

Learning Journey: Year 7 HT2 *Gaslight* & Introduction to 19th Century Conventions



Vocab

19th century:

conventions:

theme:

genre:

class-divide:

power:

Big Idea:

'Literature is a window to the past'



What does this mean?

What are we learning?

This half-term, we will explore what life was like in the 19TH century through reading and analysing *Gaslight*.

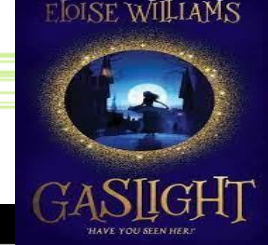
It's important we know about life in the 19TH century & conventions of this genre of literature, as this knowledge will be developed when studying different texts from this time period in following years.

We'll focus on the following reading skills:

1. Making accurate inferences
2. Identifying & analysing TRAMP techniques

What do I need to understand?

The **class-divide** in the 19th century, **conventions of 19th century** literature, characters, themes, settings, **word class**, **descriptive techniques**, how to make accurate inferences.



How will I know how to use reading skills successfully?

You will recap your understanding of **word classes** & **descriptive techniques**. Your teacher will model how to identify these in **extracts from *Gaslight*** and how to complete an 'Inference Path'.

ANALYSIS

How will I practise reading skills?

Inference Path:
Formative assessment: How does the writer use language to present power?

How will I be assessed on my reading skills?

Inference Path:
Summative assessment: How does the writer use language to present the struggles of the working-class?



Understanding the need for resilience to overcome diversity.