

Subject	KS3 English – Year 8 Autumn 2: Asimov and Adams
Which award did Isaac Asimov's "Foundation" series win?	The Hugo Award.
Who were the "Big Three" of science fiction writers?	Isaac Asimov, Robert A. Heinlein and Arthur C. Clarke.
How many of Asimov's Laws are there?	Four (including the zeroth law).
What society was Isaac Asimov president of?	The American Humanist Association.
According to Asimov's Laws, what is the First Law?	A robot may not injure a human being or, through inaction, allow a human being to come to harm.
What did "The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy" originate as?	A radio play.
How many books are there in "The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy" 'trilogy'?	Five.
Which TV programme was Douglas Adams script editor of in 1979?	Doctor Who.
Which computer was Douglas Adams a big fan of?	The Apple Mac.
How is Douglas Adams' contribution to UK radio commemorated?	In the Radio Academy's Hall of Fame.
What does P.E.E.D. stand for?	Point, Example (evidence), Explain, Develop.
What should you do when using quotes?	Try to keep them short.
What sort of quote lets you combine the example and explain parts of P.E.E.D. in one sentence?	An embedded quote .
Why should you give an example from the text?	It helps you to illustrate your point.
What might "developing your point" involve?	Saying what the effect on the reader is, saying what the writer's intention is, linking your point to another part of the text or giving your own opinion.
Why are the development and explanation parts important?	They're your chance to show you really understand and have thought about the text.
Why are explaining words and phrases important?	They make your answers easy to follow and makes your writing sound more professional.
What do explaining words and phrases do?	They help you to link the explanation and development parts of your argument to your main point.
What word means: "Made or produced (usually by humans) rather than occurring naturally?"	Artificial.
What word means: "relating to or derived from living matter?"	Organic.
What is the definition of "Free Will"?	The power of acting without the constraint of necessity or fate; the ability to act independently and at one's own discretion.
What is the definition of an "Existential Crisis"?	Moments when individuals question whether their lives have meaning, purpose, or value, and are negatively impacted by the contemplation.
What do conjunctive adverbs do?	They indicate a relation in meaning between two sequential independent clauses.
When would you use the conjunctive adverb "additionally"?	To add.
When would you use the conjunctive adverb "similarly"?	To compare.
When would you use the conjunctive adverb "however"?	To contrast.
When would you use the conjunctive adverb "subsequently"?	To order.
When would you use the conjunctive adverb "indeed"?	To emphasize.
When would you use the conjunctive adverb "overall"?	To conclude.
What do you need to do when paraphrasing details from the text as examples?	You need to describe one of the writer's techniques, or one of the text's features, in your own words