

# Whole School Modern Foreign Languages (French) Overview

Class	Year A	Year B		
Chestnut	Moi (All about me)	On y va! (All aboard!)		
&	Jeux et chansons ( Games and songs)	L'argent de poche (Pocket money)		
	On fait la fete (Celebrations)	Raconte-moi une histoire! (Tell me a story!)		
Maple	Portraits (Portraits)	Vive le sport! (Our sporting lives)		
	Les quatre amis (The four friends)	Le Carnival des Animaux (The Carnival of the Animals)		
	Ca pousse! (Growing things!)			
		Quel temps fiat-il? (What's the weather like?)		

## Suggested move to twinkl:

Class	Year A 2019-2020	Year B 2020-2021	
	(Year 3 focus)	(Year 4 focus)	
Chestnut	Getting to know you – name, age, how are you?	All around town – where do you live?	
		On the move – transport, directions	
&	All about me – body parts, colours, clothes		
		Going shopping – fruit, money, clothes	
	Food Glorious Food – food		
Maple		Where in the world? – countries, where do	
	Family and Friends – family members, pets, alphabet, the house	people speak French? Continents, animals	
		What's the time? – o'clock, half past, quarter	
	Our School – the classroom (window, door,	to/past	
	table), in your pencil case, subjects, around		
	the school	Holidays and hobbies – seasons, weather,	
		hobbies, sports	
	Time – numbers 11-31, days, months, birthday, date		

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### Knowledge

#### Children should be taught to:

- Listen attentively to spoken language and show understanding by joining in and responding.
- Explore the patterns and sounds of language through songs and rhymes, and link the spelling, sound and meaning of words.
- Engage in conversations; ask and answer questions; express opinions and respond to those of others; seek clarification and help.
- Speak in sentences, using familiar vocabulary, phrases and basic language structures.
- Develop accurate pronunciation and intonation so that others understand when they are reading aloud or using familiar words or phrases.
- Present ideas and information orally to a range of audiences.
- Read carefully and show understanding of words, phrases and simple writing.
- Appreciate stories, songs, poems and rhymes in the language.
- Broaden their vocabulary and develop the ability to understand new words that are introduced into familiar written material, including through using a dictionary
- Write phrases from memory, and adapt these to create new sentences, to express ideas clearly.
- Describe people, places, things and actions orally and in writing.
- Understand basic grammar appropriate to the language being studied, including (where relevant): masculine, feminine and neuter forms and the conjugation of high-frequency verbs; key features and patterns of the language; how to apply these, for instance, to build sentences; and how these differ from or are similar to English.

### **Skills**

Reading  Read and understand the main points in	Writing     Write a few short sentences using familiar
<ul> <li>short written texts.</li> <li>Read short texts independently.</li> <li>Use translation dictionary or glossary to look up new words.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>expressions.</li> <li>Express personal experiences and responses.</li> <li>Write short phrases from memory with spelling that is readily understandable.</li> </ul>
<ul><li>Speaking</li><li>Understand the main points from spoken</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Understanding the culture</li> <li>Describe with some interesting details</li> </ul>
<ul><li>passages.</li><li>Ask others to repeat words or phrases if necessary.</li></ul>	some aspects of the countries or communities where the language is spoken.
<ul> <li>Ask and answer simple questions and talk about interests.</li> <li>Take part in discussions and tasks.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Make comparisons between life in those countries where the language is spoken and this country.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Demonstrate a growing vocabulary.</li> </ul>	