

# **MFL Intent**



At Ash Croft Primary Academy, we aim to deliver a curriculum that encourages aspirations, communication and experience. We want our children to develop as French linguists through a range of learning opportunities that are underpinned through our key intentions for learning in MFL and develop a lifelong love of languages through engaging, stimulating and enjoyable learning experiences.











At Ash Croft Primary Academy we aim to encourage children to Aspire, Communicate and Experience in the subject of French, to enable them to foster a deeper understanding of the world.

- 1. It is our intention for children to speak with **clear intonation and pronunciation in the French language.**
- 2. It is our intention for children to listen and understand spoken French language.
- 3. Our intention is that children will have the **confidence** to engage in conversation, communicate, ask questions and give opinions in French.
- 4. It is our intention that children will have **fluency** in reading written French.
- 5. It is our intention that children will **write at varying length** in the French language. 6.It is our intention that children will have a **secure knowledge** of the countries in which French is spoken.







1. In line with the National Curriculum, French is taught for 30mins a week in KS2.

2. To support committing learning to long term memory, 5-minute knowledge bursts are carried out three times a week to ensure learning is embedded.

3. Each year group has the opportunity within their topics to allow children to explore French through the use of songs and role play.

4. Each year group has a clear sequence of learning from Y3 – Y6 building on prior knowledge and preparing children for transition to their next phase of learning.

5. All children are given the opportunity to take part in the Utalk Junior Language Challenge to allow additional language learning.





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1	Sept 2022- July 2023	Sept 2023- July 2024	Sept 2024- July 2025	Sept 2025- July 2026
	Year 3 units for all year groups	Year 4 units for year 4/5/6	Year 5 units for year5/6	Year 6 units
Autumn 1	Core Vocabulary Units (1 lesson per unit) Les Salutations – salutations Les Commands de la classes – Classroom commands	Core Vocabulary Unit Les Verbs <u>Reguliers</u> (Regular verbs) x 3 weeks	Intermediate Language Unit -Au Café ( At the Café)	Refresher Unit - Salutations - Classroom commands - Days and Months
	<ul> <li>Les Jours, - Days of the week</li> <li>Les Mois, - Months of the Year</li> <li>La <u>Chonstique</u> - Phonetics</li> <li>Les <u>Conjeurs</u> - Colours</li> <li>Les <u>Nombres</u> - Numbers</li> </ul>	Intermediate Language Unit -Je Me <u>Presente</u> ( Presenting myself) x 3 weeks		<ul> <li>Colours and Numbers</li> <li>At the shops – I would like</li> <li>Parts of the body</li> <li>My family</li> <li>Pets</li> </ul>
Autumn 2	Early Language Unit - Les Glaces (Ice-creams)	Core Vocabulary Unit Les Verbes, Isseguliers, (Irregular verbs)	Intermediate Language Unit - Chez Moi – My home	Progressive Units Los Verbos Regulares (Regular verbs) Los Verbos Irregulares (Irregular verbs)
for the f		Core Vocabulary Unit - Joxeux Noel (Christmas)		(A more detailed repeat of the Y4 units. Will aid progression to KS3 MFL)
Spring 1	Early Language Unit Je Соци, (I can)	Early Language Unit Under the Sea	Intermediate Language Unit En Classe	Progressive Unit - Moi Dans le monde (Me in the world)
Spring 2	<u>Early Language Unit</u> Petit Chaperon Rouge (Little Red Riding Hood)	Intermediate Language Units - La Eamille(My family) - Les <u>Vetements</u> (clothes)	Intermediate Language Unit - La Date (the date)	Progressive Unit - Le week-end (At The Weekend)
Summer 1	Early Language Units - Les Fruit (Fruit) - Les Legumes (Vegetables)	Intermediate Language Unit - Habitats	Intermediate Language Unit -Quel Temps Fait-II? (The Weather)	Progressive Unit - Manger et Bouger, (Healthy Lifestyles)
Summer 2	Early Language Unit Les Instruments (Instruments)	Intermediate Language Unit (Do you have a pet?)	Progressive Unit A Cecole (At school)	Progressive Unit - Habitats (Habitats)

#### **Key Outcomes**

#### Across all units of work children will:

- understand and respond to spoken and written language from a variety of sources
- speak with increasing confidence, fluency and spontaneity, finding ways of communicating what they want to say, including through discussion and asking questions, and continually improving the accuracy of their pronunciation and intonation
  - Children will use role play to develop and practice their language skills.
  - write at varying length, for different purposes and audiences, using the variety of grammatical structures that they have learnt
    - discover and develop an appreciation of a range of writing in the language studied.

