



# Year 10 & 11 Curriculum

## GCSE: French



Year 10	Term 1 (Autumn)		Term 2 (Spring)		Term 3 (Summer)		
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Topic	Identity and Relationships	Me, My Family & Friends Healthy Living & lifestyle	School, Education and work	Free Time Activities	Customs, Festivals & celebrations	Celebrity Culture	Media and Technology
Key Concepts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Family members – personality and relationships</li> <li>Attitudes towards marriage</li> <li>Adjectives, comparatives, and superlatives</li> <li>Reflexive verbs (past &amp; present)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Opinions on healthy living, smoking, drinking, drugs</li> <li>Conditional and Si clauses</li> <li>Modal verbs</li> <li>Imperfect expression Quand j'étais petit(e), j'aimais...</li> <li>Infinitive</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Opinions on subjects</li> <li>A typical school day</li> <li>Problems at school</li> <li>Comparatives and superlatives</li> <li>Opinions on school subjects</li> <li>School rules</li> <li>Part time jobs and pocket money</li> <li>Careers</li> <li>Modal verbs</li> <li>Telling the time</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revision of all tenses</li> <li>Revision of present and past tense verbs</li> <li>Revision of comparatives</li> <li>Partitive articles (du/de la/ de l') with hobbies</li> </ul> <p>Opinions with specific focus on "Ce que j'aime le plus"</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Typical customs and festivals</li> <li>Description of festivals and customs</li> <li>Celebrations described in 3 timeframes</li> <li>Reflexive verbs s'amuser/se régaler</li> <li>Possessive adjectives</li> </ul>	<p>Mock speaking exam</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Role models</li> <li>Pros and cons of being a celebrity</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Giving advantages and disadvantages</li> <li>Social media</li> <li>Opinions on media and TV</li> </ul>

Year 11	Term 1 (Autumn)		Term 2 (Spring)		Term 3 (Summer)		
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Topic	Holidays	Home Town	Environment	Revision			
Key Concepts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Year 11 writing assessment</li> <li>Holidays</li> <li>Conditional and future tense</li> <li>Revision of all tenses</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Year 11 mock speaking assessment</li> <li>Year 11 mock exams</li> <li>Describing my home town</li> <li>Talking about the differences between towns</li> <li>Giving advantages and disadvantages</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Modal verbs</li> <li>Il faut</li> <li>Describing what you do for the environment</li> <li>Talking about what you should do for the environment</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revision of all topics and preparation for Speaking Exam</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Speaking Exam</li> <li>Revision and preparation for written exams</li> </ul>		




# Years 10 & 11 Assessment

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All pupils will sit several knowledge tests and a mock examination in Year 10. In Year 11, pupils will sit an assessment and a mock examination.

	Year 10		Year 11		Revision Resources
	Knowledge Tests	Mock Exam	Assessment	Mock Exam	
	Autumn/Spring Terms	Autumn/Spring Term	Autumn Term	Autumn/Spring Term	
Style of Assessment	Each knowledge test will consist of 20 multiple-choice questions	<b>Listening:</b> Multiple-choice questions or answer in English/French <b>Speaking*:</b> Photo card & conversation <b>Reading:</b> Multiple-choice questions/answers in English/ French, translation into English <b>Writing:</b> Higher: 90-word and 150-word writing tasks, translation into French; Foundation: Describing a photo, word writing tasks and translation into French	<b>Writing:</b> Exam-style writing task based on topics studied so far (90-words for Foundation and 150-words for Higher), translation into French	<b>Listening:</b> Multiple-choice questions or answer in English/French <b>Speaking*:</b> Role-play, read aloud, photo card and conversation <b>Reading:</b> Multiple-choice questions/answers in English/ French, translation into English <b>Writing:</b> Higher: 90-word and 150-word writing tasks, translation into French; Foundation: Describing a photo, word writing tasks and translation into French	Kennet Resources <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Core Questions</li> <li>• Knowledge Organisers</li> <li>• <a href="#">Learning Habits</a></li> </ul> You can also find additional revision material on Frog 
Topics Assessed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Core knowledge taught until that point in the academic year</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Family</li> <li>• Hobbies</li> <li>• Local area</li> <li>• Social &amp; global issues</li> <li>• School</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Family</li> <li>• Hobbies</li> <li>• Customs &amp; festivals</li> <li>• Local area</li> <li>• Social &amp; global issues</li> <li>• Holidays</li> <li>• School</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Family</li> <li>• Technology</li> <li>• Hobbies</li> <li>• Customs &amp; festivals</li> <li>• Local area</li> <li>• Social &amp; global issues</li> <li>• Holidays</li> <li>• School</li> </ul>	

\* The year 10 mock speaking exam is in July

The Year 11 mock speaking exam is in November 2025 (Autumn Term)