

## **Together We Can**

# FEDERATION OF ST JOSEPH'S INFANT, JUNIOR AND NURSERY SCHOOLS

## WHOLE SCHOOL CURRIULUM INTENT

We deliver a broad and balanced curriculum that meets the needs of all our pupils within the school community. We ensure our pupils achieve their full potential and with a growth mindset and resilience, based on our belief that 'we learn to love, we love to learn' Our curriculum is driven by:

- \* A strong moral purpose based on Christ's teachings of tolerance, respect and empathy
- **\*** High expectations where everyone encourages pupils to be aspirational and reach their potential
- A wide range of opportunities for our pupils to be confident, articulate young people with strong thinking and reasoning skills and a lifelong love for learning
- Passionate staff who empower pupils to be confident with English and Maths skills and in a range of other subjects
- ✤ Preparing pupils with the skills and knowledge to thrive in a fast-changing world
- Teaching our pupils about their local, national and global community and encouraging them to know they can make a difference



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### PROGRESSION PLAN FOR KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS

### FRENCH

Knowledge, Skills and Understanding breakdown for						
YEAR 1						
Listening and responding	Speaking	Reading and responding	Writing			
<ul> <li>Do they understand simple classroom commands?</li> <li>Do they understand short statements?</li> <li>Do they understand simple questions?</li> <li>Do they understand clearly spoken speech?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can they answer with a single word?</li> <li>Can they answer with a short phrase?</li> </ul>	Can they read and understand a single word?	<ul> <li>Can they copy a single word correctly?</li> <li>Can they label items?</li> <li>Can they choose the right words to complete a phrase?</li> <li>Can they choose the right words to complete a short sentence?</li> </ul>			
May need a lot of help, e.g. gesture and repetition.	Pronunciation may be approximate, and may need considerable support from a spoken model and from visual cues.	Presented in clear script in familiar context. May need visual cues.				

Knowledge, Skills and Understanding breakdown for							
YEAR 2							
Listening and responding	Speaking	Reading and responding	Writing				
<ul> <li>Do they understand a range of familiar statements?</li> <li>Do they understand a range of familiar questions?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can they give short and simple responses to what they see and hear?</li> <li>Can they name and describe people?</li> <li>Can they name and describe places?</li> <li>Can they name and describe objects?</li> <li>Can they use (set) phrases?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can they read and understand short phrases?</li> <li>Can they read aloud single words and phrases?</li> <li>Can they use books or glossaries to find the meanings of new words?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can they copy a short familiar phrase?</li> <li>Can they write or word- process set phrases we use in class?</li> </ul>				
May need items repeated	Pronunciation may still be approximate and delivery hesitant, but their meaning is clear.		When they write familiar words from memory their spelling may be approximate.				

Knowledge, Skills and Understanding breakdown for						
YEAR 3 and 4						
Listening and responding	Speaking	Reading and responding	Writing			
<ul> <li>Do they understand short passages made up of familiar language?</li> <li>Do they understand instructions, messages and dialogues within short passages?</li> <li>Can they identify and note the main points and give a personal response on a passage?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can they have a short conversation where they are saying 2-3 things?</li> <li>Can they use short phrases to give a personal response?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can they read and understand short texts using familiar language?</li> <li>Can they identify and note the main points and give a personal response?</li> <li>Can they read independently?</li> <li>Can they use a bilingual dictionary or glossary to look up new words?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can they write 2-3 short sentences on <a familiar<br="">topic&gt;?</a></li> <li>Can they say what they like and dislike about <a familiar topic&gt;?</a </li> </ul>			
Spoken at near normal speed with no interference. May need short sections repeated.	Although they use mainly memorised language, they occasionally substitute items of vocabulary to vary the questions or statements.		They write short phrases from memory and their spelling is readily understandable.			

Knowledge, Skills and Understanding breakdown for						
YEAR 5 and 6						
Listening and responding	Speaking	Reading and responding	Writing			
<ul> <li>Do they understand longer passages made up of familiar language in simple sentences?</li> <li>Can they identify the main points and some details?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can they hold a simple conversation with at least 3-4 exchanges?</li> <li>Can they use their knowledge of grammar to adapt and substitute single words and phrases?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can they understand a short story or factual text and note some of the main points?</li> <li>Can they use context to work out unfamiliar words?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can they write a paragraph of about 3-4 simple sentences?</li> <li>Can they adapt and substitute individual words and set phrases?</li> <li>Can they use a dictionary or glossary to check words they have learnt?</li> </ul>			
Spoken at near normal speed with no interference. May need some items to be repeated.	Their pronunciation is generally accurate and they show some consistency in their intonation.		They will draw largely on memorised language.			