



French Curriculum

The Aims of our French Course are for students to.

- understand and respond to spoken and written language from a variety of authentic sources
- speak with increasing confidence, fluency and spontaneity, finding ways of communicating what they want to say, including through discussion and asking questions, and continually improving the accuracy of their pronunciation and intonation
- can write at varying length, for different purposes and audiences, using the variety of grammatical structures that they have learnt
- discover and develop an appreciation of a range of writing in the language studied.

During the course the students will also study

Grammar and vocabulary

- identify and use tenses or other structures which convey the present, past, and future as appropriate to the language being studied
- use and manipulate a variety of key grammatical structures and patterns, including voices and moods, as appropriate
- develop and use a wide-ranging and deepening vocabulary that goes beyond their immediate needs and interests, allowing them to give and justify opinions and take part in discussion about wider issues
- use accurate grammar, spelling and punctuation.

The first term of our course is an introduction to the language – during each lesson students will learn how to pronounce words and receive an introduction to grammar.

Week	Topic	Content
1	Introduction to French, Introducing Yourself – Introductions and greetings	How do you do, how are you, what is your name, how old are you
2	What is your name	What is your name
3	Numbers	Counting in French
4	Colours	Colours of the rainbow
5	Months of the Year	Months of the Year
6	My family	My family – Mother, Father, Sister, Brother
7	Animals	Cat, Dog
8	Clothes	Clothes
9	Food and Drink	Basic food and drink
10	What do you like doing	Hobbies