

KEY STAGE 4 FRENCH CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

	Topic	Concept	Assessment	Literacy/Numeracy Foci
Y10	HT1 (1st week) Revision	Revision of basics, to include: •Numbers, ages, birthday, time; •Colours (including agreements) •Present tense •Opinions and food.	N/A	• Definite & indefinite articles; • Gender of nouns; • Adjectival agreement; • Intensifiers; • Connectives; • Dictionary skills; • Time. • Verbs, infinitives, endings
Y10	HT1 Holidays (Theme 3)	•Discussing holidays and weather •Saying what you do in the summer •Talking about holiday preferences •Saying what you did on holiday •Describing where you stayed •Booking accommodation and dealing with problems •Weather	Extended writing: Holidays (90 words)	• Revising the present and past tenses (passé composé) • Using opinions and reasons • Using the imperfect tense to describe accommodation in the past • Using and practising 6 tenses
Y10	HT2 School (Theme 1)	•Subjects and teachers (comparatives and superlatives; justifying opinions) •Describing school (negatives; comparing then and now) •School rules and problems (infinitive constructions) •School exchange (near future tense; asking and answering questions) •Activities and achievements (object pronouns; depuis + present tense)	Extended writing: School (90 words)	•Comparatives; •Superlatives; •Justifying opinions; •Negatives; •Imperfect and present tense together; •Infinitive constructions (modal verbs); •Near future tense; •Conditional tense •Asking and answering questions; •Object pronouns; •depuis + present tense.
Y10	HT3 Who am I? (Theme 1 + 2)	•Describing people •Describing favourite celebrities •Friends and family (range of verbs; past and present tenses) •Relationships •Giving advice	Extended writing: relationships (90/150 words)	• Connectives; • Range of verbs; • Past and present tenses; • Modal verbs • Reflexives
Y10	HT4 Free time (Theme 2 + 3)	•What you usually do (Avoir l'habitude de + infinitive) •Sports (present and imperfect tenses) •What's trending (Higher) •Types of entertainment (qualifiers) •Role models (range of past tenses) •Celebrity culture and lifestyle •Social networks (pour + infinitive); extending responses	Extended writing: free time (150 or 90+40 words)	• Avoir l'habitude de + infinitive; • Present and imperfect tense; • Qualifiers; - Range of past tenses. • Pour + infinitive • Lo- structures; • Comparisons, superlatives
Y10	HT5 + HT6 Town and countryside (Theme 3) Revision of all topics in preparation for mock exams	•Features of a region (pouvoir + infinitive; asking and answering questions) •Planning what to do (future tense) •Shopping (demonstrative adjectives; explaining preferences) •Problems in a town (conditional tense; synonyms and antonyms) •Describing a past visit (different tenses together; idioms) •Weather	May assessments (Tiering Assessments) AQA modified papers: Reading, Listening and Writing June trial exams AQA past papers: Reading, Listening and Writing	•pouvoir + infinitive; •Asking and answering questions; •Future tense; •Demonstrative adjectives; •Explaining preferences; •Conditional tense; •Synonyms and antonyms; •Different tenses together; •Idioms. •Comparisons