61
Edmund Waller	<i>Song: Go, Lovely Rose!</i>
Queen Elizabeth I	No Crooked Leg, No Bleared Eye
Sir Philip Sidney	Sonnet 31
Chidiock Tichbourne	Written The Night Before His Execution
Sir Walter Raleigh	The Author's Epitaph, Made By Himself
Thomas Nashe	A Litany In Time Of Plague
Lady Mary Wroth	Sonnet 19
Ben Jonson	<i>From Underwoods</i>
Thomas Carew	A Song
Sir Walter Raleigh	Walsingham
Aemilia Lanyer	The Flowers That on The Banks and Walks Did Grow
Christopher Marlowe	Come Live with me, and be my Love
Edmund Spenser	Sonnet 54
Sir Walter Raleigh	What is Our Life?
Edmund Spenser	Sonnet 75
Thomas Nashe	<i>Song: Spring, The Sweet Spring</i>
William Shakespeare	Sonnet 18
William Shakespeare	Sonnet 73
Edmund Spenser	The Procession of The Seasons
Thomas Campion	The Man of Life Upright
Robert Greene	A Mind Content
Queen Elizabeth I	I Grieve, and Dare Not Show my Discontent
Ben Jonson	<i>Song: To Celia</i>
Thomas Dekker	Golden Slumbers
Isabella Whitney	A Farewell To The Reader

The poems on this list may be found in Part 1 of the Anthology. See the Cambridge website for further details.