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Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
<ul> <li>I can say at least five salutations.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can use a personal pronoun in</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can order from a selection of</li> </ul>	I can speak in full sentences using a range
I can follow at least five classroom	French. ( I, you, he, she, we, you, all,	foods from a French menu.	of salutations.
commands.	they)	• I can order from a selection of	• I can follow and give classroom commands.
• I know how to say the days of the	• I can conjugate most of a regular -ER	drinks from a French menu. 🛛	• I can read and write the days of the week
week.	verb in full when I am given the	• I can order a French breakfast.	and months of the year.
<ul> <li>I know how to say the months of the</li> </ul>	infinitive version.	<ul> <li>I can order typical French snacks.</li> </ul>	I can use colours to describe different
		· · ·	objects.
year.	I can conjugate most of a regular -IR	• I can ask for the bill.	I can count to 100.
I know the correct pronunciation of	verb in full when I am given the	• I can speak, read and write, hello,	• I can role play different shops saying what I
the alphabet.	infinitive version.	goodbye, please and thank you.	would like (including fruit, vegetables, ice
<ul> <li>I know the numbers 1 – 10 and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>can conjugate most of a regular -RE</li> </ul>		cream, clothes and food)
20,30,40,up to 100.	🖕 verb in full when I am given the		<ul> <li>I can read and write at least five body parts.</li> </ul>
	• can conjugate most of a regular -RE verb in full when I am given the infinitive version		• I can talk about my family, where I live and
	• I can count to 20.		any pets.
	• I can say my name and age.		uny pets.
	· I can say hello and goodbye and then		
2	ask how somebody is feeling.		
n	• I can tell you where I live.		
Vocabulary	• I can tell you my nationality and	Cafe	
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	Year 3		Year 4		Year 5		Year 6	
Ice Creams	<ul> <li>I can recognise at least five ice cream flavours.</li> <li>I can spell five ice-cream flavours in French unaided from memory with good accuracy.</li> <li>I can say in French that I would like an ice-cream, using 'je voudrais'.</li> <li>I can specify in French what flavour ice-cream I would like.</li> <li>I can specify in French whether I would like my ice-cream in a pot or a cone or a small pot/tub.</li> </ul>	verb is in the Frence 'he', 'she' (masculir I can cor verb AVC I can cor verb ÊTR I can cor verb ALLI I can cor verb ALLI I can cor	njugate most of the irregular E. njugate most of the irregular ER. njugate most of the irregular RE. ne at least five words linked	My Home	<ul> <li>I can say what type of house \i live in.</li> <li>I can read and spell up to ten nouns (including the correct article for each) for the rooms of the house in French.</li> <li>I can tell somebody in French what rooms they have or do not have in their home.</li> <li>I can ask somebody else in French what rooms they have or do not have in their home.</li> <li>I can create a longer spoken and written passage in French using previous learning (incorporating personal details such as their name and age).</li> </ul>	Regular and Irregular Verbs	<ul> <li>I can explain what a pronoun is in English and say the following on French, you, he, she, we, you all, they.</li> <li>I can conjugate regular -ER verb.</li> <li>I can conjugate regular -IR verbs.</li> <li>I can conjugate regular -RE verbs.</li> <li>I can explain what a pronoun and a verb is in English and give you most of the French translations for 'I', 'you', 'he', 'she', 'we', 'you all', 'they' (masculine) and 'they' (feminine).</li> <li>I can conjugate most of the irregular verb AVOIR.</li> <li>I can conjugate most of the irregular verb ÊTRE.</li> <li>I can conjugate most of the irregular verb ALLER.</li> <li>I can conjugate most of the irregular verb FAIRE.</li> </ul>	
Concepts	Speaking and listening, reading	Speaking an	nd listening, reading, writing.		Speaking and listening, reading, writing.	Concepts	Speaking and listening, reading, writing.	

