

Subject:

French



HECKMONDWIKE
GRAMMAR SCHOOL

KS3 - Year 8 Curriculum Overview

Topics being taught

What you will be assessed on

How you can support at home

Autumn Term

- Expressing details about my holiday in the present tense.
- Express and understand holiday activities in the present tense with 'je'.
- Conjugating -er verbs with 'avoir' in the perfect tense.
- Recognising irregular past participles.
- Learning how to use negative constructions in the perfect tense.
- Combining two tenses (present and perfect).
- Using 'c'était' to express opinions.
- Numbers up to 1000.
- Food, drinks and quantities.
- Learning about French festivals.
- Christmas in France (cultural).

Term 1

- Weekly vocabulary or grammar tests.
- Stepping stone assessments (L+R-teacher to inform of date).

Learning the meaning and spelling of new vocabulary

Learn how to conjugate verbs in the perfect tense

Regularly revising previously learnt vocabulary and grammar

Occasional reading or writing tasks

Term 2

- Weekly vocabulary tests or grammar tests.
- Milestone assessment (L, R, W, S - Revision list/ guidance given by teacher).

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Topics being taught

What you will be assessed on

How you can support at home

Spring Term

- Consolidation of the near future.
- Descriptions of celebrities and adjectival agreement.
- Learning different types of TV programmes.
- Expressing our opinion on what we watch.
- Talking about digital technology.
- Learning different types of film.
- Describing a cinema visit.
- Discussing leisure activities.
- Describing a past shopping trip.
- Combining three tenses (present, perfect and near future).
- Discussing where I live and weather.
- Easter in France (cultural).

Term 3

- Weekly vocabulary or grammar tests.
- Stepping stone assessments (L+R-teacher to inform of date).

Learning the meaning and spelling of new vocabulary

Learn how to conjugate verbs in 3 tenses.

Regularly revising previously learnt vocabulary and grammar

Occasional reading or writing tasks

Term 4

- Weekly vocabulary tests or grammar tests.
- Milestone assessment (L, R, W, S - Revision list/ guidance given by teacher).

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Topics being taught

What you will be assessed on

How you can support at home

Summer Term

- Describing what there is and isn't where I live.
- Discussing what people can and can't do in my region.
- Describing which household chores you do to help around the house.
- Describing your daily routine.
- Talking about moving house.
- Discovering a French region.
- Talking about sports.
- Asking for and giving directions.
- Learning body parts and discussing illness.
- 14th July in France (cultural).
- French-language film (cultural).

Term 5

- Weekly vocabulary or grammar tests.
- Stepping stone assessments (L+R)..

Learning the meaning and spelling of new vocabulary

Learn to conjugate verbs in 3 tenses.

Regularly revising previously learnt vocabulary and grammar

Occasional reading or writing tasks

Term 6

- Weekly vocabulary tests or grammar tests.
- Milestone assessment (L, R, W, S - Revision list/ guidance given by teacher).

Subject:

Spanish



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Topics being taught

What you will be assessed on

How you can support at home

Autumn Term

- Consolidating the present tense.
- Free time activities and opinions.
- Describing friends (adjectival agreement).
- Describing physical appearance.
- Talking about my daily routine.
- Describing a typical day.
- Using adjectives of nationality.
- Saying what my town/city is like.
- Discussing places in town.
- Describing activities in Barcelona.
- Learning different types of shop.
- Asking for and giving directions.
- Responding to invitations.
- Describing the weather.
- Christmas in Spain (cultural).

Term 1

Weekly vocabulary or grammar tests.
Stepping stone assessments (L+R-teacher to inform of date).

Learning the meaning and spelling of new vocabulary

Learn verbs in the present and near future tenses.

Term 2

Weekly vocabulary tests or grammar tests.
Milestone assessment (L, R, W, S - Revision list/ guidance given by teacher).

Regularly revising previously learnt vocabulary and grammar

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Topics being taught

What you will be assessed on

How you can support at home

Spring Term

- Using two tenses together (present and near future).
- Saying where I went on a past holiday.
- Modes of transport.
- Expressing opinions on a past holiday.
- Regular verbs in the preterite.
- Saying what I did on holiday.
- Las fallas (cultural).
- Irregular verbs in the preterite.
- Meals and mealtimes.
- Purchasing food at the market.
- Opinions on food and drink.
- Ordering at a restaurant.
- Easter in Spain (cultural).

Term 3

Weekly vocabulary or grammar tests.
Stepping stone assessments (L+R-teacher to inform of date).

Learning the meaning and spelling of new vocabulary

Learn verbs in 3 tenses.

Term 4

Weekly vocabulary tests or grammar tests.
Milestone assessment (L, R, W, S - Revision list/ guidance given by teacher).

Regularly revising previously learnt vocabulary and grammar

Occasional reading or writing tasks

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What you will be assessed on

How you can support at home

Summer Term

- Creating a restaurant dialogue.
- Using 'tener' expressions.
- Combining three tenses (present, near future and preterite).
- Learning about Spanish gastronomy from different regions.
- Saying where I am going in town.
- Understanding positive and negative reactions to invitations.
- Knowing how to make excuses.
- Using 'gustar' with all subjects.
- Authentic texts.
- Learning about Cataluña (cultural).
- Film set in Spain (cultural).

Term 5

Weekly vocabulary or grammar tests.
Stepping stone assessments (L+R-teacher to inform of date).

Learning the meaning and spelling of new vocabulary

Learn verbs in 3 tenses.

Term 6

Weekly vocabulary tests or grammar tests.
Milestone assessment (L, R, W, S - Revision list/ guidance given by teacher).

Regularly revising previously learnt vocabulary and grammar

Occasional reading or writing tasks