

**DISCIPLINA: LINGUA INGLESE**

**CLASSE: 5M**

**DOCENTE: PROF.SSA MARZIA PILAN**

- **The Victorian Age**

- Historical background
- Social background
- The British Empire
- The United States: birth of a nation
- The Great Exhibition of 1851
- The Novel in the Victorian Age
- Poetry in the Victorian Age

- **Charles Dickens**

- Biography
- Literary production
- Oliver Twist – "Jacob's Island"
- Hard Times – "A man of reality"
- Hard Times – "Coketown"
- Victorian Workhouses

- **Robert Louis Stevenson**

- Biography
- Literary production
- The Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde – "Dr Jekyll's first experiment"

- **Oscar Wilde**

- Biography
- Literary production
- The Picture of Dorian Gray
- The Preface to the Picture of Dorian Gray
- The Importance of Being Earnest - complete text

- **The Pre-Raphaelite**

- Dante Gabriel Rossetti – "Lady Lilith"
- John Everett Millais – "Ophelia"
- William Holman Hunt – "The Awakening Conscience"

- **Christina Rossetti**
  - Biography
  - Literary production
  - In an Artist's studio
  
- **The 20th Century**
  - Historical background
  - The Novel in the Modern Age
  
- **James Joyce**
  - Biography
  - Literary production
  - Dubliners – The Dead – "A man had died for her sake"
  - Dubliners – "Eveline"
  
- **Virginia Woolf**
  - Biography
  - Literary production
  - Mrs Dalloway – "She would not say"
  
- **George Orwell**
  - Biography
  - Literary production
  - 1984 – "Big Brother is watching you"
  
- **T. S. Eliot**
  - Biography
  - Literary production
  - The West Land – The Burial of the Dead – "Unreal city"
  
- **Edward Hopper**
  - "Nighthawks"
  - "Room in New York"
  
- **Pablo Picasso**
  - "Guernica" analysis
  
- **The Post War-World and The End of the Empire**

- **Samuel Beckett**

- Biography
- Literary production
- Waiting for Godot – "All the dead voices"

**Libro di testo:** S. Maglioni, G. Thomson, R. Elliott, P. Monticelli  
**Time Machines – Concise Plus**  
DeA Scuola – Black Cat

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