

French Curriculum Guide

Year 8

Autumn Taught Content

- Tu es branche(e) ? (Are you connected?), television, books, film and internet
- Vocabulary of the topic, opinions, likes/dislikes extended from last year, question forming and asking
- Writing and speaking development, connectives, intensifiers, and opinion markers
- Listening and reading development
- Paris, je t'aime!- Topic based around Paris.
- Perfect tense introduction, avoir and etre verbs
- Research on imaginary holiday to Paris.

Spring Taught Content

Les Choristes -film study (work is based around the film)

- World War 2 looked at in relation to the film
- Practice of infinitives
- Futur proche (near future)
- Predict the future of a character using futur proche
- Mon identité (who I am.)
- Revision and development of adjectives
- Description
- Revision and development of reflexive verbs

Summer Taught Content

- Ma région et ma ville area and town
- Vocabulary on town, house, area
- Comparatives
- Present tense revision
- Cookery vocabulary
- Quel talent ! (talents and culture)
- Modal verbs
- Reading, listening and speaking activities

Assessment

There are 3 formal assessments throughout the year. One every term. There are also mini informal assessments (vocabulary tests, grammar tests etc.) in order to assess progress and inform us for reports.

Homework Expectations

Homework will normally consist of learning homework for the tests, finishing classwork. There will also be at least one written homework per half term.