

Tenbury High Ormiston Academy

English Department

Year 8 Homework Booklet:

Detective



NAME:

TEACHER:

TASK 1 DUE:

TASK 2 DUE:

TASK 3 DUE:

TASK 1: Research

Research one of the following and present your research as either a booklet, poster(s) or selection of mind maps.

The Freemasons:

- History and origins
- Organisation and purpose
- Rituals and ceremonies
- Rules and beliefs
- Secrecy
- Connections to crime



Pinkertons:

- Type of organisation
- History and origins
- Work
- Famous cases
- Role in modern times



TASK 2: Key words

Learn the spelling for the key words and define what the words mean (you can use a dictionary to help you but make sure you put the definition into your own words).

	Word	Meaning
G R E E N	Mystery	
	Witness	
	Alibi	
	Criminal	
	Suspect	
A M B E R	Forensic	
	Accomplice	
	Apprehend	
	Conspiracy	
	Procedure	
	Red herring	
	Pinkertons	
	Freemasons	
R E D	Psychological	
	Vengeance	
	Vindication	
	Perpetrator	

TASK 3: Planning the Perfect Murder

You are creating a character who thinks they can get away with the perfect murder.

Use the boxes below to jot down the details of their plan! Get creative - how could they get away with it? Think carefully about: location, murder weapon, being recognised, avoiding witnesses and surveillance cameras, the forensic evidence and cleaning up.

The Victim:

The Murderer:

The Motive - why:

The Crime - how:

