Programma di Inglese Classe 4U

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Libri: Performer Shaping Ideas 1 - Spiazzi Tavella (Zanichelli) - English File B2 (Oxford)

1) Literature

- **✓** English Civil War, Puritanism, and the Scientific Revolution
- ✓ John Milton *Paradise Lost* and Satan's Speech
- ✓ The Augustan Age: Politics, Journalism, Society
- ✓ Daniel Defoe *Robinson Crusoe*
- ✓ Jonathan Swift *Gulliver's Travels*
- ✓ The Rise of the Novel
- **✓** Industrial Revolution and the Romantic Age
- ✓ Introduction to the concept of Sublime
- ✓ William Blake *Songs of Innocence* and *Songs of Experience*
- ✓ William Wordsworth *Daffodils*
- ✓ Samuel Taylor Coleridge *The Rime of the Ancient Mariner*
- ✓ Second-generation Romantic Poets (Keats, Shelley, Byron)
- ✓ Keats Ode to a Grecian Urn
- ✓ The Gothic Genre
- ✓ Mary Shelley *Frankenstein* (full reading)
- ✓ Edgar Allan Poe *The Black Cat*
- **✓** The Novel of Manners
- ✓ Jane Austen Pride and Prejudice

2) Grammar

- ✓ Narrative tenses
- ✓ Verbs + -ing or infinitive
- ✓ Used to, be used to, Get used to
- ✓ Expressing regrets and wishes
- ✓ Conditionals: zero, first, second, unreal

✓ Future perfect vs Future continuous

3) Functions

- ✓ Digital project: Modern Robinson Crusoe video
- ✓ 5-minute speeches Woman of the Year
- ✓ Class discussion: what to do after school (Salone dello Studente)
- ✓ Towards the exams: Learning Styles test and discussion

4) Reading List

- ✓ Gulliver's Travels (Black Cat edition)
- ✓ Summer 2025 Reading and studying: **Animal Farm** by George Orwell (Demetra -double text)

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