

FRENCH

INTENT - Our curriculum enables children to express their ideas and thoughts in French and provides opportunities to interact and communicate with others both in speech and in writing whilst giving children an introduction to the culture of French-speaking countries and communities. In LKS2, children acquire basic skills and understanding of French with a strong emphasis placed on developing their Speaking and Listening skills. These are embedded and further developed in UKS2, alongside Reading and Writing, gradually progressing onto more complex language concepts. Our aim is to help children grow into curious and confident language learners and to provide them with a foundation that will equip them for further language studies. Our core values in French are compassion, friendship, and respect.

IMPLEMENTATION – The [Kapow French](#) scheme of work will form the core MfL curriculum. Lessons and resources help children to build on prior knowledge alongside the introduction of new skills. Revision of previous learning is built into each lesson, as well as the introduction of new vocabulary and grammatical structures.

IMPACT - Children will be able to speak, read and write about a variety of topics in French and engage in conversations. They will become enthusiastic and inquisitive about languages. We hope that French is loved by pupils across school, therefore encouraging them to embark on further language studies.

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer2
Early Years, Year 1 & Year 2	Children prepare for studying MFL through speaking and listening activities. They acquire the ability to read and write, following simple grammatical structures in English before applying these skills to MFL. Children develop an understanding of the wider world, learning about other countries and cultures.					
Year 3	3. French greetings 1. French greetings 2. Greetings day & night 3. How are you feeling – in French? 4. French finger rhymes 5. Assessment	3. French adjectives, colours, size and shape 1. Colours in French 2. Shapes & colours in French 3. Shapes in different colours & sizes in French 4. Using shapes like the French Artist, Matisse 5. In the style of the French artist, Matisse 6. Assessment	3. Playground games 1. Let’s count in French 2. Let’s count higher in French 3. How old are you in French? 4. Reading French numbers 5. Outdoor games in French 6. Assessment	3. In a French classroom 1. Follow the French teacher 2. Pencils and things in the French classroom 3. To have or have not in French classroom 4. School bag French detectives 5. In my French bag 6. Assessment	3. French transport 1. French transport language detectives 2. How shall we travel in France? 3. On the road in France 4. Travel the French speaking world 5. Journey to a French school 6. Assessment	3. A circle of life 1. French animal nouns and sounds 2. French habitats 3. Life cycle French detectives 4. French food chains 5. French food chain flips 6. Assessment
Year 4	4. Portraits 1. Portraits – getting French adjectives to agree 2. Simple descriptions in French 3. Describing people in French 4. Describing personality traits in French 5. Writing portraits of friends in French 6. Assessment	4. Clothes – getting dressed 1. Clothes in French 2. Clothes and colours in French 3. Where do adjectives go in French? 4. A French clothes catalogue 5. What is our French model wearing? 6. Assessment	4. French numbers, calendars and birthdays 1. Learning numbers 1-31 in French 2. Days of the week in French 3. Months of the year in French 4. Seasons and dates in French 5. Celebrating a French birthday 6. Assessment	4. French weather and the water cycle 1. French weather phrases 2. French weather rap 3. Compass points in French 4. The temperature in French 5. The Water Cycle in French 6. Assessment	4. French food 1. Ordering food and drink in a French café 2. Managing money in French 3. French shops 4. French food 5. French food – le menu 6. Assessment	4. The Eurovision Song Contest 1. Musical instruments in French 2. Musical genres in French 3. France and the countries of Europe 4. Writing songs and rehearsals in French 5. French singing contest and grand finale 6. Assessment
Year 5/6 Cycle A	6. French sport and the Olympics 1. Sports in French 2. Olympian opinions 3. France – Ready to Go! 4. A French sporting week 5. The French Olympic Week Assessment	6. French football champions 1. Football vocabulary in French 2. Footballer profiles in French 3. French Footballers – where do they come from? 4. French football vocabulary tournament 5. Creating a footballer profile in French	6. In my French house 1. My French house 2. My French house and family 3. Describing my French room 4. Where is it in my French bedroom? 5. A letter about my French house Assessment	6. Planning a French holiday 1. To go to France and other countries 2. The near future in French 3. Holiday clothes 4. Holiday story 5. Planning my French holiday Assessment	6. Visiting a town in France 1. French directions to school 2. Directions to places in a French town 3. Transport in a French town 4. Sightseeing in a French town 5. French tourism Assessment	6. Recap 1. Recap – French Sport 2. Recap – French football 3. Recap – In my house 4. Recap – French holidays Recap – French towns
Year 5/6 Cycle B	5. French monster pets 1. Beware the dragon 2. Body parts in French 3. A French monster mash up 4. About a beast with French adjectives 5. Fantastic French beast 6. Assessment	5. Space exploration 1. The Solar System in French 2. French Sun and Moon metaphors 3. Comparing planets in French 4. A galaxy guide in French 5. French alien words 6. Assessment	5. Shopping in France 1. French money, numbers and prices 2. French Fruit Market 3. Monsieur Mangetout’s French Food Week 4. Shopping in French – How much? 5. French detetctives in the kitchen 6. Assessment	5. French speaking world 1. Directions in French 2. Where in the world is French spoken? 3. Treasures of the French - speaking world 4. Investigating climate in a French speaking world 5. French globetrotters 6. Assessment	5. Verbs in a French week 1. French action! 2. Who is doing what in French 3. French verbs in a spin 4. French irregulars – to have and to be 5. A French week 6. Assessment	5. Meet my French family 1. My French brother and sisters 2. A French family tree 3. Describing my French family 4. What my French family likes 5. My extraordinary French family 6. Assessment