**Year 10 French**

Hi Everyone,

We hope that you and your families are all well and continue to be. We also hope that being off school doesn’t stop your learning, so we have put together a variety of things to keep busy with. ☺

1. Ideally, you will look at everything in your red book and textbook regularly so that you don’t forget your vocabulary and grammar. Look at everything we have covered so far, but feel free to look at the sections we haven’t done yet too, that way, when we do them in class, you will already be an expert!
2. Work on Your Speaking Test Questions – you have the relevant page numbers and document in which to type them. Send us them when they are ready for marking!
3. Record yourself saying your speaking text answers and listen to them as often as you can. You know hundreds of lyrics without even trying, so try to do the same with your answers! Use naturalreaders.com if you have them typed up!
4. As a special project, we would love you to make a Powerpoint Presentation or Poster about how Spring events such as Saint Valentin, La Chandleur and Mardi – Gras are celebrated in France and French speaking countries. These can also be religious days, so you coud study Holy Week and research Easter celebrations are done around the world. Find as many pictures, funny stories, songs and explanations as you can, even in English and send us your project via email d.williams@sbchs.co.uk / e.gallagher@sbchs.co.uk / c.williams@sbchs.co.uk. We will give out extra Class Chart points for this special assignment! Don’t spend too much time on this 20 mins max, but it will break up the monotony of revision!
5. Visit this website and download a topical worksheet. They cover all kinds of all special cultural days which are celebrated about now and the answers appear at the end of the sheet.

<https://www.pearsonschoolsandfecolleges.co.uk/secondary/subjects/modernlanguages/studio-11-14-french-ks3#support-material>



!!Use <https://www.wordreference.com> as an online dictionary (DO NOT USE GOOGLE TRANSLATE!)!!

1. Go on <https://www.languagesonline.org.uk/Hotpotatoes/frenchindex.html#Grammar> practice grammar that you are not too keen on, or need some extra exercises in. It marks it instantly for you! ☺
2. You may like to take this time to look at past exam papers, so you know what to expect. Use this website <https://www.aqa.org.uk/find-past-papers-and-mark-schemes>

We are doing the AQA exam – but you may also wish to look at other exam boards for some extra practise. Remember these papers may be in s slightly different format and some topics may be slightly different – but they are still a way to listen and read at the appropriate level.

EDEXCEL: <https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/support/support-topics/exams/past-papers.html> WJEC: <https://www.wjec.co.uk/students/past-papers/>

1. You should also be able to have some fun with your independent language learning, so here is a variety of different websites which you can use for your French learning at home. Use whichever one you find easiest to use and the most effective for you. Please send your teacher a screen shot via email everytime you complete a quiz, win a game, or write a few sentences so we can see how you are getting on. You could also tag us on Instagram @stbedesormskirkmfl – you know we’d love that! ☺
2. [www.atantot.com](http://www.atantot.com)

This website is wonderful for playing games! It teaches you the words and then tests you on them in a variety of ways. Click on Key Stage 4 French, and as we have to pay for this website, so it will need you to log on with these details: Username: bede1, Password: 2824

1. <https://www.memrise.com/group/2722>

You have probably already set up an account for this website, and we would also recommend you to download the app. The link above takes you to our Studio textbook games, but feel free to play any KS4 French games you come across!

1. <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z9dqxnb>This website has SO much on it! You can practise listening, reading and learn lots of new French. Take a screenshot like the one below whenever you get a quiz right and send them to us or tag us!



1. Another great app to download is Lyrics Training. Its FREE and you can listen to 3 songs every 30 minutes which is more than enough, without paying any subscription.
You can use it to improve your French and German listening and it uses YouTube songs! You can select different genres, pop, rock, rap even Disney songs! There are all the current top 40 videos in here! If you use the karaoke setting, you can just read the lyrics and listen to the song, but if you just select beginner, intermediate or advanced, it removes words of the song and gives you a multiple choice to fill it in again. It's amazing!
2. <https://quizlet.com/join/RgKdt4nsN>

Again, this website matches our Studio textbook, so have fun playing a few games!