## MFL Vision Statement:

The MFL department at WCA believes that the curriculum content should equip students with the language skills to understand and communicate effectively in the target language.
We are committed to preparing our students to become respectful and responsible global citizens in a multilingual, multicultural and inter-dependent world.
Our department provision offers students opportunities to increase their cultural capital and encourages them to be ready to learn by opening their minds to the target language countries and their cultures.
We endeavour to foster resilience in our learners in order for them to build confidence to use their language skills independently as they progress through their learning journey



| 23 |  | The Y8 French curriculum follows a narrative where students 'emigrate' to Toulouse in the south of France. |  |  |
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| MFL <br> French | Curriculum <br> Content inc Knowledge, Skills \& Cultural Capital | On déménage <br> Following on from their 'exchange trip' to Boulogne sur Mer, students and their families are now moving to Toulouse in France. <br> During this unit of work, they will learn language to be able to understand; what different regions in France have to offer. To understand descriptions about Toulouse and how to get around the city. To be able to choose a place to live with their family and subsequently arrange trips out and about in their new hometown. Students will consolidate their learning by writing home to their friends to talk about what they have done. <br> The core questions covered are: <br> 1. My town Toulouse <br> 2. Getting around Toulouse <br> 3. French houses <br> 4. Day trip to Cité de L'Espace <br> 5. Writing about my experiences | On vit <br> Following on from their 'exchange trip' to Boulogne sur Mer, students and their families are now moving to Toulouse in France. <br> During this unit of work, students will be attending a French school near to their new home. They will understand how schools in France and England differ and give their opinion on the different education systems. <br> The core questions covered are: <br> 1. French schools <br> 2. What I wear to school <br> 3. A typical school day <br> 4. What school was like in England | On s'amuse <br> During this unit of work, students will have settled into their new life and will have made new friends. They will now develop the language to be able to spontaneously converse with their new friends and talk about what they like to do and make plans depending on different circumstances including weather and locations. <br> To bring the narrative to life students will also participate in CLIL (Content and Language Integrated Learning) lessons to mimic attending school in Toulouse. <br> The core questions covered are: <br> 1. French children's leisure <br> 2. Weather (in different regions) <br> 3. Making plans <br> 4. CLIL lesson - Film or book review <br> 5. CLIL lessons <br> Henri Rousseau (Art) <br> Making crepes (Food Technology) <br> Water cycle (Science) <br> La Fête des Lumières (French Culture) <br> Olympic Games (PE) |
| 2 lessons per week | Assessment | Knowledge of "Universals" is assessed throughout the year in the form of low stakes tests. <br> There is a Significant Marked Piece marked every half term and a ATLP Common Assessment every term. <br> A pupil's performance across all four skills throughout the year is taken into account when determining their overall performance in the language. |  |  |
|  | Literacy Links | - Verb + infinitive <br> - Cognates <br> - Comparatives and superlatives <br> - Negatives <br> - Il y a/ il n'y a pas de <br> - Avoir/ être <br> - Modal verbs <br> - Connectives <br> - Idiomatic phrases <br> - Impersonal structures <br> - Phonics <br> - Tenses: Present, near future, perfect | - Infinitives and infinitive structures <br> - Avoir / être <br> - Modal verbs <br> - Negatives <br> - Comparatives \& superlatives <br> - Use of 'on' <br> - Opinions <br> - Numbers 1-60 <br> - Phonics <br> - Tenses: Present, near future, imperfect, conditional | - Possessive adjectives <br> - Prepositions <br> - Pronouns <br> - Quantifiers \& intensifiers <br> - Question words <br> - Weather verbs <br> - $2^{\text {nd }}$ verb infinitive <br> - Quand phrases <br> - Si clauses <br> - Imperatives <br> - Tenses: Present, perfect, imperfect, (near) future, conditional |
|  | Curriculum Links | Geography: France \& Toulouse | Maths: Time | Art: Henri Rousseau \& Naïve Art Technology: French food Science: water cycle PE: Olympic Games |
|  | Outside of the Curriculum | All students have the opportunity to participate in the Routes into Languages Translation Bee |  |  |
|  | How can I support my child? | 2. Online learning: <br> www.duolingo.com Free login. <br> www.linguascope.com Ask your teacher for login information. <br> 3. Visit the following Oak Academy links for home learning. <br> https://www.languagesonline.org.uk/Hotpotatoes/frenchindex.html\#First https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zgdqxnb |  |  |
|  |  | 1. My new town Toulouse <br> Year 9 French Unit 1 Lesson 2 Part 2 <br> https:// ...describe-a-person-or-a-thing-part-22 | 1.French schools <br> Year 9 French Unit 1 Lesson 9 Part 1 <br> https:// ...say-what-people-do-part-12 | 1. French children's leisure <br> Year 9 French Unit 4 Lesson 7 Part 1 <br> https:// ...say-what-people-do-in-general-part-12 |

