

Modern Foreign Language (French) – Aims and Objectives

Aims

• To stimulate and encourage children's curiosity about language and creativity in experimenting with it;

• To support oracy and literacy, and in particular develop speaking and listening skills;

• To help children develop their awareness of cultural similarities and differences; and to provide a vehicle for multi-cultural understanding.

- To lay the foundations for future language study by pupils;
- give an extra dimension to teaching and learning across the curriculum;

Objectives

- To listen attentively to spoken language and respond with understanding.
- To explore the patterns and sounds through songs and rhyme and link spelling, sound and meaning of words. teaching of basic French grammar and spelling patterns and how they are similar/different to English
- To engage in conversation, ask and answer questions and express opinion.
- To speak in sentences using familiar vocabulary and phrases.
- To develop accurate pronunciation and intonation so that others understand.
- To present ideas and information orally and participate in role play.
- To read carefully and show understanding of words, phrases and simple writing.
- To appreciate stories, songs, poem and rhyme.
- To write phrases from memory and adapt these to make new sentences.
- To describe people, places, things and actions orally and in writing. researching and learning about life in France