French

Year 9



Overview

Autumn Term

Spring Term

In Year 9, students consolidate language and structures learnt in Year 7 and 8 and develop their knowledge of increasingly complex grammar structures. We envisage that by the end of Year 9, students are operating as learners with some degree of independence and have acquired an excellent foundation in the French language. We aim to prepare our students to the challenges of the GCSE Language course so they can confidently opt to study French at GCSE level should they wish to do so.

Les fêtes et les traditions: Customs and traditions

Describing a festival

- Learning about a music festival
- Buying food at the market
- Talking about food for a special occasion
- What you will do at a Christmas Market

Les relations personelles: Relationships

- Likes and dislikes
- Learning about Extra-curricular clubs

Assessment

Mid-term
assessment: End of
Module test on
current subtopics
covered.
Skills include:
Listening - Reading
Writing

Describing your friends

- How did you celebrate your birthday?
- What did you and your friends do?

Notre Monde: Our world

- Discussing eating habits
- Talking about animals in the natural world
- Talking about helping the environment
- Talking about how you would change the world

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Ma région et le monde francophone: My region and the French speaking world

- Talking about countries you would like to visit
- Talking about holiday activities
- Preparing a fact file or advert for a French speaking country
- Describing young French speakers
- Talk about future plans
- Describing a trip using past tense time frames

Useful Resources for Supporting Your Child at Home:

Assessment

UL End of Year assessment: Skills include: Listening - Reading Writing

Homework:

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www.pearsonactivelearn.com	Pearson Active Learn
www.wordreference.com	Vocabulary learning – pronunciation practice
www.linguee.com	Reading skill tasks
www.linguascope.com	Writing skill practice
www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize	Revision for mini-tests and mid-terms
www.blooket.com	

Summer Term

www.quizlet.com