



A.S.	Classe	Disciplina	Docente
2024/2025	2N	Lingua e Letteratura Inglese	Prof. Stefano Parisi

### Libri di testo

- M. Spiazzi, M. Tavella, M. Layton, **PERFORMER HERITAGE**, New Edition, volume 1, Zanichelli 2022

### MODULE 1 – THE ORIGINS AND THE MIDDLE AGES

#### 1. HISTORY AND CULTURE

- 1.1 The First Invasions.
- 1.2 The Anglo-Saxons and the Vikings.  
**CLIL History project:** Sutton Hoo and the Anglo-Saxons (with prof. Bocchio). (\*)
- 1.3 The Norman Conquest and Domesday Book.
- 1.4 Anarchy and Henry Plantagenet.
- 1.5 From Magna Carta to the Peasants' Revolt (1215 – 1381).
  - B2 EXAMS Reading and Use of English Part 5 John Wycliff and a linguistic revolution.
  - B2 EXAMS Listening Part 2: The Black Death.
  - **CLIL Art:** The Norman and the Gothic Cathedrals - Romans in Britain - York Cathedral.
- 1.6 The War of the Two Roses

#### 2. LITERATURE and GENRES

- 2.1 The development of poetry
- 2.2 The epic Poem
- 2.3 The pagan elegy
- 2.4 The medieval ballads
- 2.5 The long medieval narrative poems

#### 3. AUTHORS AND TEXTS

- Beowulf: a national Epic  
T1 *The hero comes to Heorot*. Text analysis and literary competences  
T2 *Beowulf and Grendel: the fight*. Text analysis and literary competences
- The Ballad:  
T11 Robin Hood Ballad. Text analysis and literary competences (\*)
- Geoffrey Chaucer and *The Canterbury Tales*.  
T1.10 *When in April the sweet showers...*

(\*) Materiale da Spiazzi/Tavella/Layton, **Culture & Literature**, vol 1, Edizioni Zanichelli 2016

### VOCABULARY

### Libri di testo

- Bonomi/Morgan/Belotti, **STAY CONNECTED**, Europass Edition 2023.
  - ✓ Lexical resources:
    3. Jobs;
    4. Computers & Technology;
    5. Towns and Buildings;
    10. Sports;



## GRAMMAR

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- Bonomi/Morgan/Belotti, **STAY CONNECTED**, Europass Edition 2023.

Tense revision: present (simple vs continuous) and past (simple vs continuous). <i>Used to</i> .
Present perfect continuous. <i>Since</i> and <i>For</i> . Defining relative clauses. Question tags.
Present perfect continuous vs Present perfect simple. Non-defining relative clauses.
Past perfect vs simple past.
Past perfect simple vs past perfect continuous. <i>Since</i> and <i>For</i> .
Zero, first, second and third conditionals. <i>When</i> , <i>unless</i> , <i>as soon as</i> , <i>before</i> , <i>after</i> , <i>until</i> .
Uses of the infinitive (with <i>to</i> ) Uses of the gerund ( <i>-ing</i> form).
Expressing wishes and regrets: <i>Wish</i> (with simple past, past perfect and <i>would</i> )
Modal verbs of advice: <i>should</i> , <i>had better</i> , <i>would rather</i> .
Passive form: All passive tenses. Passive sentences with two objects.

### Libro di testo

- M. Mann & S. Taylore-Knowles, **OPTIMISE B1 +**, Coursebook & Workbook, MacMillan 2021.

Units	Syllabus
<b>4</b> <i>Big city life</i>	Reading, grammar, vocabulary, listening, speaking, Use of English
<b>6</b> <i>Good food, good mood</i>	Reading, grammar, vocabulary, listening, speaking, Use of English
<b>7</b> <i>Best friends forever</i>	Reading, grammar, vocabulary, listening, speaking, Use of English
<b>8</b> <i>The only way is up</i>	Reading, grammar, vocabulary, listening, speaking, Use of English

Tutti gli argomenti trattati in questo programma sono corredati da materiale didattico ppt e pdf elaborati dal docente e caricati in un folder Google Drive accessibile agli studenti della classe. Tale materiale didattico integra ed arricchisce i contenuti presenti sui libri di testo in uso.

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