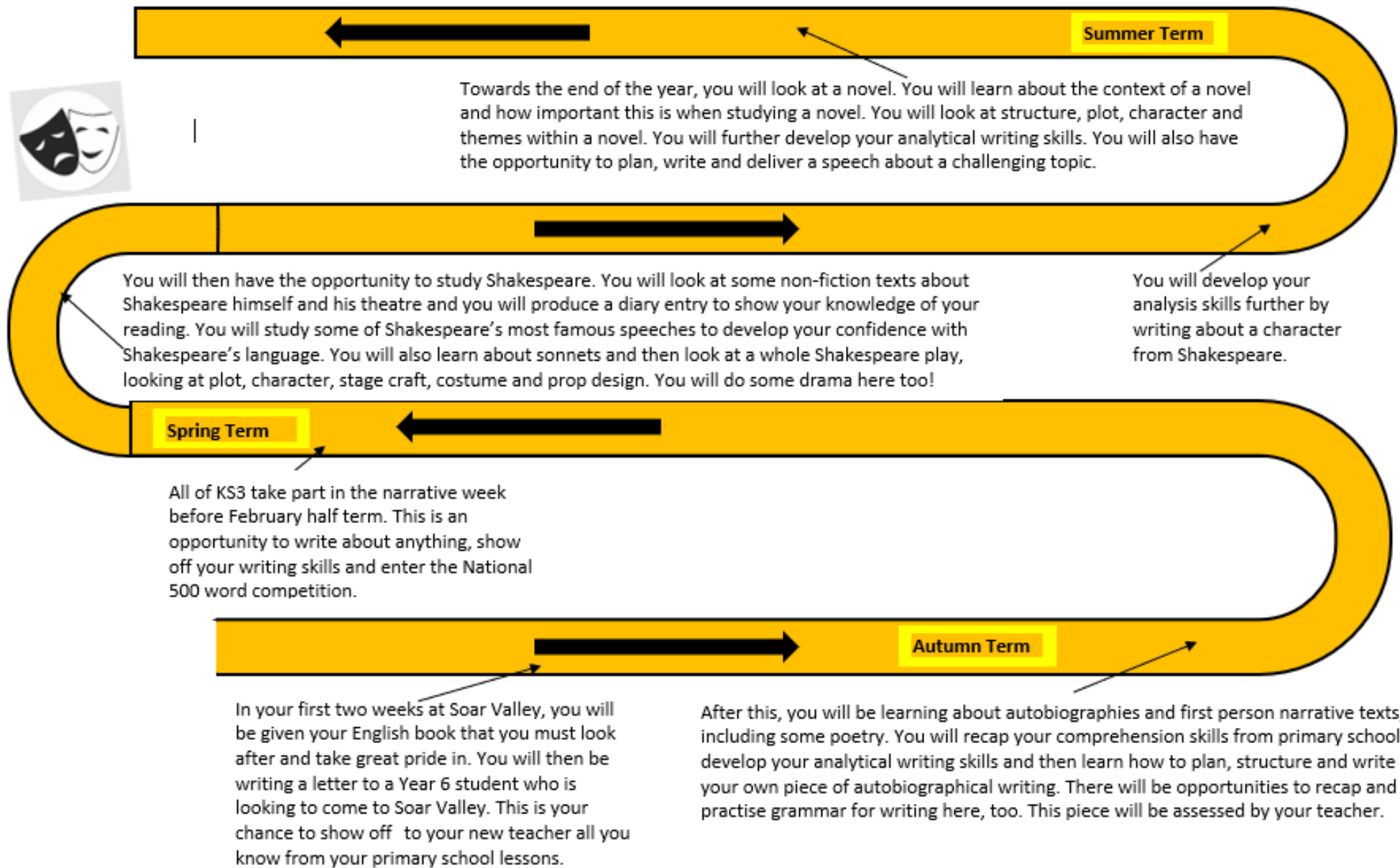
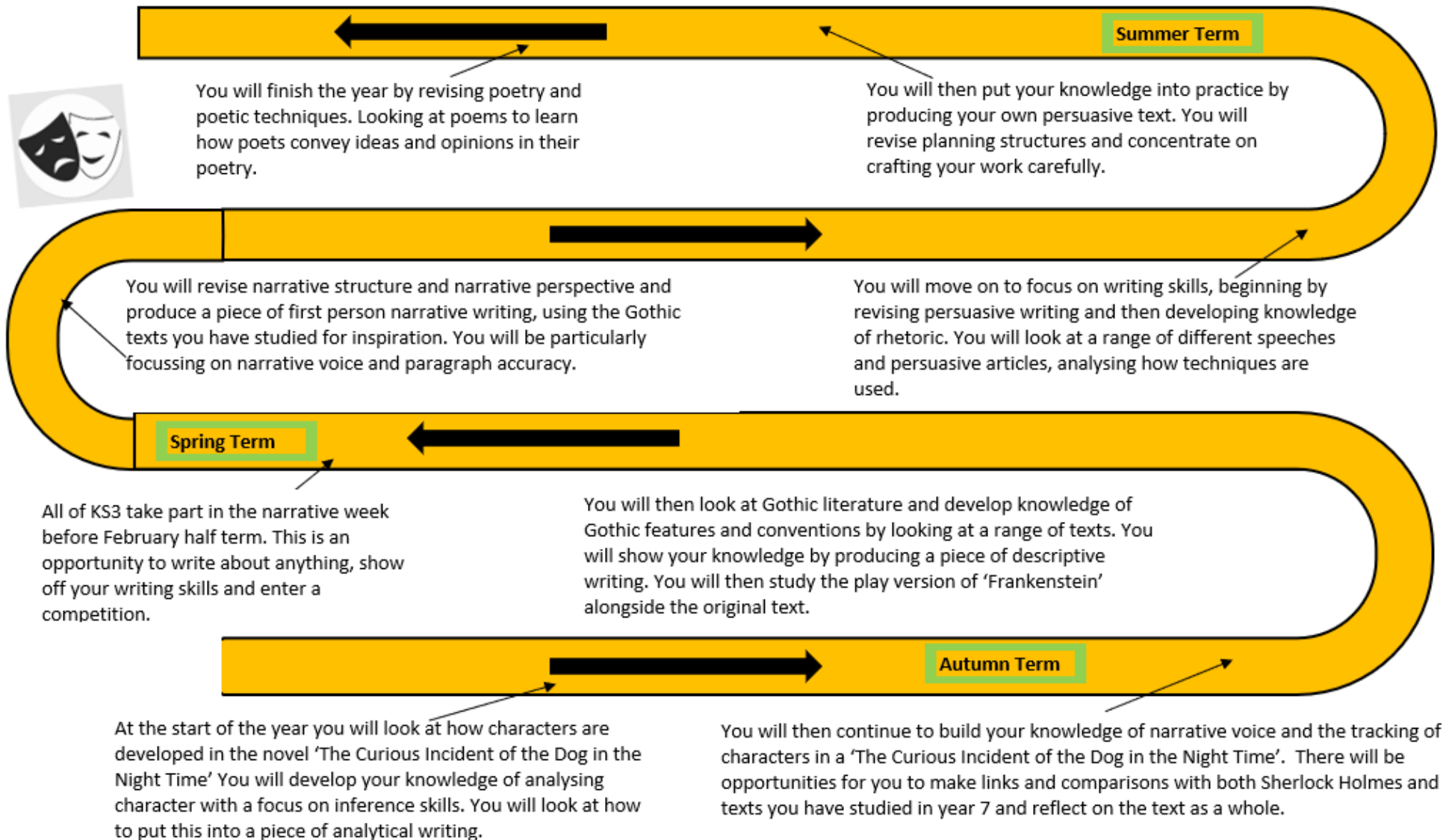


