



French



Archdiocese of Liverpool

Curriculum intent:

Our aim is to ensure that learning a foreign language incites interest and excitement in every child, opens up pupil's minds and liberates them from insularity. This promotes our Catholic ethos, fostering a passion for and appreciation of other peoples, cultures and literature, within socio-historical and geographical contexts. It also improves overall literacy and communication skills, both verbal and written in the target language and English. As a result, pupils are very well equipped with the skills, vocabulary and grammatical understanding to learn any new foreign languages in the future, as the opportunity arises.

Year 10

	Content	Concepts and Skills
TERM 1	Self, Family and Relationships Free-time and Technology Film Review-Les Choristes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Making arrangements, to go out• Discussing role-models• Analysing literary extracts• Discussing sport, TV and films• Reviewing a French film and exploring French directors• Grammar-Reflexive verbs, perfect and imperfect tenses, future tenses, comparisons, depuis + present tense
TERM 2	Customs and Festivals in French speaking countries Home, Town, Neighbourhood and Region	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Exploring a wide variety of French festivals and food heritages• Analysing literary extracts (Extract from Y9 novel/film study ('Petit Nicolas').• Giving opinions about living in the countryside, town and coast• Exploring French regions and describing weather• Grammar- pronoun 'en' and 'y' 'venir de' structure, 'you' forms and questions with 'quel(le)(s)' and the verb 'faire'
TERM 3	Home, Town, Neighbourhood and Region Travel and Tourism	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Developing understanding in transactional situations, whilst holidaying in France• Describing usual holidays, past holidays and ideal holidays using present, perfect, imperfect and conditional tenses• Describing a holiday that went wrong using the pluperfect tense

