

## Modern Foreign Languages KS3 Assessment Framework

	Beginning Grade 1	Working Towards Grade 2-3	Expected Grade 4-5	Exceeding Grade 6-7	Excelling Grade 8-9
<b>French</b>	<p><b>I can:</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Listening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* understand the main points of short spoken passages and note people's answers to questions.</li> <li>* follow along and repeat some words from a passage or dialogue in one time-frame</li> <li>* I always need to ask for things to be repeated to understand</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Speaking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* ask and answer simple pre-learned questions from memory.</li> <li>* be often be restricted to a couple of topics covered in class.</li> <li>* I can repeat familiar words and phrases but my pronunciation is not always understandable</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Reading</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* pick out some points and opinions in a sentence using familiar language.</li> <li>* I can use a vocabulary list to locate and understand specific words</li> <li>* I can translate individual words that have been taught into French</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Writing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* write a few words in French with help, giving information and simple opinions.</li> <li>* I can write some words from memory, but spelling might not always be accurate</li> </ul>	<p><b>I can:</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Listening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* understand the main points of spoken passages and some of the detail</li> <li>* follow along and understand several key words from a passage or dialogue in one time-frame</li> <li>* I will regularly need to ask for things to be repeated to understand</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Speaking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* I can rehearse and perform short sentences in a simple conversation</li> <li>* I can use I 'je' form of a few verbs in the present tense.</li> <li>* I can produce short pre-prepared phrases on a familiar topic with more accurate pronunciation</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Reading</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* pick out the main points and opinions in a series of related sentences using familiar language.</li> <li>* I can use a vocabulary list to locate and understand a range of words</li> <li>* I can translate a few words as taught phrases into French</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Writing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* write several sentences with help, giving information and simple opinions.</li> <li>* I can write words and several short phrases from memory with understandable spelling</li> </ul>	<p><b>I can:</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Listening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* understand the main points and opinions in spoken passages about different topics. recognise if people are speaking in a different tense by recognising time phrases or verbs.</li> <li>* transcribe key words or short sentences in at least one time-frame.</li> <li>* I may need to ask for things to be repeated from time to time</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Speaking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* ask and answer pre-learned, memorised questions</li> <li>* I can adapt models successfully to give justified opinions</li> <li>* I can understand reference to two time-frames</li> <li>* I can produce some short phrases independently with overall good pronunciation.</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Reading</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* understand the main points and opinions in a sequence of related sentences using familiar language.</li> <li>* I can use a vocabulary list to locate and understand a range of words and put these into sentences</li> <li>* Correct responses are likely to include true/false statements, multiple choice, table completion, gap fill or question.</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Writing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* write short, linked sentences using language from memory and giving opinions.</li> <li>* I can write a short text from memory, using simple sentences from a familiar topic with fair spelling</li> </ul>	<p><b>I can:</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Listening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* identify the main points and more details in spoken passages about several topics. recognise if people are speaking about the future OR the past as well as the present.</li> <li>* transcribe key words and short sentences in two time-frames</li> <li>* I can identify the meaning of a passage which includes two time-frames. I am beginning to require less repetition.</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Speaking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* give short talks, in which I express my opinions.</li> <li>* I can develop conversations confidently and clearly with a variety of topics.</li> <li>* speak about the future OR the past as well the present.</li> <li>* My pronunciation is good and overall accurate, but I sometimes still hesitate which may sometimes hinder the overall flow of conversation.</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Reading</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* understand the main points, opinions, reasons and detail in a range of short texts (including poems and songs).</li> <li>* Use a bilingual dictionary or glossary to look up unfamiliar words.</li> <li>* Recognise if the texts are about the future or present tense.</li> <li>* I can figure out the meaning from context or the surrounding language of some unfamiliar language in more challenging texts.</li> <li>* Recognise if the texts are about the future or present tense.</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Writing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* write short texts giving and asking for information, opinions and reasons.</li> <li>* Write about the present OR the future.</li> <li>* I can write longer texts from memory on a variety of topics with good accuracy</li> <li>* I can translate longer complex passages with little error.</li> </ul>	<p><b>I can:</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Listening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* identify the main points and specific details in spoken passages about a variety of topics. Recognise confidently if people are speaking about the present, past or future</li> <li>* transcribe key words and short sentences in three time-frames.</li> <li>* passages may include a range of structures including several time frames, and vocabulary from several familiar topics and some authentic texts.</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Speaking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* interact confidently with familiar topics in longer conversations.</li> <li>Express and explain my opinions with details.</li> <li>* Speak spontaneously by asking unexpected questions and adding more to my answers</li> <li>* Speak about the present AND future. * My pronunciation is accurate and I rarely hesitate.</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Reading</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* I can understand longer texts containing predictable information; including 3 time frames, and vocab from several familiar topics.</li> <li>* Use a bilingual dictionary or glossary to look up unfamiliar words.</li> <li>* I can pick out and translate longer phrases into French with ease</li> <li>* I can understand, translate and adapt more complex structures.</li> <li>* I can figure out the meaning from context or the surrounding language of some unfamiliar language in more challenging texts.</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Writing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* write short texts in a range of contexts, giving and asking for information, opinions and reasons.</li> <li>* Write about the present AND future</li> <li>* I can write longer texts from memory on a variety of topics with good accuracy</li> </ul>