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I Can	<ul> <li>I can name up to five common French verbs/activities.</li> <li>I can spell up to five of these verbs accurately.</li> <li>I can match up to five verbs/activities to their picture.</li> <li>I can say I am able to do some of these activities in French by using je peux.</li> </ul>	Under the Sea	<ul> <li>I can sing songs in French.</li> <li>I can recognise at least five sea creatures.</li> <li>I can use verbs to describe.</li> </ul>	In the Classroom	<ul> <li>I can repeat, remember and attempt to spell 12 classroom objects in French with their correct indefinite article/determiner.</li> <li>I am able to change the word for 'a' before a classroom object to the correct word for 'my '.</li> <li>I can recall in spoken and written form what I have and do not have in my pencil case.</li> </ul>	Me in the World	<ul> <li>I know that there are many countries that have French as their official language and can name five of them in French.</li> <li>I can locate these countries on a map of the world.</li> <li>I can name and mention a few key facts in French about two celebrations in French speaking countries.</li> <li>I can use 'a' when talking about living in a city and 'en/au/aux' when talking about living in a country.</li> <li>I can tell you at least one thing that I am going to do help protect our planet.</li> </ul>	
Concepts	Speaking and listening, reading	Concepts	Speaking and listening, reading, writing.	Concepts	Speaking and listening, reading, writing.	Concepts	Culture, speaking, listening, reading and writing.	

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Little Red Riding Hood	<ul> <li>I can listen and follow the entire story of Little Red Riding Hood in French and understand most of what I hear.</li> <li>I can recognise all of the words for the picture cards in French linked to the story.</li> <li>I can remember and spell five parts of the body.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can remember most of the language covered in the 'Presenting Myself'.</li> <li>I can tell you the words for family members in French.</li> <li>I can say if I am an only child or, if not, the siblings I have, how old they are and what they are called.</li> <li>I can recognise numbers 1-70 in French.</li> <li>I can say how old various family members are.</li> <li>I can recognise at least five items of clothes.</li> <li>I can spell five items of clothes correctly.</li> <li>I am confident using un/une/des.</li> <li>I can say what I am wearing.</li> <li>I can use the verb porter.</li> <li>I can use the verb porter.</li> <li>I can describe clothing by colour.</li> <li>I am beginning to understand the concept of adjectival agreement.</li> <li>MA and MES.</li> </ul>	•	I can remember, recall and spell the seven days of the week. I can remember, recall and spell the twelve months of the year. I can remember, recall and spell numbers 1-31. I can use my knowledge of the days of the week, months of the year and numbers 1-31 in order to say the date. I can say when my birthday is.	At the Weekend	<ul> <li>I can ask what the time is in French and can use quarter past, half past and quarter to.</li> <li>I can speak confidently about activities I do at the weekend.</li> <li>I am able to highlight the verb in these sentences .</li> <li>I can give you an account of what I do at the weekend and at what time, integrating connectives into my work.</li> </ul>		
Concepts	Speaking and listening, reading, writing.	Culture, speaking and listening, reading, writing.		peaking and listening, reading, riting.	Concepts	Culture, speaking and listening, reading, writing.		

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	Year 3		Year 4		Year 5		Year 6
Fruit and Vegetables	<ul> <li>I can repeat and recognise ten fruits in French with their correct article.</li> <li>I can spell five fruits.</li> <li>I can ask somebody in French if they like a particular fruit.</li> <li>I can say in French which of the ten fruits I like and dislike.</li> <li>I can repeat and recognise ten vegetables in French with their correct article.</li> <li>I can spell five vegetables.</li> <li>I can ask somebody in French for a particular vegetable and quantity.</li> <li>I can perform a French role play about buying fruit and vegetables at a market stall.</li> </ul>	Habitats	<ul> <li>I can name at least one of the essential elements that plants and animals need to survive in their habitat.</li> <li>I can tell you in French different types of habitats and name examples.</li> <li>I can tell you in French which animals and which plants live and grow in one type of habitat.</li> </ul>	The Weather	<ul> <li>I can repeat the weather vocabulary with good pronunciation.</li> <li>I can write sentences which talk about the weather with the correct spelling.</li> <li>I can ask what the weather is in French and can attempt to give the reply in French.</li> <li>I can read a French weather map and present the weather verbally.</li> </ul>	Healthy Lifestyles	<ul> <li>I can now name and recognise at least five foods and drinks that are considered good for a healthy diet.</li> <li>I can name at least five foods and drinks that are considered bad for a healthy diet if eaten in excess.</li> <li>I can tell you at least one thing that I do during the week in terms of exercise.</li> <li>I can give you a general account of what I do to lead a healthy life style.</li> <li>I can now follow a simple French recipe.</li> </ul>
Concepts	Speaking and listening, reading, writing.	Concepts	Speaking and listening, reading, writing.	Concepts	Speaking and listening, reading, writing.	Concepts	Speaking and listening, reading, writing.

