French at St Breward Community Primary School

Intent

Our aim, at St Breward School, is to foster a love for languages and develop confident, competent, and curious learners who are eager to communicate in French. We believe a high-quality languages education should foster pupils' curiosity and deepen their understanding of the world. The teaching should enable pupils to express their ideas and thoughts in another language and to understand and respond to its speakers, both in speech and in writing. It should also provide opportunities for them to communicate for practical purposes, learn new ways of thinking and read great literature in the original language. Language teaching should provide the foundation for learning further languages, equipping pupils to study and work in other countries.

Implementation

At St Breward School, we believe that the learning of languages should start as early as possible and as consequently, we introduce songs and key phrases from EYFS onwards. The children gain a love for the French language before they start Key Stage 2.

In Key Stage 2, children have a French lesson each week, taught by their class teacher. We follow the Rachel Hawkes curriculum, which has been adapted and tailored to suit our small mixed age classroom. The children enjoy building their language skills through vocabulary practise, games, conversations and activities. The Rachel Hawkes programme enables children to confidently pronounce French words through its emphasis on phonic knowledge.

Key Stage One

The children are introduced to the French language through salutations and songs. They may say the register in French or sing a French song before going home. This prepares them for the Key Stage two curriculum.

Key Stage Two

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year Rouge	**Les Voyelles** **Describing Me and Others** En classe Pirre, Yves et Jean-Michel Piere decrit A Haiti et en France Adele decrit	**Saying What I and Others Have** C'est quoi? Pierre parle avec Jean-Michel Une excursion a la montagne Lulu la tortue Une histoire pour Eugenie Rouge Term 1 knowledge quiz	**Saying What I and Others Do** Activities dans la saile de classe Le weekend La famille Le Carnaval de Menton La famille et les amis Eugenie et Lea Preferer	**Saying How Many and Describing Things** Les numeros Rouge Term 2 knowledge quiz	**Describing Things and People** Describing possessions La fete des meres Au Zoo Les aventures de Tin Tin Tu as raison?	**Expressing Likes and Saying What I and Others Do** Activites a recole L'amitie Revision Rouge Term 3 knowledge quiz
Year Jaune	**Les Voyelles** **Describing Me and Others** En classe	**Saying What I and Others Have** C'est quoi? Pierre et Max	**Saying What I and Others Do** Au club de fancais	**Saying How Many and Describing Things** Les numeros Mon monster	**Describing Things and People** Describing possessions	**Expressing Likes and Saying What I and Others Do** J'aime parter francais

	Adele compare Adele ecrit des messages Madame Vidal parle Lea et Eugenie	La chamber de Pierre La reve de Jean-Michel Jean-Michel a une histoire Jaune Term 1 knowledge quiz	Elle est guide touristique Il est prof La tante d'Adele – le Carnaval de Nice La famille et les amis Aimer et preferer Cloudine a Londres	Jaune Term 2 knowledge quiz	Aimer et preferer Ma chose preferee C'est quand, ton anniversaire? Tu as froid?	Le spectacle de fin d'annee Revision Jaune Term 3 knowledge quiz
Year Bleu	**Les Voyelles** **Describing Me and Others** La rentrée (back to school) Les profs Les dates - les anniversaires Les dates - aujourd'hui Les dates - aujourd'hui Les cousins Maman est contente Dans la salle de classe	**Saying What I and Others Have** Un jour horrible Ma professeure idéale Dans la salle de classe en Angleterre Un espace chez nous Physical description	**Saying What I and Others Do** Activités de Noël Christmas and New Year in France and Haiti 1st January in Haiti La Fête des Rois Pierre décrit l'école	**Saying What I and Others Do** Au Canada Bleu Term 2 knowledge quiz Easter activities	**More saying what I and Others Do** Activités à la maison Une fête improvisée Il fait beau en été Quand il fait beau Avec qui ? Tu fais quelle activité ?	**Expressing Likes and saying What I and Others Do** Aimer et detester J'achète du pain Revision Bleu Term 3 knowledge quiz

		(friends, teacher, doctor) BleuTerm 1 knowledge quiz				
Year Vert	**Les Voyelles** **Describing Me and Others** La rentrée à Haïti (back to school in Haiti) Échange en ligne Les dates - les concerts et les fêtes Échange en ligne Jean-Michel et Eloi Échange en ligne - Pierre décrit l'école	**Saying What I and Others Have** Échange en ligne - Adèle décrit Lorient Ma ville | mon village Nous comparons En ville Des célébrités Vert Term 1 knowledge quiz	**Saying What I and Others Do** Activités à l'école Carnaval de Québec La Fête des lumières à Lyon Les fêtes en France - La Chandeleur Mardi Gras Jean-Michel décrit sa ville	**Saying What I and Others Do** À Haïti Vert Term 2 knowledge quiz Easter activities	**More Saying What I and Others Do** Au festival des cerfs-volants Un weekend en famille Qu'est-ce que tu fais le weekend ? Où est-ce que Il fait du soleil ? Avec qui ? Tu joues quel sport ?	**Expressing Likes and Saying What I and Others Do** Vouloir Je voudrais Revision Vert Term 3 knowledge quiz

Impact

Children at St Breward School leave in Year 6, with a love for French! They have a good basic understanding of the language, which has been taught with transition to secondary languages in mind.

Assessment is carried out by the teacher, using the Languages Assessment Framework for guidance.