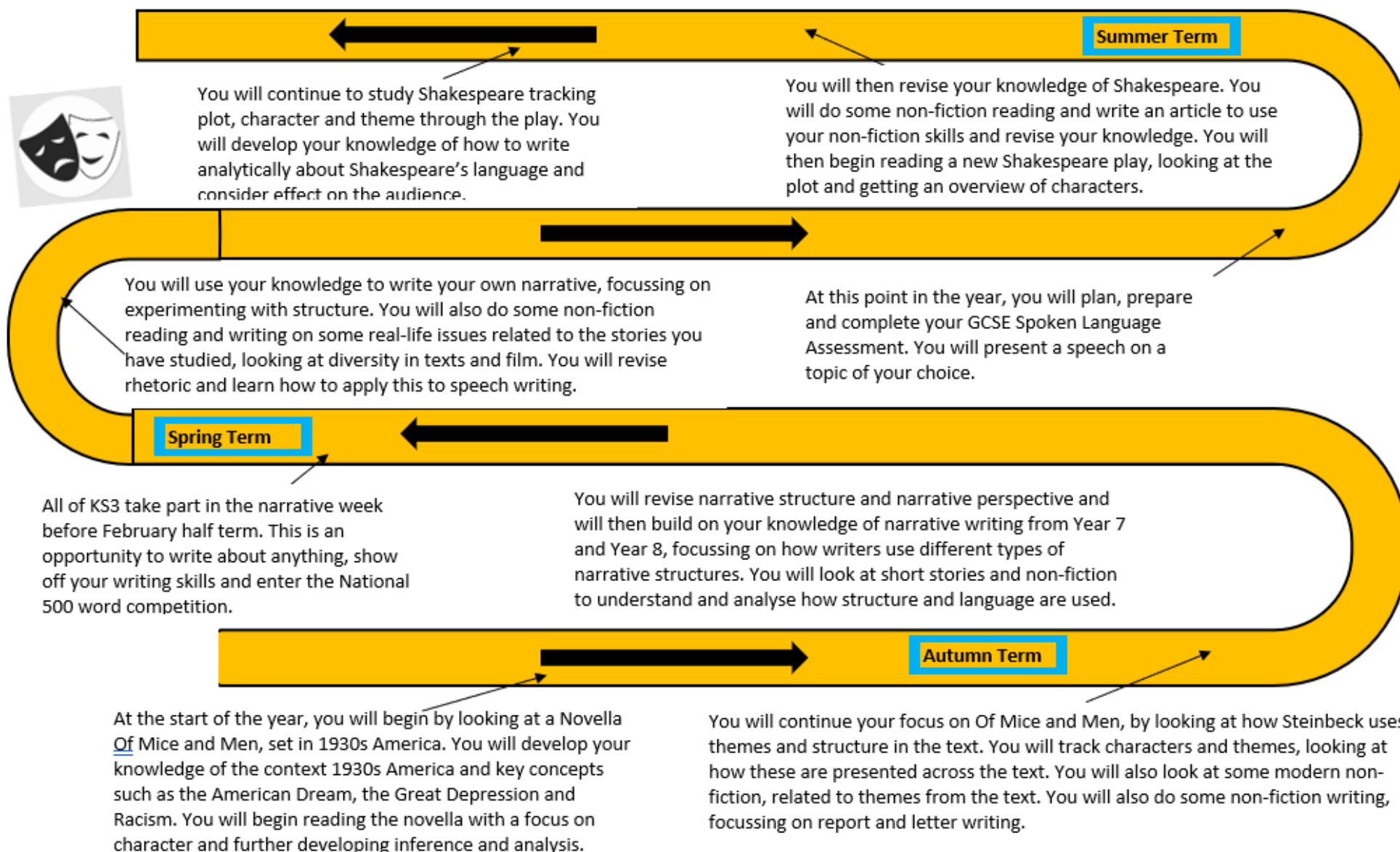
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# My English Curriculum Journey in Year 9.



