**MFL long-term matrix 2025-2026**

**Y3-Y6 iLanguages French Scheme of Work Overview**

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|   | **HT1**  | **HT2**  | **HT3**  | **HT4**  | **HT5**  | **HT6**  |
| **Y3**  | Greetings and French culture Classroom instructions Animals vocabulary Numbers and plurals  | Connectives and simple sentences Gender Memorisation and storytelling Saying my name Christmas   | French names Colours Opinions Word order of adjectives A traditional story: the Enormous turnip  | Numbers 1-10 French Maths: addition and subtraction *J’ai* (I have) Age Easter  | Definite (*le,la,les*) and indefinite (*un, une, des)* articles *Je voudrais* (I would like) Extending sentences with *mais*  | *C’est* Extending sentences with *aussi* Numbers 1-15 Days of the week Assessments Paris project  |
| **Y4**  | Revision of animals and classroom instructions A French poem How to use a French bilingual dictionary Parts of the body  | Colours Adjectival agreements Food Opinions about food Goldilocks story Christmas: the snowman  | *Je voudrais* with food Phonemes **e** and **an** Revise numbers 1-15  Months Numbers 16-31 French Maths: division and multiplication April fool’s day (*poisson d’avril*)  | Dates and birthdays Personal descriptions (hair and eye colour) Phonemes **r** and **ch**   | Family vocabulary Possessive adjectives (*mon,ma,mes*) Phoneme **eu** Further dictionary skills Clothing vocabulary Revise adjectival agreements  | Memorise a short text (Talk4writing) Revise food, opinions, months, numbers and personal descriptions Assessments French food project   |
| **Y5**  | Revise opinions Sports vocabulary Sports clothing Verb *avoir* Phonemes **a** and **ai** Masculine and feminine nouns Dictionary skills  | Weather vocabulary Hobbies vocabulary Pets Phonemes **qu** and **oi** Traditional tale: The fox and the crow Christmas in France  | Verb *être* Dictionary skills Revise dates Numbers 32-60 School subjects   | Words starting with **h** Primary school in France Subject preferences Reasons Verb *aller* Transport vocabulary Easter: Mardi gras  | Items in a classroom Possessive adjectives (revision and new) Prepositions  Pronunciation: silent letters at the end of words  | Revise aller The simple future tense Revision  Assessments Project: West Africa where French is spoken  |
| **Y6**  | Revise *avoir* and *être* Questions Telling the time Daily routine  | Daily routine in other countries Houses Rooms in a house Christmas: toys from around the world  | *Je peux* + infinitive Bedroom descriptions Places in a town  | Revise places in town Revise *aller* Directions Revise food Buying food April fool’s day  | Numbers 61-100 Ordering food in a café Famous French food and menus The perfect (past) tense  | The perfect (past) tense Revision Assessments The French alphabet  |