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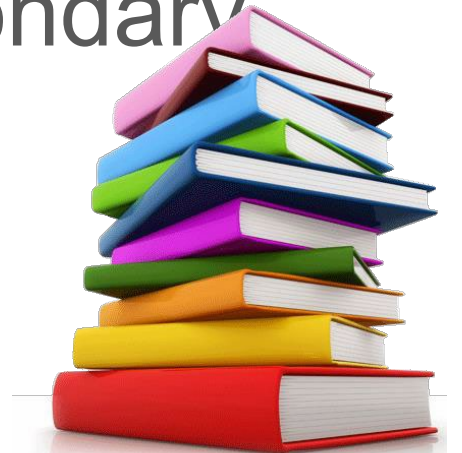
Welcome to English at Holgate!

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Here are some tasks to get you used to English lessons here at Holgate

To begin, can you suggest what things you might explore in your English lessons at secondary school?



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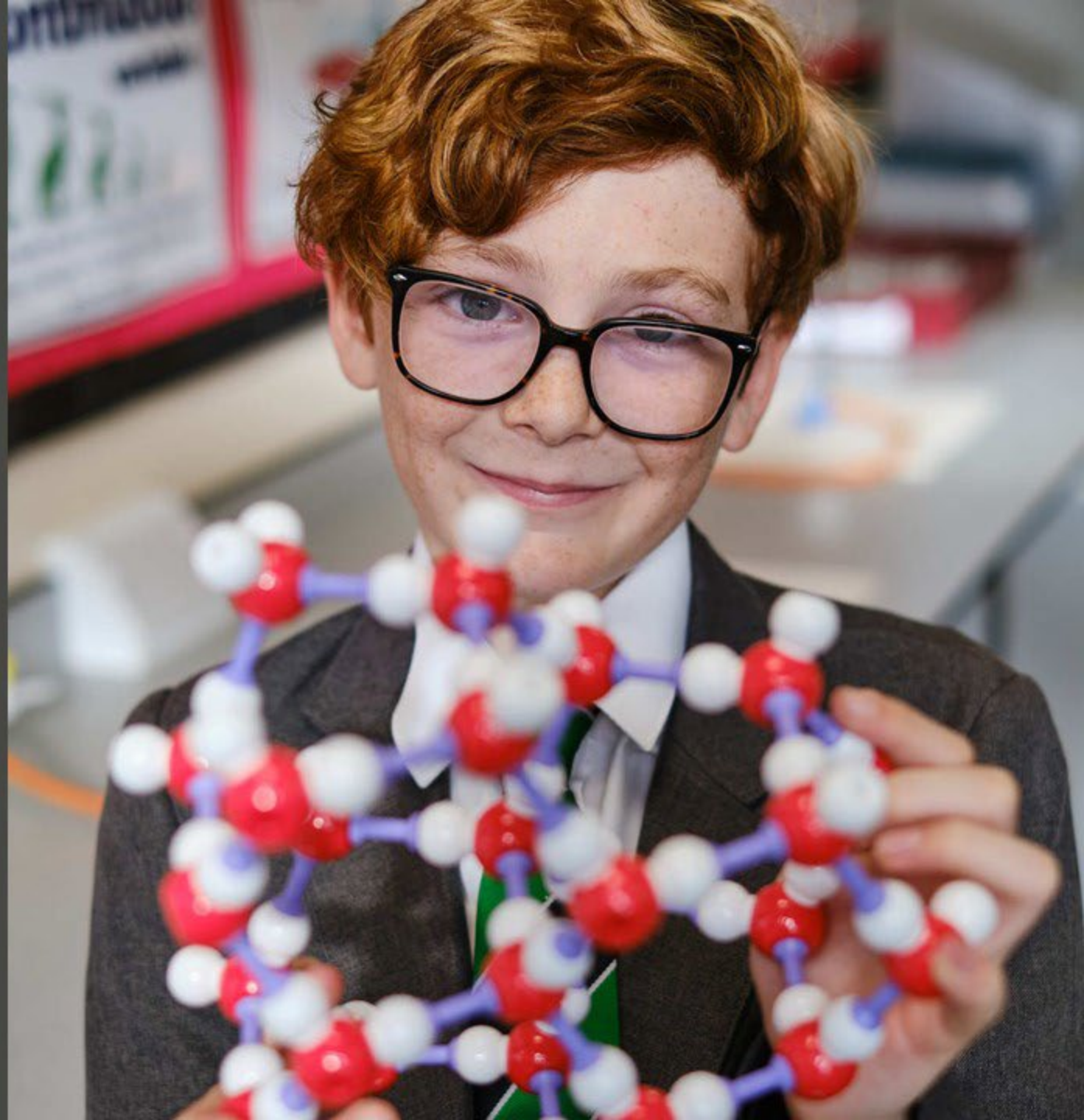


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English at Holgate



Did you suggest any of the things below?

Poetry

Plays

A variety of books from different time periods

Shakespeare

Descriptive/creative writing

Writing for a purpose

Exploring issues and stories in the news and in the community

...and much more!

How might your lessons be different to Year 6?

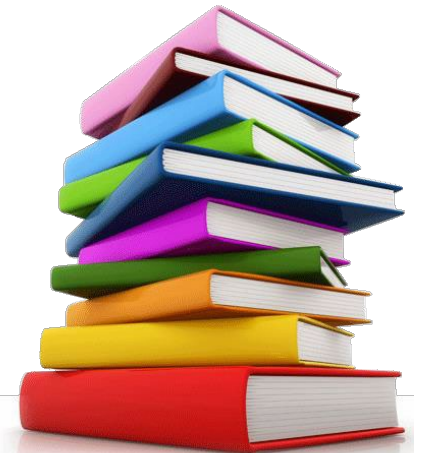
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A recipe for a good learner

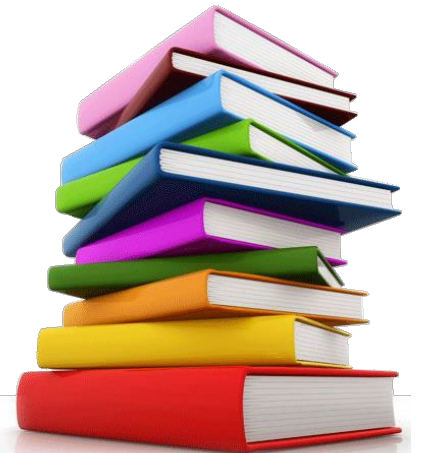
What will be expected of you at The Holgate Academy? How will you show that you are a good student?

We'd like you to create a recipe for a good learner, including all the different 'ingredients' that make up a brilliant pupil.

Here is an example line to get you started:

Mix a pinch of creativity with a handful of effort,

Add...



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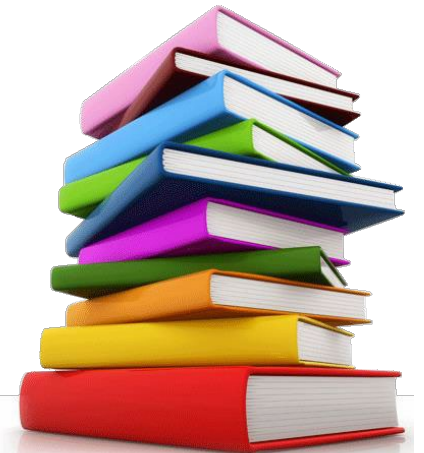
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Now we have considered **HOW** we will become brilliant learners, let's now think about **WHAT** we want to achieve whilst at Holgate, and beyond!

How will you know in a year's time that you have been a successful pupil?



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On your worksheet, fill in the first box about what your dream is by the end of Year 7. You may have more than one!