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S	<ul> <li>I can recognise ten musical instruments.</li> <li>I can name five musical instruments in French with the correct gender.</li> <li>I am able to match French spellings to their appropriate picture.</li> <li>I can say I play five instruments of my choice, using the verb jouer.</li> </ul>	'e a Pet?	<ul> <li>I can name eight pets.</li> <li>I can spell at least five pets.</li> <li>I can ask somebody if they have a pet</li> <li>I can tell you the name of my pet using a full sentence in French.</li> <li>I can improve my spoken and written French using the connectives ET ("and") or MAIS ("but").</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>I can name at least five school subjects and spell these correctly.</li> <li>I can use the correct article.</li> <li>I can say what subjects I like and dislike at school.</li> <li>I can tell you what time I have a particular subject at school.</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>I can tell somebody in French some key facts about things that animals and plants need to survive in their various habitats.</li> <li>I can tell somebody in French examples of the most common habitats for particular plants and animals and give an example of where these habitats can be found.</li> <li>I can tell somebody in French what types of animals live in different habitats and what their particular adaptations are to best suit their environment.</li> </ul>	
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#### **Intention 1** – It is our intention for children to speak with **clear intonation and pronunciation** using French.

Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
<ul> <li>Children will be introduced to the 18 main French sounds and phonemes.</li> <li>Children will be introduced to the vowel sounds.</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Children will revisit the 18 main sounds and phonemes.</li><li>Children will recap the vowel sounds.</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Children will be introduced to the E,e,e,eau and eux sounds.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Children will be introduced to qu,gne,c,en and an.</li> </ul>
• Children will learn Ch (like SH in English), OO like tooth, onn (long ohnnn sound), oi (wa)	<ul> <li>Children will be introduced to i(ee), In(an), ique (eek), ille(iyuh)</li> </ul>	É E È EAU EUX	QU         GNE         Ç         EN *         AN *           In French he letter 'ç' is dways followed by eltter 'v, eltter'         This French a tricky one for Erglish speaker.         The French letter 'ç' (this is a letter 'c' (this is a nesal sound a letter 'c' (this is sound and as         The French 'a nesal sound as
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Intention 2 - It is our intention that children listen and understand spoken French.

Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
<ul> <li>Year 3</li> <li>Children will listen and respond to familiar spoken words, phrases and sentences.</li> <li>Children will develop an understanding of the sounds of individual letters and groups of letters.</li> <li>Children will listen to stories and songs and be able to identify key vocabulary.</li> <li>Children will recognise and understand</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Year 4</li> <li>Children will listen for and identify specific words and phrases in instructions, stories and songs.</li> <li>Children will follow a text accurately whilst it is being read.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Year 5</li> <li>Children will listen attentively and understand more complex phrases and sentences in longer passages.</li> <li>Children will understand longer listening exercises and be able to identify key words and phrases., answering questions.</li> <li>Children will read a variety of simple texts.</li> <li>Children will follow and give simple instructions.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Year 6</li> <li>Children will understand the main points in a passage of language spoken with the correct pronunciation and speed.</li> <li>Children will understand and identify longer and more complex phrases and sentences in listening exercises and be able to answer questions based on what they hear.</li> </ul>
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**Intention 3** - . It is our intention that children will have the **confidence** to communicate, ask questions and give opinions in French.

Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
<ul> <li>Children will speak with others using simple words, phrases and short sentences.</li> <li>Children will speak aloud familiar words or short phrases in chorus.</li> <li>Children will use correct punctuation when speaking.</li> <li>Children will be able to ask simple questions about name and age.</li> <li>Children will be able to communicate simple nouns and adjectives.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Children will communicate by asking and answering a wide range of questions, using longer phrases and sentences.</li> <li>Children will present short pieces of information to another person.</li> <li>Children will apply phonic knowledge to support speaking.</li> <li>Children will accurately read and understand familiar written words, phrases and short sentences.</li> <li>Children will use a wider range of vocabulary to ask and understand questions.</li> <li>Children will understand and communicate using a wider range of familiar nouns.</li> <li>Children will describe people, places and themselves using adjectives.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Children will take part in short conversations.</li> <li>Children will present to another person using sentences, correct pronunciation, gesture and intonation to convey accurate meaning.</li> <li>Children will understand and express simple opinions using familiar topics and vocabulary.</li> <li>Children will be able to communicate the date including the day, number and month.</li> <li>Children will communicate simple statements and present information.</li> <li>Children will be able to communicate simple descriptions orally.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Children will read aloud with expression and accurate pronunciation.</li> <li>Children will read and understand the main points and specific details from a variety of simple texts.</li> <li>Children will use spoken language to initiate and sustain simple conversations on familiar topics.</li> <li>Children will tell stories from their own experiences.</li> <li>Children will present to an audience about familiar topics.</li> <li>Children will use connectives to link together what they say.</li> <li>Children will be able to communicate the time.</li> <li>Children will be able to express a statement in the positive and negative.</li> </ul>

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Intention 5- It is our intention that children write at varying lengths in the French language.

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Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Children will understand better the	• Children will understand the use of the	Children will use conjunctions and	Children will write expressing their
concept of gender.	possessive.	connectives.	opinion.
Children will have better knowledge	<ul> <li>Children will understand and use a</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Children will use the regular verb</li> </ul>	Children will use the irregular verb
and recall of 1st person singular of high	range of adjectives.	conjugation.	conjugation.
frequency verbs.	Children will understand the negative	Children will understand what the	Children will write in paragraphs.
• Children will write familiar simple words	form.	different parts of a fully conjugated verb	Children will confidently use verbs in
from memory or using supported	Children will write familiar words,	look like.	the correct person.
written materials.	phrases and simple sentences	Children will use a range of personal	Children will identify and correctly use
Children will be able to write the	Children will be able to write the	pronouns.	adjectives and connectives, placing
numbers 1-10.	numbers to 100 and use them .	Children will write simple sentences	them correctly in a sentence and
Children will be able to write simple	Children will understand and write	and short paragraphs.	understanding adjectival agreement.
greetings.	verbs in the 1 <sup>st</sup> person.	• Children will use a dictionary to support	
	Children will write longer phrases and	spellings.	
	sentences using a verb in the first	Children will be able to write simple	
	person, a noun and the correct article.	descriptions.	

