

Curriculum Plan French

Year 9	Knowledge (Topics covered)	Subject Skills	Key Assessment	Literacy and Numeracy	School values (Attitude / Achievement / Community / Endeavour)	Extra-curricular opportunities	Personal development (Character, SMSC, Fundamental British values, Careers guidance, healthy living, Citizenship, equality and diversity, financial capability, preparation for next stage)
Cycle 1	Talking about social media Giving opinions about other people Making arrangements Describing a recent date Describing a music festival	Phonics- Revisit vowel sounds, silent letters, 'é', 'ai', 'eu', 'u', 'ou' Vocabulary: Time expressions Qualifiers False friends Grammar: Revision and extension of prior learning: Regular present tense verbs (er) Adjective agreement Near future tense Perfect tense New concepts: Direct object pronouns	Phonics and dictation assessed midcycle. End of cycle assessment: Reading, Listening and Writing	Cognates, context and inference when dealing with longer texts Reading for gist and detail Using a bilingual dictionary	responsibility & pride in work. Ask for help if needed. Focus on the tasks. Achievement – Use feedback from assessments and purple pen work to improve next time. Community - Work together & respect different ideas & opinions. Introduce other perspectives through cultural context. Endeavour – Persevere with learning & understanding new concepts. Do not be afraid to try even if you make mistakes. Use Knowledge Organisers to embed the knowledge into their learning.	MFL competitions	Cultural discovery – world music and festivals



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Cycle 2	Parts of the body	Phonics:	Phonics and	Cognatos	Attitude – Take	Cinema experience	Healthy lifestyle
Cycle 2	raits of the body	Liaison	dictation assessed	Cognates, context and	responsibility & pride in	MFL Competition	nealthy mestyle
	Talking about					MFL Competition	
	Talking about	'-ment', 'ait'	midcycle.	inference	work. Ask for help if		
	sport			when	needed. Focus on the		
		Grammar:	End of cycle	dealing with	tasks.		
	Describing a	Revision and extension of prior	assessment:	longer texts			
	healthy lifestyle	learning:	Reading, Listening		Achievement – Use		
			and Writing	Skimming	feedback from		
	Making plans to	Present tense (plural)		and scanning	assessments an purple pen		
	get fit	Il faut + infinitive		texts for	work to improve next		
		Near future tense		familiar	time.		
		Negative expressions		words			
		Using three tenses together			Community - Work		
		Gender of nouns			together & respect		
		Pouvoir, devoir and vouloir (modal			different ideas & opinions.		
		verbs)			Introduce other		
		Question forms			perspectives through		
					cultural context.		
		New concepts:			Endeavour – Persevere		
					with learning &		
		The definite article with 'à'			understanding new		
		Depuis + present tense			concepts. Do not be afraid		
		Simple future tense			to try even if you make		
		Irregular verbs in the simple future			mistakes. Use Knowledge		
		tense			Organisers to embed the		
					knowledge into their		
		Vocabulary:			learning.		
		Body parts					
		Sport and fitness					
		Food					
		Building infinitives bank					
		High frequency words					
		Professions					
		Conversation fillers					
		Essential infinitives					



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Cycle 3	Describing future plans and job opportunities	Phonics: Revisit all SSCs seen so far Grammar:	Phonics and dictation assessed midcycle.	Cognates, context and inference when	Attitude – Take responsibility & pride in work. Ask for help if needed. Focus on the	MFL Competition	Career plans and future prospects
	Saying what you	Revision and extension of prior	End of cycle	dealing with	tasks.		
	used to do when	learning:	assessment:	longer texts			
	you were younger	Simple future tense	Reading, Listening		Achievement – Use		
	Describing what	Using three tenses together	and Writing		feedback from		
	you used to be	Direct object pronouns			assessments an purple pen work to improve next		
	like when you	New concepts:			time.		
	were little	Imperfect tense to describe what					
		you used to do			Community - Work		
	Discussing your	Expressions with avoir			together & respect		
	future and your				different ideas & opinions.		
	past				Introduce other		
	Lawarrana Jaawaina	Vocabulary:			perspectives through		
	Language learning	Revisit jobs and future plans			cultural context.		
	advantages	Life priorities			Endeavour – Persevere		
					with learning &		
					understanding new		
					concepts. Do not be afraid		
					to try even if you make		
					mistakes. Use Knowledge		
					Organisers to embed the		
					knowledge into their		
					learning.		