

Topic: Les Portraits

National Curriculum Link:

Speaking and listening, Reading, Writing and Grammar

Prior Learning:

Previous units (see long term plan)

Key Essential Skills and knowledge:

Speaking and Listening

Year 5 –

I can listen and give a response to sentences containing unfamiliar words.

I can hold a simple conversation with at least 4 exchanges and give opinions.

I can use familiar vocabulary and phrases.

I am developing the correct pronunciation and intonation so that others understand my speech.

I can present ideas and information orally to a range of audiences.

Year 6 –

I can listen and give a response to longer sentences or texts.

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I can use familiar vocabulary, phrases and basic language structures.

I can pronounce accurately and use the correct intonation when speaking.

I can confidently present ideas and information orally to a range of audiences

Reading

Year 5 –

I can present ideas and information orally to a range of audiences.

I can follow the text of a story, rhyme or story and read.

I can use a French dictionary to find meanings and use text type and visual clues to understand a range of texts.

Year 6 –

I can read and begin to understand a range of texts.

I can understand the gist of an unfamiliar text.

I can use a bilingual dictionary to assist understanding and check spelling and use decoding techniques to understand unfamiliar texts.

Writing (and Grammar)

Year 5 –

I can write sentences from memory and can translate a few basic sentences.

I can write a paragraph on a topic to describe people, places, things or actions.

I can recognise that gender impacts sentences.

I can conjugate high frequency verbs.

Year 6 –

I can write sentences from memory with understandable accuracy.

I can write and translate longer paragraphs on a topic to describe people, places, things or actions.

I can recognise key grammatical features.

I can apply key features and patterns of the language to build sentences and recognise how these differ from or are similar to English.

Sticky Knowledge:

Conversation - To use adjectives to describe how people look.

Reading – to read and understand descriptions about other people.

Writing – to use the correct grammar to write about themselves and describe other people.

To be able to pronounce correctly the ordinal numbers up to 100.

Topic Vocabulary:

Year 5 – body features, use of verbs *etre avoir*..... for description

Year 6 – body features, *Il/elle porte*...., *Est-ce que*...., compound sentences

Sequence:

- Review of body parts and colours
- How many distinguishing features can I name?
- Guess who game?
- What adjectives can I use to describe my features (dictionary)?
- Can I guess who the famous French person is?

Thinking Deeper:

How are the names of distinguishing features similar/different in English?

Possible books/resources:

- Singing French
- Les Monstre

Links:

Subject Specific links - English, Science, History, Art

Personal Development – being aware of the French culture and language.

SMSC – to be inclusive of other countries.

Cultural Capital – the geographical position of France and its capital.

Careers – same jobs in France as Britain.

British Values – similarities and differences between French and British values.

Enrichment – historical portraits

Equality – Why do we need to learn another language?

Independence – Speaking another language can widen opportunities in the future.

Community – who else speaks another language in my locality/family.

Outdoor learning – French playground games.