

Key Stage 3 French Grammar Progression Year 9

AUTUMN	Using jouer / faire with sports Understanding / using on peut + infinitive Revisiting adjectival agreements	Using the comparative Recapping gender + adjectival agreements	Using 'il faut / il ne faut pas' + infinitive Continuing to use infinitives correctly Translating the French present tense into English Using different strategies to describe a photo	Using three tenses together Being able to ask and answer questions Translation skills	Being able to say what is wrong Using j'ai mal + the definite article Using depuis (for / since) Using il faut + infinitive	
SPRING 1	Using on peut + infinitive Understanding / using negatives (on ne peut pas) Understanding different words for in Using connectives	Using il y a ... and il n'y a pas de ... Asking someone the way Using commands Differentiating between the tu and vous forms	Understanding / using irregular adjectives Using the superlative Being able to make comparisons	Being able to ask questions Using je voudrais / j'aimerais + infinitive / pour + infinitive Being able to use negatives (je ne voudrais pas)	Using the si clause Being able to use a variety of time frames Using connectives Being able to use more than one tense	Being able to form negatives Using the present tense together with the future / perfect / imperfect Using translation skills / strategies
SPRING 2	Asking questions Using vouloir Use of je voudrais Revising time / listening for numbers Using the superlative	Using comparative adjectives (plus que / moins que) Being able to use direct object pronouns (je le regarde) Using connectives, opinions and reasons	Using aller / faire Using cognates Using irregular verbs in the present tense Using comparative adjectives (plus que / moins que) The relative pronoun que Using pour + infinitive	Revisiting present tense verbs Recognising cognates Using a variety of time phrases Using modal verbs	Using verbs in the present tense Using a variety of structures to give opinions with reasons Using negatives Being able to conjugate the verb venir	Being able to use three tenses when describing a music event Using different time frames Listening for detail / tenses

SUMMER	Revisiting the present tense of avoir and être Using possessive adjectives Recapping adjectival agreement Using negatives (il n'est pas) Using a range of prepositions	Understanding / using -er verbs in the present tense Using the third person (on...) Abstract nouns Using intensifiers Expressing opinions Revisiting negatives	Being able to talk about your family in growing detail Understanding / using reflexive verbs Revisiting possessive adjectives	Conjugating the verb aller Using the near future tense Using the 24-hour clock Being able to ask questions and using a range of questioning terms	Using the perfect tense (avoir and être verbs) Using more than one tense with confidence Being able to understand longer reading passages Using time phrases	Using a combination of tenses Using questions to structure writing Understanding longer written passages Expressing opinions
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