## Year 9 French Unit 3 Lesson 9 Part 1

 Yeas:// ...describe-people-and-things-part-12 Year 9 French Unit 3 Lesson 10 Part 2 https:// ...describe-people-and-things-part-22 Year 9 French Unit 4 Lesson 3 Part 1https:// ...say-what-you-want-to-and-what-you-must-do-part-12

## 2. Getting around Toulouse

Year 9 French Unit 3 Lesson 11 Part 1
https:// ...express-future-intentions-part-12
Year 9 French Unit 3 Lesson 12 Part 2
https:// ...express-future-intentions-part-22

## 3. French houses

Year 9 French Unit 3 Lesson2 Part 2 https:// ...say-where-people-are-going-part-22 ear 9 French Unit 3 Lesson 8 Part 2
https:// ...say-people-do-not-do-something-part-22 Year 9 French Unit 2 Lesson 11 Part 1
https:// ...talk-about-important-things-to-me-part-12

## . Day trip to Cité de L'Espace

Year 9 French Unit 4 Lesson 3 Part 1
https:// ...say-what-you-want-to-and-what-you-must-do-part-12

## 5.Writing about my experiences

Year 9 French Unit 6 Perfect tense lessons
Lessons 7-10, Lessons 13-14
https:// ...talk-about-what-has-happened-at-a-specific-time-vs--general-part-12
ttps:// ...talk-about-what-has-happened-at-a-specific-time-vs--general-part-22
https:// ...ask-about-what-others-have-done-at-a-specific-time-s-in-general-part-12
https:// ...ask-about-what-others-have-done-at-a-specific-time-s-in-general-part-22
ttps:// ...talk-about-where-you-went-part-1
https:// ...talk-about-where-you-went-part-22

Year 9 French Unit 1 Lesson 10 Part 2 https:// ...say-what-people-do-er-verbs-part-22
2. What I wear to school

Year 9 French Unit 1 Lesson 11
https:// ...say-what-people-do-part-12-c8rk8d

## 3. A typical school day

Year 9 French Unit 1 Lesson 3 Part 1 https:// ...say-what-people-have-part-12 Year 9 French Unit 1 Lesson 4 Part 2 https:// ...say-what-people-have-part-22 Year 9 French Unit 1 Lesson 5 Part 1 https:// ...describe-what-people-have-part-12 Year 9 French Unit 1 Lesson 6 Part 2
https:// ...describe-what-people-have-part-22
4. What school was like in England

Year 9 French Unit 5 Lesson 3 Part
https:// ...compare-past-experiences-part-12 Year 9 French Unit 5 Lesson 4 Part 2
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Year 9 French Unit 5 Lesson 5 Part 1
https:// ...talk-about-what-you-and-others-did-and-did-not-do-part-12
Year 9 French Unit 5 Lesson 6 Part 2
https:// ...talk-about-what-you-and-others-did-and-did-not-do-part-22

Year 9 French Unit 4 Lesson 8 Part 2
https:// ...say-what-people-do-in-general-part-22
Year 9 French Unit 4 Lesson 9 Part 1
https:// ...talk-about-personal-vs-general-events-part-12 Year 9 French Unit 4 Lesson 10 Part 2
https:// ...talk-about-personal-vs-general-events-part-22 Year 9 French Unit 5 Lesson 7 Part 1
https:// ...talk-about-what-you-do-and-where-you-do-it-part-12 Year 9 French Unit 5 Lesson 8 Part 2
https:// ...talk-about-what-you-do-and-where-you-do-it-part-22

## 2. Weather

Year 9 French Unit 6 Lesson 3 Part 1
https:// ...say-what-you-are-going-to-do-on-a-specific-day-vs-daily-routine-part-12
Year 9 French Unit 6 Lesson 4 Part 2
https:// ...say-what-you-are-going-to-do-on-a-specific-day-vs-daily-routine-part-22

