

Curriculum map - French

YEAR 8	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
TOPIC(s)	Saying what we do	Saying how many there are, numbers	Saying where people go (places)	Asking questions	Expressing future intentions	Talking about jobs Talking about how people celebrate



What students will know

GRAMMAR

- -Consolidation and extension of vocabulary relevant to the given contexts.
- -Developing a verb lexicon
- -(-ER regular verbs)
 -Deepening
- vocabulary knowledge through work with a challenging text.

VOCABULARY

- -Using FAIRE to mean 'go'
- -ER verbs (used with simple present and present continuous meaning)
- -(1st, 2nd, 3rd persons singular, 1st and 3rd persons plural)
- -Preposition à with certain verbs meaning at /to
- -Intonation questions -Two-verb structures with *aimer*

PHONICS

- -SSC 'ai' and 'oi'
- -SSC 'ch', 'ç' (and soft 'c')
- -SSC 'qu', 'j' (and soft 'g')
- -SSC '-tion', '-ien'
- -Revisit Silent Final Consonant (SFC)
- -Revisit 'a'
- -Revisit 'i'

GRAMMAR

- -Revisiting essential verbs in new contexts (ÊTRE, AVOIR, FAIRE)
- -Plural nouns and adjectives

VOCABULARY

- -II v a
- -Plural indefinite article 'des'
- -Plural adjective agreement
- -Essential verbs (1st, 2nd, 3rd persons plural)
- -To be, being ÊTRE
- -To have, having AVOIR
- -To do, doing FAIRE -possessive adjectives (mon, ma, mes, ton, ta, tes

PHONICS

- -Revisit 'eu'
- -Revisit 'e'
- -Revisit 'au', 'eau', 'o'
- -Revisit 'u'
- -Revisit Liaison (t- and s-)

GRAMMAR

- -Revisiting essential verbs in new contexts (ALLER)
- -Question words
- -Developing the verb lexicon (-ER verbs)
- -Deepening vocabulary and grammar knowledge through work with a challenging text.

VOCABULARY

- -Essential verbs (1st, 2nd, 3rd persons singular)
- -To go, going ALLER à – (au / à la / à l' / aux) meaning 'to'
- -Intonation questions with question words -Essential verbs (1st.
- 2nd, 3rd persons plural)
- -To go, going ALLER à meaning 'to' and 'in' with towns and cities
- -en meaning 'to' and 'in' with countries (f)
- -chez
- -Present tense (-ER verbs)

PHONICS

- -Revisit 'ou'
- -Revisit SFE (Silent Final 'e')
- -Revisit 'é (-er, -ez)
- -Revisit 'en' / 'an', 'on'
- -Revisit 'on'

GRAMMAR

- -Revisiting essential verbs in new contexts (ALLER)
- -Question words

VOCABULARY

- -Subject-verb inversion questions (single and two-verb structures) -Subject-verb inversion questions with question words (single-verb structures)
- -ne...pas negation with single-verb structures -ne...pas de negation with nouns
- -Adjectives in front of the noun
- -Essential irregular –RE/-IR verbs (1st, 2nd, 3rd persons singular) PRENDRE, APPRENDRE, DIRE, SORTIR, VENIR, DORMIR

PHONICS

- -Revisit -ain/-in
- -Revisit SSC è/ê
- -Revisit SSC 'ai'
- -Revisit SSC 'oi' -Revisit SSC 'ch'
- Povisit SSC 'c'
- -Revisit SSC 'ç' (and soft 'c')

GRAMMAR

- -Developing a verb lexicon
- -Developing the use of modal verbs, including with negation
- -Deepening vocabulary and grammar knowledge through work with a challenging text.
- -Semantic complexities addressed through deliberate practice (savoir vs pouvoir)

VOCABULARY

- -ALLER + infinitive (future intention)
- -Modal verbs VOULOIR, POUVOIR and DEVOIR -Modal verbs in the negative
- -Subject-verb inversion questions with question words (two-verb structures)
- -To know (how to) -SAVOIR + infinitive -Essential irregular –RE/-
- IR verbs (1st, 2nd, 3rd persons singular) PARTIR

PHONICS

- -Revisit SSC 'qu'
- -Revisit SSC 'j'
- -Revisit SSC '-tion'
- -Revisit SSC '-ien"
- -Revisit Silent Final Consonant (SFC)
- -Revisit 'a'

GRAMMAR

- -il(s)/elle(s) meaning
 'it'/'they'
- -intonation (SV), inversion (VS) and estce gue guestions (single-
- verb structures)
 -article use with être +
- profession -feminine adjective
- agreement rules -x → se
- -feminine noun formation rule -eur → -rice -construction rule for
- numbers 13-31 -question word + est-ce que
- -pronoun 'on' with impersonal meaning 'people, you, one' -construction rule for
- dates
 -possessive adjectives
 (son, sa, ses, notre, nos)

VOCABULARY

-We focus explicitly on some common word patterns between French and English. The words are high-frequency and often cognates or semicognates with English. We also develop learners' knowledge of word families (i.e., parts of speech connected by

a common, semantically-

-Essential verbs are revisited in new contexts (ÊTRE, AVOIR)

related stem).

-Number construction 13-31

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						PHONICS -SSC knowledge is further developed by activities focused on two or more SSC. In some weeks, several SSC are revisitedstress syllabification liaison (-t, -s, -x, -on) h -em/am -aim/ain -om -um/un
What students will be able to do	Saying what people do Saying what we do Saying what others do (they) Saying 'you' (singular and plural	Saying how many there are, numbers Describing people (family) Saying what people have Saying what people do (sports)	Saying where people go (places) Saying where people go (countries) Asking questions Using question words Talking about yourself, to and about someone else	Asking questions Using question words Saying people do not do something Describing things and people	Asking questions Expressing future intentions Saying what you want to, can and must do Saying what you don't want to, can't and don't have to do Saying what you know how to do	Asking how to say and write new words in French Distinguishing between being and having Talking about jobs Talking about what, when, where and why you celebrate Talking about how people celebrate What happens and doesn't happen
Assessment						
	Progress tests	NCELP Assessment	NCELP Assessment	Progress tests	NCELP Assessment	Progress tests

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Beyond the classroom (Wider reading / Trips)	Quizlet online vocabulary learning & games Languagenut online vocabulary learning & games Languagenut Listening, Reading, Writing & Speaking assigned and independent challenge tasks	Quizlet online vocabulary learning & games Languagenut online vocabulary learning & games Languagenut Listening, Reading, Writing & Speaking assigned and independent challenge tasks	Quizlet online vocabulary learning & games Languagenut online vocabulary learning & games Languagenut Listening, Reading, Writing & Speaking assigned and independent challenge tasks	Quizlet online vocabulary learning & games Languagenut online vocabulary learning & games Languagenut Listening, Reading, Writing & Speaking assigned and independent challenge tasks	Quizlet online vocabulary learning & games Languagenut online vocabulary learning & games Languagenut Listening, Reading, Writing & Speaking assigned and independent challenge tasks	Quizlet online vocabulary learning & games Languagenut online vocabulary learning & games Languagenut Listening, Reading, Writing & Speaking assigned and independent challenge tasks Y8 France trip 14 th –17 th July 2024