

Herrick Primary School - M.F.L. overview - Year 4

Term	Content	Key skills and activities
1	<p>Revision of colours from Y3                      Parts of the body + related adjectives                      Asking for French translation                      Revision of adjectives                      Zoo animals                      Some letters of the alphabet                      Introduction of vowels                      Verb - <i>etre</i>                      Quantifiers - <i>assez, tres</i>                      Adjectives                      Christmas theme                      Revision of parts of the body                      Phrases and vocabulary for work on snowman theme                      Phrases for playing a game                      Simple expressions - <i>oh la la, j'aime ca</i></p>	<p>Listen to and follow a short story;                      Identify adjectives in a text and recognise that they can change spellings;                      Listen for specific words and phrases;                      Pronounce some words accurately;                      Understand that all nouns have a gender;                      Ask how to say something in French;                      Listen for a key sound as it occurs in a rhyme;                      Appreciate similarities between English and French nursery rhymes;                      Recite a nursery rhyme;                      Follow a text as it is read aloud;                      Follow a story using visual clues;                      Recognise some letters of the alphabet;                      Listen for sounds, rhyme and rhythm;                      Say 6 vowel sounds in French;                      Write simple words and phrases following a model;                      Read words aloud with accurate pronunciation;                      Participate in a short drama;                      Play a game, communicating in French;                      Join in singing a French song;                      Write individual words or short sentences in French.</p>

<p>2</p>	<p>Receptive vocabulary from the song  <i>Meunier tu dors</i>  Members of the family  Possessive adjectives  Ask and answer questions about family members  Vocabulary for story: <i>Le radis géant</i>  Pets  Revision of pets vocabulary  Verb - <i>avoir</i> - including negative  Connectives - <i>et, aussi</i>  Easter theme  Revise quantifiers - <i>tres, assez, un peu</i></p>	<p>Recite a short poem from memory;  Identify rhyming words in short texts;  Letter string - <i>in</i>  Present a short role play introducing family members;  Ask and answer questions;  Recognise rhyming words and understand that the final consonant is rarely pronounced;  Use mental associations to help remember words;  Follow a French story and join in reading;  Recognise nouns and verbs in French;  Compare traditional stories;  Understand simple rules for converting singular to plural;  Present a rhyme;  Know about pets that are popular in France;  Follow a text as it is read aloud;  Write simple sentences;  Read some words with accurate pronunciation;  Know about some Easter traditions;  Identify specific items of vocabulary in a longer text.</p>
----------	---	---

<p>3</p>	<p>Dictionary skills          Playground song and activity          Hobbies          Revision of hobbies          Opinions phrases  <i>Tu aimes...?</i>          Numbers 12-31          Revision of leisure activities and opinions phrases          Two weather expressions - <i>il fait froid, il fait chaud.</i>          Quantifiers revision          Clothes items for packing a suitcase</p>	<p>Recognise word classes: nouns, verbs, adjectives;          Sort words into dictionary order;          Become familiar with layout of dictionary;          Play a traditional game and sing song;          Listen for sounds;          Identify strategies for learning vocabulary;          Write some words from memory;          Read and understand a paragraph with familiar vocabulary and structures;          Recognise positive and negative statements in English and French;          Memorise and present two sentences or more;          Conduct a short interview in French, asking and answering questions;          Listen for a specific sound in a song;          Conduct a survey in French;          Know the names of some major airports and ports in France;          Learn how to play a popular French game;          Understand different possibilities for travelling abroad;          Pack an imaginary suitcase for a holiday, writing individual words.</p>
----------	---	---