Subject: French

Year 11



Verview

Autumn Term

By June of Year 11 students will complete their 2-year GCSE course. They will prepare for and sit four exams: Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing. Each examination is worth 25% of the final grade. Students begin the year with the holiday topic which is a familiar topic from KS3. They will then move onto school, employment, environmental and social issues topics which are relatively unfamiliar. Students finish the year by revisiting all topics via in-class and intervention revision sessions. Remaining time is structured to ensure that all language is revisited and that the skills required to master a minimum of three time frames are covered. The ability to express opinions and justifications confidently are completely embedded; as well as revising the numerous complex structures necessary to attain the top grades at GCSE.

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Le Grand Large – Holidays

- Talking what you normally do on holiday
- Talking about an ideal holiday
- Booking and reviewing hotels
- Ordering in a restaurant
- Talking about holiday disasters

Au college- At school

- Talking about school
- Comparing school in the UK and French-speaking countries
- Discussing school rules
- Discussing healthy living

Assessment

Mid-term assessment

Skills include:

Listening Reading

Writing

November trial exam

GCSE paper all 4 skills

Spring Term

Discussing vices

Bon Travail! - Good job!

- Discussing career choices
- Talking about plans, hopes and wishes

Un oeil sur le monde - The world around us

- Discussing problems facing the world
- Talking about protecting the environment
- Discussing ethical shopping
- Talking about volunteering

Assessment

Mid-term assessment

Skills include:

Listening

Reading

Writing

November trial exam

GCSE paper all 4 skills

Summer Term

- Revision of all Themes
- Skills and complexity of language practice
- Individual speaking practice
- Past paper question practice

Assessment

AQA GCSE Ext. exam

May - Speaking exam May/June - Listening Reading Writing

Useful Resources for Supporting Your Child at Home:

www.pearsonactivelearn.com

www.senecalearning.com

www.gcsepod.com

www.wordreference.com

www.linguee.com

www.linguascope.com

www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize

www.quizlet.com www.blooket.com

Homework:

■ Vocabulary learning – pronunciation practice

- Activelearn online listening and reading tasks
- General conversation question preparation
- Writing skill practice
- Grammatical skills practice
- Revision for mini-tests, mid-terms and trial GCSE examinations