

Progression Documents

Languages: French









Curriculum Overview:

Learning for life









We are CONFIDENT COMMUNICATORS who listen and share our ideas confidently. We are RESILIENTRESEARCHERS who don't give up and learn from our mistakes. We are ASPIRATIONAL AMBASSADORS who strive to be the best we can be. We are COLLABORATIVE CITIZENS who work together and respect others.

Intent	Implementation	Impact
Early years Foundation Stage: There is no requirement to tech a Language at EYFS.	In KS2 French is taught as a discreet subject every week to allow time to embed skills in the subject.	Impact is measured through regular learning walks, lesson visits, work scrutiny and pupil voice.
KS1 There is no requirement to teach a Language at ETTS. KS2: In KS2 the language curriculum has been designed to cover all of the skills, knowledge and understanding as set out in the National Curriculum. The National Curriculum states that 'learning a foreign language is a liberation from insularity and provides an opening to other cultures. A high-quality languages education should foster pupils' curiosity and deepen their understanding of the world' To ensure that pupils develop a secure knowledge that they can build on, our modern foreign language curriculum has been mapped out using our Key Concepts. When covering each of these strands, the content will be carefully organised by each year group through our subject overview. Content knowledge, vocabulary and skills will then be planned for at a greater level of detail in the Year group Frameworks. Modern foreign language is delivered through subject specific teaching organised into blocks under a theme. Meaningful links with other subjects are made to strengthen connections and understanding for pupils.	All learning will start by revisiting prior knowledge. This will be scaffolded to support children to recall previous learning and make connections. Staff will model explicitly the subject-specific vocabulary, knowledge and skills relevant to the learning to allow them to integrate new knowledge into larger concepts. Learning will be supported through the use of knowledge organisers that provide children with scaffolding that supports them to retain new facts and vocabulary in their long-term memory. Knowledge organisers are used for pre-teaching, to support home learning and also as a part of daily review.	Work will show that a range of topics are being covered as well as progression across each unit of work in every year group and across year groups. Children will be able to talk about the skills and knowledge they have acquired, through pupil voice, and will be engaged in lessons and want to find out more. Teachers will use Assessment for Learning to ensure all lessons are relevant and will help to plan for next steps. Subject coordinators will be given regular time to ensure resources are kept up to date, to monitor their subject across the school, create action plans and impact reports and to provide subject feedback to SLT as appropriate.

Breadth of study

Breadth of Study EYFS:

Pupils are not required to learn a language at EYFS

Breadth of study Key Stage 1:

Pupils are not required to learn a language at KS1.

Breadth of study Key Stage 2:

Pupils should be taught to:

- Pupils should be taught to:
- Listen attentively to spoken language and show understanding by joining in and responding
- Explore the patterns and sounds of language through songs and rhymes and link the spelling, sound and meaning of words
- Engage in conversations; ask and answer questions; express opinions and respond to those of others; seek clarification and help
- Speak in sentences, using familiar vocabulary, phrases and basic language structures
- Develop accurate pronunciation and intonation so that others understand when they are reading aloud or using familiar words and phrases*
- Present ideas and information orally to a range of audiences
- Read carefully and show understanding of words, phrases and simple writing
- Appreciate stories, songs, poems and rhymes in the language
- Broaden their vocabulary and develop their ability to understand new words that are introduced into familiar written material, including through using a dictionary
- Write phrases from memory, and adapt these to create new sentences, to express ideas clearly
- Describe people, places, things and actions orally* and in writing
- understand basic grammar appropriate to the language being studied, including (where relevant): feminine, masculine and neuter forms and the conjugation of high-frequency verbs; key features and patterns of the language; how to apply these, for instance, to build sentences; and how these differ from or are similar to English.

KeyConcepts						
Listening	Speaking	Reading	Writing	Grammar		
Pupils will know how to listen for cognates and key words to infer meaning. They will also use social cues such as facial expression to support understanding of what is said.	This concept involves using key vocabulary and phrases to verbally communicate ideas	This concept involves recognising key vocabulary and phrases.	This concept involves using key vocabulary and phrases to write ideas using basic key verbs and pronouns.	This concept involves arranging words to make proper sentences. Word level grammar covers verbs and tenses, nouns, adverbs etc. Sentence level grammar covers phrases, clauses, reported speech etc.		

