

# Wellbeing Wednesday: English

Reading	Writing	Something Artistic	Something Active
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Re-read a favourite book, simply to enjoy it</li> <li>Listen to an audio book, or a drama podcast. You can listen to <i>Dracula</i> or <i>Frankenstein</i> on YouTube!</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Write a song, rap, or poem</li> <li>Write a thank you letter or a card to someone who has helped you during lockdown.</li> <li>Write a letter to someone who is lonely. Someone from a local company will collect these from the school and deliver them. If you would like a reply, you can add a name and the school address. You can contact Miss Ross for more details.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Create an artistic response to the inauguration poem 'The Hill We Climb' by Amanda Gorman. You might design a mural for a wall which captures the key ideas and spirit of the poem</li> <li>Create a collage of one of your favourite literary texts. See Miss Ross's example below. You could craft a collage, using items from around the home.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Go for a nature walk and try to find an item from each letter of the alphabet; you could take a picture of an image for each letter</li> <li>Go on a walk to find something which you could write a poem or story about.</li> </ul>

## Challenge Opportunities

**Critical Reading:** Can you read an article from the British Library Online, as an introduction to critical reading?

Click this link for an article for an introduction to the Gothic genre: <https://www.bl.uk/romantics-and-victorians/articles/the-origins-of-the-gothic>

**Lecture Experience:** Can you listen to this Oxford University lecture on *Romeo and Juliet*?

This is incredibly challenging, as it is for undergraduate University students! Click on this link for your Oxford experience: <https://podcasts.ox.ac.uk/romeo-and-juliet>



We hope that you enjoy some well-deserved time away from your screens today.

There is no expectation to submit 'work' today, but we would love to see some of the ways in which you have spent your time, focusing on your chosen activities.