

How can the study of English Language support students beyond school?

English Language is invaluable for your future, no matter what it holds. A qualification in English Language demonstrates your communication skills, both written and spoken and your ability to look beyond the surface for deeper meanings. A good command of the spoken and written word will help you every day and English provides a strong foundation for any job or profession that involves communication, writing and/or literary knowledge.

Careers that the study of English supports include:

- advertising and marketing
- writing and journalism
- law
- teaching
- performing arts
- government
- linguistics
- foreign languages
- media and design
- public relations executive
- film director
- author
- newsreader
- architect
- Careers in the sciences, engineering, technology and maths also need English and in fact any profession that requires analytical thinking, strong verbal and written communication, imagination or creativity can draw on the key skills acquired whilst studying English.

How can the study of English Literature support students beyond school?

English Literature demonstrates your ability to look beyond the obvious and to interpret complex information. A qualification in English Literature will develop your planning and research skills, as well as widening your knowledge of history, culture, philosophy and even human behaviour.

Possible careers could include:

- media, publishing
- journalism
- teaching
- advertising
- public relations
- law
- public sector and finance.