



LICEO CLASSICO "GIACOMO LEOPARDI"

PROGRAMMA SVOLTO DI LINGUA E LETTERATURA INGLESE

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Dal libro di testo: M. Spicci, T. A. Shaw, **AMAZING MINDS vol.1**, From the origins to the Romantic Age, Longman

The Elizabethan Age:

Shakespeare's "**Hamlet**": plot, characters, setting.

The theme of madness.

Text analysis: Hamlet's soliloquy "To be or not to be".

"Romeo and Juliet": plot, setting, characters, themes.

Text analysis: The Prologue. The Balcony scene.

The Augustan age: the rise of the novel. Features of the realistic novel. The reading public. London coffee houses and the rise of journalism.

D. Defoe: life and works.

"Robinson Crusoe": plot, characters, themes.

Robinson and Friday.

The Romantic Age: the historical, social and cultural context.

General features of the Romantic poetry

W. Wordsworth: life and works

Preface to "The Lyrical Ballads"

Analysis of the poem: "I Wandered Lonely as a Cloud".

Mary Shelley: life and works.

"Frankenstein": plot, characters and themes.

Text: "Frankenstein comes to life."

Film "Mary Shelley's Frankenstein" (1994) with Robert De Niro (the monster) and Kenneth Branagh (Victor Frankenstein).



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Jane Austen: life and works.

“Sense and Sensibility”: plot, characters and themes.

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