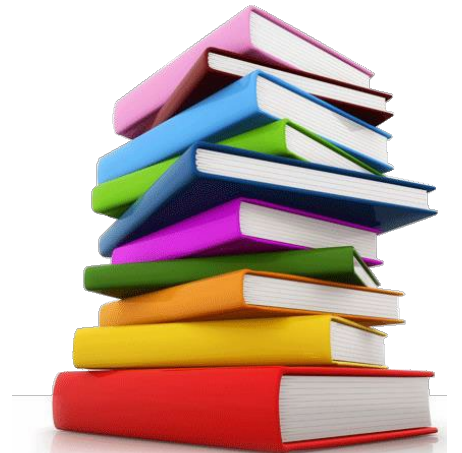
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- Is your dream to do with school?
- Is it to do with friends or family?
- Is to do with something you might want to achieve outside of school?
- Is there anything else you want to accomplish by this time next year?

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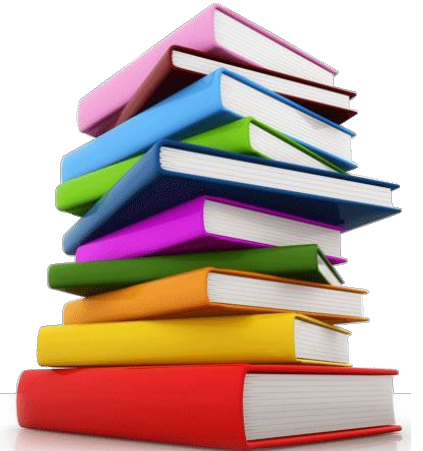
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Now, fill in the box for what you would like to have achieved by the end of Year 11.

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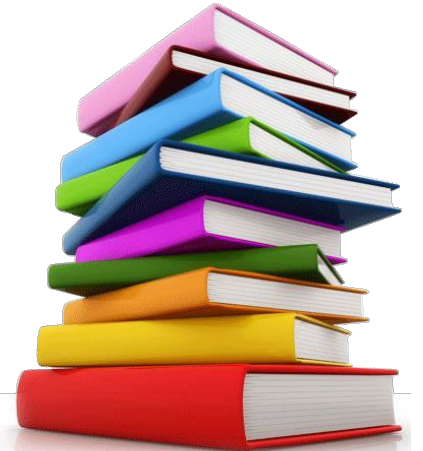
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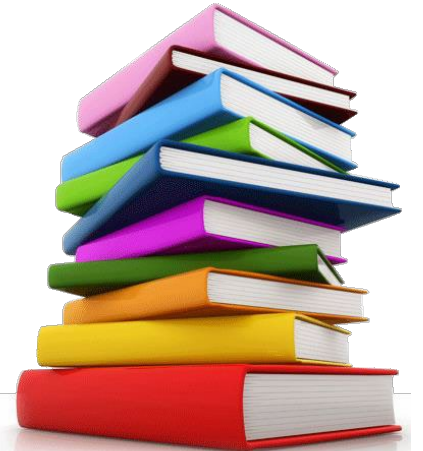
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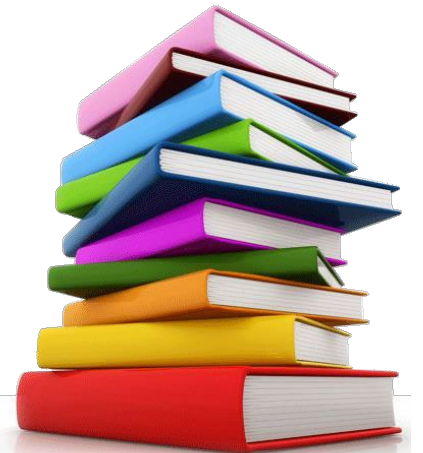
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Thank you for taking part in our 'dreams' tasks – we hope we have challenged you to consider what you would like to achieve throughout secondary school life.

A final thought... what do you think the English teachers at Holgate might 'dream' for their students?



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