



Striving For Excellence Together

Year 8 French Curriculum Map

Key Concepts: (Threshold Concepts) <i>State the big ideas or skills that students will revisit throughout the curriculum</i>	To succeed in Year 8, I need to understand the main points from complex texts and produce sentences with opinions and justifications in more than one time frame.
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8	Topics	Assessment	Key Concepts	Key Vocabulary	Our Pillars	Knowledge tracking
	The key topics taught in this term. (Change term to topic if appropriate)	Give the name, nature/content and date of the assessment in this term.	Where are the key areas of this subject visited and revisited?	List the Tier 3 words that will be encountered.	Does this unit address any of our 4 pillars?	What prior learning does this term's curriculum build on and what future learning does it link to?
Term 1	Holidays	End of Unit Knowledge Check Knowledge based assessment testing listening, sound-spelling correspondences, vocabulary and translation into and from target language.	Describing where I went on holiday	Past tense Imperfect tense Nationality	Life beyond SWR Literacy Oracy	Year 7 French – key phrases and vocabulary
Term 2	Food and Drink	End of Unit Knowledge Check Knowledge based assessment testing listening, sound-spelling correspondences, vocabulary and translation into and from target language.	Describing and buying food and drink. Christmas in France.	Negation Articles Conjugation Conditional Currency	Life beyond SWR Literacy Oracy	Year 7 French, Year 8 Unit 1
Term 3	Clothes	End of Unit Knowledge Check Knowledge based assessment testing listening, sound-spelling correspondences, vocabulary and translation into and from target language.	Describing clothes and using past and future tense in context	Negation Conjugation Adjective agreement Perfect and imperfect	Life beyond SWR Literacy Oracy	Year 7 French, Year 8 Unit 1 and Unit 2
Term 4	Interests	Reading, Listening, Writing Summative Assessment	Describing interests	Future tense genre	Life beyond SWR Literacy Oracy	Year 7 French, Year 8 Unit 1, Unit 2, and Unit 3



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Term 5	Body and Illness	End of Unit Knowledge Check Knowledge based assessment testing listening, sound-spelling correspondences, vocabulary and translation into and from target language.	Describing body parts and illnesses	Reflexive verbs	Life beyond SWR Literacy Oracy	Year 7 French, Year 8 Unit 1, Unit 2, Unit 3, and Unit 4
Term 6	Step Out – Les Choristes (School)	Speaking Role-Play and Read Aloud	Describing a film and a school day in the past tense	Listening in context	Life beyond SWR Life after SWR Literacy Oracy	Year 7 French – Unit 4, Year 8 French Unit 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5