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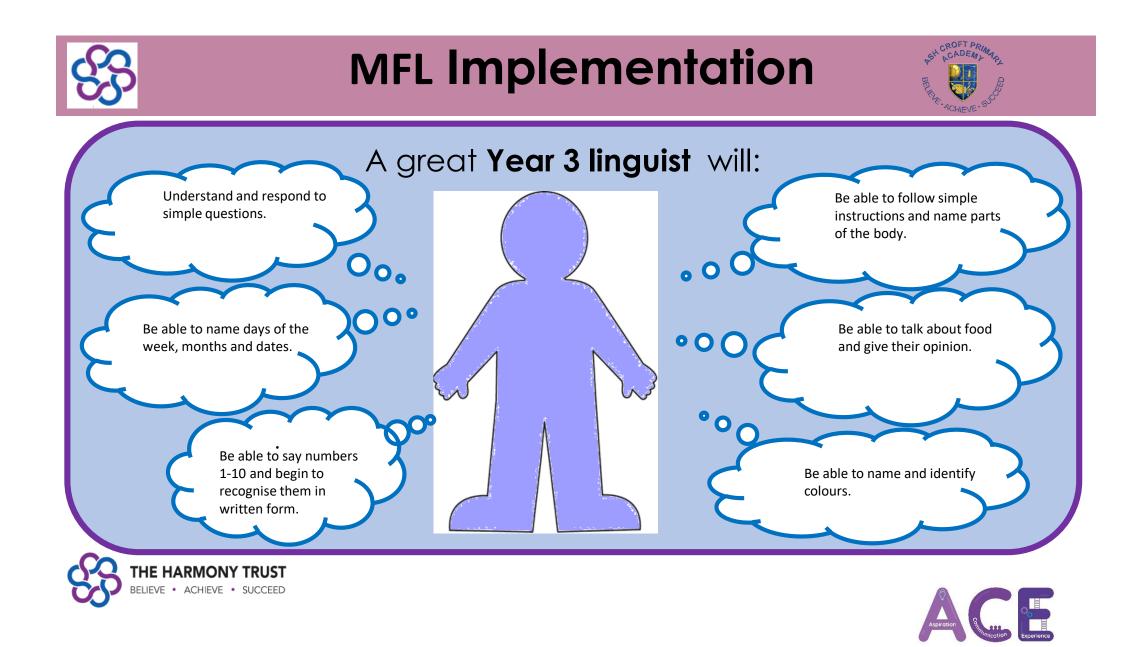
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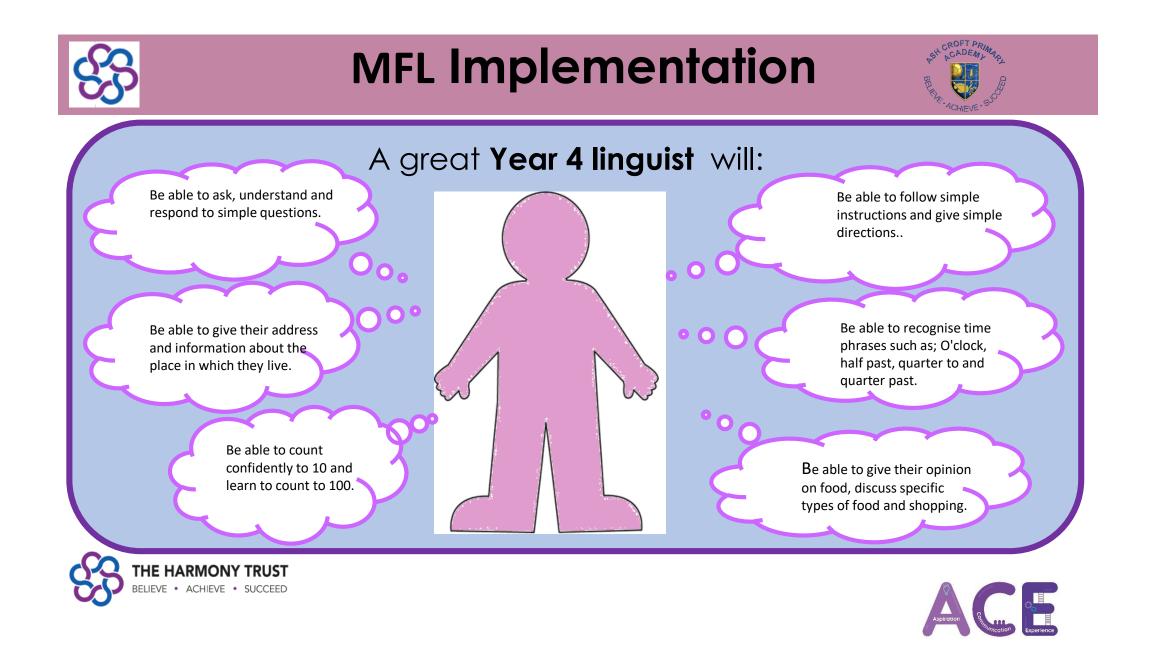
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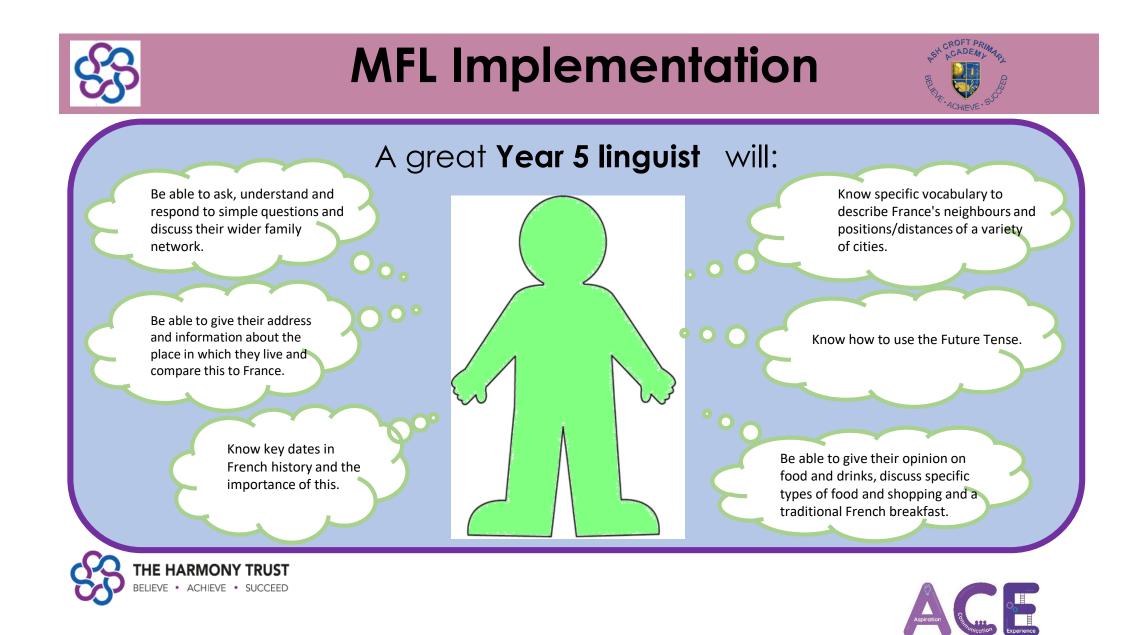