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Listening			Listen to and enjoy short stories, nursery rhymes & songs. Recognise familiar words and short phrases covered in the units taught.	Learn to listen to longer passages and understand more of what we hear by picking out key words and phrases covered in current and previous units.	Listen more attentively and for longer. Understand more of what we hear even when some of the language may be unfamiliar by using the decoding skills we have developed.	Listen to longer text and more authentic foreign language material. Learn to pick out cognates and familiar words and learn to 'gist listen' even when hearing language that has not been taught or covered.
Speaking			Communicate with others using simple words and short phrases covered in the units.	Communicate with others with improved confidence and accuracy. Learn to ask and answer questions based on the language covered in the units and incorporate a negative reply if and when required.	Communicate on a wider range of topics and themes. Remember and recall a range of vocabulary with increased knowledge, confidence and spontaneity.	Learn to recall previously learnt language and recycle / incorporate it with new language with increased speed and spontaneity. Engage in short conversations on familiar topics, responding with opinions and justifications where appropriate.
Reading			Read familiar words and short phrases accurately. Understand the meaning in English of short words they read in the foreign language.	Read aloud short pieces of text applying knowledge learnt. Understand most of what we read in the foreign language when it is based on familiar language.	Understand longer passages in the foreign language and start to decode meaning of unknown words using cognates and context. Increase their knowledge of phonemes and letter strings.	Be able to tackle unknown language with increased accuracy by applying knowledge learnt including awareness of accents, silent letters etc. Decode unknown language using bilingual dictionaries.
Writing			Write familiar words & short phrases using a model or vocabulary list. EG: 'I play the piano'. 'I like apples'.	Write some short phrases based on familiar topics and begin to use connectives/conjunctions and the negative form where appropriate. EG: My name, where I live and my age.	Write a paragraph using familiar language incorporating connectives/conjunctions, a negative response and adjectival agreement where required. Learn to manipulate the language and be able to substitute words for suitable alternatives. EG: My name, my age, where I live, a pet I have, a pet I don't have and my pet's name.	Write a piece of text using language from a variety of units covered and learn to adapt any models provided to show solid understanding of any grammar covered. Also start to incorporate conjugated verbs and learn to be comfortable using connectives/conjunctions, adjectives and possessive adjectives. EG: A presentation or description of a typical school day including subjects, time and opinions
Grammar			Start to understand the concept of noun gender and the use of articles. Use the first person singular version of high frequency verbs. EG: 'I like' I play' I am called'	Better understand the concept of gender and which articles to use for meaning (EG: 'the', 'a' or 'some'). Introduce simple adjectival agreement (EG: adjectival agreement when describing nationality), the negative form and possessive adjectives. EG: 'In my pencil case! have' or 'In my pencil case! do not have'	Revision of gender and nouns and learn to use and recognise the terminology of articles (EG: definite, indefinite and partitive). Understand better the rules of adjectival agreement and possessive adjectives. Start to explore full verb conjugation (EG: 'I wear', 'he/she wears' and also be able to describe clothes in terms of colour EG: 'My blue coat'.	Consolidate our understanding of gender and nouns, use of the negative, adjectival agreement and possessive adjectives (EG: which subjects I like at school and also which subjects I do not like). Become familiar with a wider range of connectives/conjunctions and more confident with full verb conjugation - both regular and irregular. EG: 'to go', 'to do', 'to have' and 'to be'.

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	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 3	Phonetics and	J'Apprends Le Français	Les Fruits (The Fruit)	Les Animaux (Animals)	Je Peux (I Can)	Petit Chaperon Rogue
	Pronunciation	(I'm Learning French)	(Early Language Teaching)	(Early Language Teaching)	(Early Language Teaching)	(Little Red Riding Hood)
	(Core Vocabulary)	(Early Language Teaching)				(Early Language Teaching)
Year 4	Je Me Présente	La Familie	En Classe	As-tu un Animal	Au Café	Boucle d'Or et Les Trois
	(Presenting Myself)	(Family)	(The Classroom)	(Do You Have A Pet?)	(At The Café)	Ours
	(Intermediate Language	(Intermediate Language	(Intermediate Language	(Intermediate Language	(Intermediate Language	(Goldilocks)
	Teaching)	Teaching)	Teaching)	Teaching)	Teaching)	(Intermediate Language
						Teaching)
Year 5	La Date (New)	Chez Moi	Quel Temps Fait-II?	Les Habitats	Les Vêtements	Les Romains
	(The Date)	(My Home)	(The Weather)	(Habitats)	(Clothes)	(The Romans)
	(Intermediate Language	(Intermediate Language	(Intermediate Language	(Intermediate Language	(Intermediate Language	(Intermediate Language
	Teaching)	Teaching)	Teaching)	Teaching)	Teaching)	Teaching)
Year 6	Moi Dans le Monde	La L'Ecole	Le Week-end	La Seconde Guerre	Manger Et Bouger	Les Planètes
	(Me in the World)	(At School)	(The Weekend)	Mondiale	(Healthy Lifestyles)	(The Planets)
	(Progressive Language	(Progressive Language	(Progressive Language	(World War II)	(Progressive Language	(Progressive Language
	Teaching)	Teaching)	Teaching)	(Progressive Language	Teaching)	Teaching)
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