## 3. Making plans

Year 9 French Unit 2 Lesson 13
https:// ...say-where-people-go-part-12
Year 9 French Unit 2 Lesson 14
https:// ...say-where-people-go-part-22 Year 9 French Unit 3 Lesson 1 Part 1 https:// ...say-where-people-are-going-part-12 Year 9 French Unit 3 Lesson 2 Part 2
https:// ...say-where-people-are-going-part-22 Year 9 French Unit 3 Lesson 11 Part 1 https:// ...express-future-intentions-part-12 Year 9 French Unit 3 Lesson 12 Part 2 https:// ...express-future-intentions-part-22

| Year 9 Curriculum Map 2223 |  | Autumn 1 Autumn 2 | Spring 1 | Spring 2 | Summer 1 | Summer 2 |
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| MFL <br> French | Curriculum Content inc Knowledge, Skills \& Cultural Capital | Free Time - Mes passe-temps <br> Throughout this unit, students will be developing key skills in the following area: <br> - Fluency in spoken and written French, including application of phonics to pronounce key words and structures correctly and use of connectives to make writing more fluent on the topic of free time. <br> - The ability to communicate in 3 different time frames; present, perfect and future, including giving justified opinions. <br> - Understand and identify main points in written and spoken texts on free time activities. | Throughout this unit, following area: <br> - Fluency in application structures co writing more <br> - The ability to present, per opinions. <br> - Understand spoken texts | ogie <br> oping key skills in the <br> French, including nce key words and connectives to make echnology. <br> ifferent time frames; ding giving justified <br> oints in written and | Cinema - Le cinéma <br> Throughout this unit, students will be developing key skills in the following area: <br> - Fluency in spoken and written French, including application of phonics to pronounce key words and structures correctly and use of connectives to make writing more fluent on the topic of cinema. <br> - The ability to communicate in 3 different time frames; present, perfect and future, including giving justified opinions. <br> - Understand and identify main points in written and spoken texts on cinema. <br> Film study |  |
| 2 lessons per week | Assessment | Knowledge of "Universals" is assessed throughout the year in the form of low stakes tests. <br> There is a Significant Marked Piece marked every half term and a ATLP Common Assessment every term. <br> A pupil's performance across all four skills throughout the year is taken into account when determining their overall performance in the language. |  |  |  | End of Year assessment to test knowledge from the whole year ranging through three skills (listening, reading and/or writing) |
|  | Literacy Links | - Articles: definite, indefinite, partitive <br> - Cognates <br> - Connectives <br> - Use of 'on' <br> - Infinitives and infinitive structures <br> - Negatives <br> - Nouns: singular and plural <br> - Opinions <br> - Phonics <br> - Possessive adjectives <br> - Pronouns <br> - Quantifiers \& intensifiers <br> - Tenses: Present, perfect, (near) future <br> - Time phrases |  |  | - Articles: definite, indefinite, partitive <br> - Cognates <br> - Connectives <br> - Use of 'on’ <br> - Infinitives and infinitive structures <br> - Negatives <br> - Nouns: singular and plural <br> - Opinions <br> - Phonics <br> - Possessive adjectives <br> - Pronouns <br> - Quantifiers \& intensifiers <br> - Tenses: Present, perfect, (near) future <br> - Time phrases <br> - Direct object pronouns <br> - Comparatives \& superlatives <br> - Subjunctive mood <br> - 'Si' clauses |  |
|  | Curriculum Links | English: Phonics / Developing writing |  |  |  |  |
|  | Outside of the Curriculum | Students have the opportunity to participate in a workshop which is delivered by the translation company Comtec in order to highlight the importance. |  |  |  |  |
|  | How can I support my child? | 1. Encourage your child to learn their 'Universals' <br> 2. Online learning: <br> www.duolingo.com Free login. <br> https://www.languagesonline.org.uk/Hotpotatoes/frenchindex.html\#First <br> www.linguascope.com Ask your teacher for login information. <br> 3. Visit the following Greenshaw Learning Trust links for home learning. <br> Present Tense - regular ER verbs https://www.greenshawlearningtrust.co.uk/virtual-curriculum?group=174\&lesson=782 <br> Negatives https://www.greenshawlearningtrust.co.uk/virtual-curriculum?group=174\&lesson=797 <br> Direct Object Pronouns https://www.greenshawlearningtrust.co.uk/virtual-curriculum?group=174 \&lesson=798 <br> Comparatives \& Superlatives https://www.greenshawlearningtrust.co.uk/virtual-curriculum? ?roup=174\&lesson=795 <br> Perfect Tense - Avoir https://www.greenshawlearningtrust.co.uk/virtual-curriculum?group=174\&lesson=800 |  |  |  |  |

