

## INTENT – we aim to...

# Subject on a Page – MFL (French)



Teach French to all KS2 children to support them on their path to Secondary Education.

Develop language skills in speaking, listening, reading and writing.

Provide our KS2 children with a high quality education in Modern Foreign Languages (MFL), which develops their love of learning other languages and cultures.

Teach children to appreciate the diversity of cultures and languages in a multi-lingual society and to be able to communicate effectively with others.

Celebrate the French language through a language day experience

## IMPLEMENTATION – How do we achieve our aims?

### Planning:

French is planned using the 'Lightbulb Languages' scheme. Each class has three units to cover during the year. Topics include school, Food, Family and Animals. The units build on each other in order for the children to make good progress. Children are currently being taught by a specialist language teacher.

### Recording:

All lessons are recorded in French books. Books have a two-year cycle so a book starts in Year 3 and follows them to Year 4, then a new book will be given in Year 5 and lasts till Year 6. Evidence of speaking and listening lessons are included. Children are given the opportunity to read words, sentences and extracts as well as opportunities to write.

### Assessment:

MFL is assessed at the end of each unit using an assessment grid which links directly to the objectives used for planning. Teachers use their professional judgement based on all of the skills (reading, writing, speaking and listening) for the unit being achieved.

### Vocabulary:

Children will learn a wide range of vocabulary throughout KS2. The key vocabulary is listed and links to each unit of learning. This vocabulary is built upon so children can use prior learning to support new topics (weather is taught in Y5 but is revisited when learning about holidays in Y6.)

### EYFS:

N/A

### Values: 'SHINE LIKE STARS'

**Love others:** We are considering how we can show love by learning the language of others. **Everyone join in:** All children are able to participate. **Always do your best:** Work hard at all elements of learning and the results will come. **Reach out:** What better way to reach out than to learn how to communicate. **Never give up:** keep practising and the skills will stick.

**SEND:** Children with SEND are able to access the MFL curriculum due to the way language lessons are taught. Lessons include visual resources, lots of repetition, games and singing. Lessons are planned and resourced to enable all children to access their language learning at an appropriate level for them.

## IMPACT – How do we know if we've achieved our aims?

All KS2 pupils have developed key language learning skills set out by the National Curriculum.

Children have established positive views and attitudes towards learning a language.

Children show a deep ability to show respect to other cultures.

Children are able to listen, read, speak and write about a range of topics in French.

Books show progression of what is taught.