MFL (French) Framework Overview



Overview

This progression map shows the topics taught to pupils from Year 3 to Year 6. French is mapped across each term and concepts revisited incorporating a spiral approach through retrieval this is to ensure we broaden and deepen pupils' knowledge of the French language and they have the chance to use and apply new knowledge through the four language areas: reading, writing, speaking and listening.

Term	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Year 3	Listening to traditional French songs		
		Colours	An opportunity to practise skills
	French culture		learned during Year 3 within the
		Introduction to the French alphabet	following topics:
	Greetings		My family
		Food: buying fruit at the market	
	Introducing Classroom Instructions		Farm animals
		Reading: Le Chenille Qui Fait des	
	Numbers 0-31	Trous (The Very Hungry Caterpillar -	Bastille Day celebrations
		Eric Carle)	
	Birthdays		

	How do they celebrate Christmas in		
	France?		
Year 4	Review of classroom instructions	Numbers (review Y3) and extend 31-	
		50	
	School:		Sports and hobbies
	What is in my classroom?	Review colours	
			An opportunity to practise skills
	What do I eat?	Animals: pets	learned during Year 4 within the
		Reading – Traditional Tale: Little Red	following topic:
	What subjects do I learn about?	Riding Hood (Le Petit Chaperon Rouge)	My house
	How do they celebrate Christmas in Switzerland?		Bastille Day celebrations
Year 5	TI D		- 1 11
	The Date in French	Numbers (review Y3 and 4) and	Travel around the world:
	- 1	extend 50-60	Countries
	The weather and seasons	Telling the time	Cities
			People's nationalities
	Clothing	Shopping in the supermarket	
			Where do they speak French around
	Maths in French	Reading: Boucle d'or et les trois ours (Goldilocks and the Three Bears)	the world?

	How do they celebrate Christmas in		Money in France
	Canada?		
			Bastille Day celebrations
Year 6			
	Review of learning from Key Stage 2	Review of telling the time	An opportunity to practise skills
			learned during Key Stage 2 within
	Emotions	An opportunity to practise skills	the following topics:
		learned during Key Stage 2 within	
	Describing my own and others'	the following topic:	Body parts
	personalities		
		Describing my daily routine	Going to the doctors
	Numbers (review Y3 and 4) and		
	extend 60-100	Physical description of myself and	Writing a letter to my new secondary
		others	school
	Calculating in French		
			Travelling around my local area and
	How do they celebrate Christmas in		giving directions
	Belgium?		Bastille Day celebrations