# My English Curriculum Journey in Year 10.



# My English Curriculum Journey in Year 11.



## GCSE English Language and Literature

### Summer Term

By this point in the year, it's likely that you'll be revising something different every lesson. You'll be practising exam questions and covering lots of different revision strategies to help you revise independently for those GCSE exams.

We will continue our revision by revisiting Shakespeare and focusing in on key themes and characters. You will be revising responding to extracts but there will be a much bigger focus on responding to essay questions. Revision of 'An Inspector Calls' will initially focus on gender. To develop the persuasive and transactional writing skills you've been developing already, you'll be learning about informal writing styles and other written formats, like reviews and reports.

As we approach the end of the course and get closer to the final GCSEs, your teacher will focus on the revision needs of your class. You will, of course, be revising all of the different components but your teacher will be letting you know what you're revising and when.

### Spring Term

You will find that we will be switching units and focus quicker than we have been previously; this is because we will be moving into revision work. You will, however, be covering new knowledge too. Whilst revising 'A Christmas Carol', for example, you'll be learning all about the themes of poverty and class, as well as exploring characters like Fred and Tiny Tim in much more detail. You'll also be focusing a lot more on exam questions and how to answer them.

Following your play study, you will be explicitly revising for your mocks. The emphasis will be on unseen poetry and formal writing, including letters of opinion and speeches. After your mock exams, you'll be focusing on developing comparative skills through a variety of poetry and non-fiction texts.

### Autumn Term

Year 11 will start with real focus. You will start with explicit revision of key reading skills and we shall help you understand how to transfer these skills over from fiction reading to non-fiction. We will also help you transfer skills of comparison over from a poetry context, into a non-fiction context, where you'll be comparing texts from the 19<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> century.

Your final literature text is Priestley's 'An Inspector Calls'. You'll be studying this play, building on the skills and knowledge from your previous two literature texts by focusing on the narrative and the theme of class. We will help you develop your essay writing skills further in preparation for your Year 11 Mock Exams in November.