



Dear Parents and guardians

Welcome to the French Department's May Curriculum Guide.

Curriculum Coverage for May

During May your child will be studying the following topics:

KS3 (Grades 6 -8)

Grade 6: Qu'est-ce que j'ai dans ma trousse?

Knowledge and Understanding	Working linguistically	Key Words
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Know the stationery items 2. Know how to use the verb to have (avoir) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ask questions and develop a line of enquiry based on knowledge and experience. 2. Understand the sentence in French by listen to it. 	<p>La gomme, le livre, le crayon, la regle, le baton de colle, l'effaceur, le taille-crayon, des ciseaux, des couleurs, un stylo, un compas. J'ai un stylo rouge . Tu as des crayons de couleurs. Nous avons des ciseaux.</p>

Grade 7: La différence entre (le, la et les).

Knowledge and Understanding	Thinking linguistically	Key Words
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Know the difference between male, female and plural 2. Ask a friend what she/he likes to eat 3. Vocabulary 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ask questions and develop a line of enquiry based on their reading book 2. Ask questions and develop a line of enquiry based on knowledge and experience 	<p>Qui est-ce? Qu'est-ce que c'est? Le garçon /La fille. Le lai /La confiture. Le bus / la voiture et les velos.</p>

Grade 8: Reading compréhension (la description d'une ville).

Knowledge and Understanding	Working linguistically	Key Words
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Know their plans for summer 2. Using verbs in the future tense 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Describe where they originate from 2. Describe a city with all kinds of activities that they can do on vacation 	<p>La mer, la montagne, la campagne, le zoo, l'aquarium, la ferme. Le sky nautique, le wakeboard, la planche à voile, le kayak, la plongée</p>

Homework.

Your child will be given one oral assessment and one spelling vocabulary quiz and will be expected to write a few sentences for each topic.

How Can You Help?

You can help your children by helping them to learn the meanings and spellings of the words on their French exercise book.

Here are some useful websites:

BBC KS3 [http:// www.bbc.co.uk/schools/primaryfrench/games/](http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/primaryfrench/games/)

BBC KS3 <http://www.bbc.co.uk/learning/>

Thank you for your ongoing support,

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