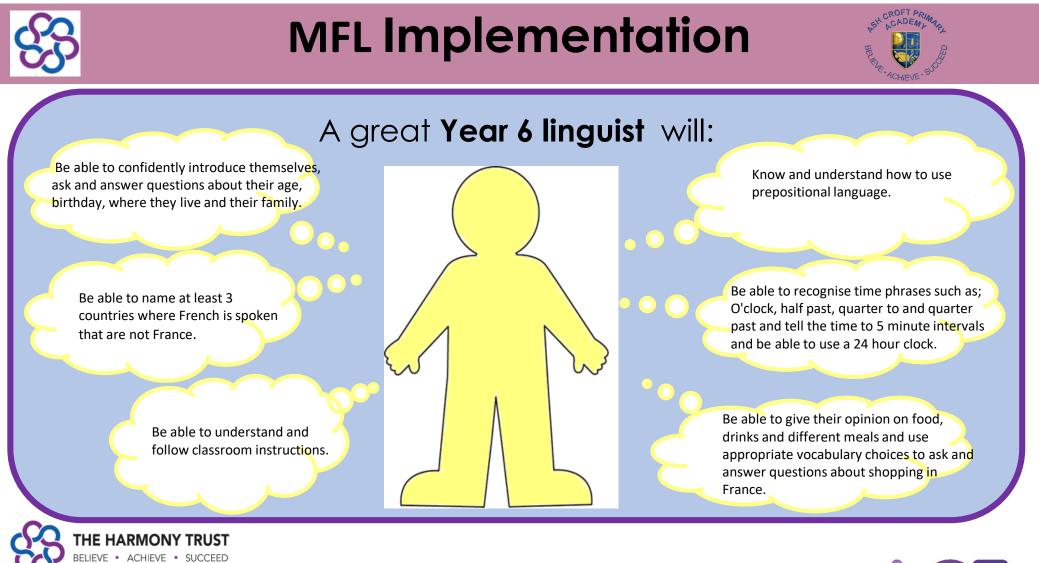
Intention 6 - It is our intention that children will have a secure knowledge of the countries in which French is spoken.

Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Children will learn that French is spoken in France and that the capital city is Paris. They will also be able to identify this on a map.	Children will know that French is spoken in France and that the capital city is Paris. They will also learn that French is spoken in 28 other countries in addition to France, one of which is Switzerland.	Children will be able to locate the countries where French is spoken. Children will develop an understanding of French culture, food and landmarks.	Children will be able to locate the countries where French is spoken. Children will develop an understanding of French culture, food and landmarks.









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