Languages Curriculum Overview – Lower Key Stage 2 (Y3/4)

Cycle 1	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2 Day of Frenchness TdF
Value	**Belonging**	**Aspiration**	**Respect**	**Responsibility**	**Creativity**	**Wonder**
Enquiry Question	Home is where the heart is	What is greatness ?	What are our roots ?	How are we looking after our world for future generations ?	What Dreams Have Shaped the ideas of our Great Visionaries?	How can we measure pride ? How does the land shape our lives
Being a Linguist	Warming up French brains. KISS!	Cognates, patterns, memory hooks	Pattern spotters & sentence detectives	Cognates, patterns, memory hooks	Cognates, memory hooks	Pattern spotter, memory hooks
Link to MFL Skills progression from National Curriculum	Respond to questions with rehearsed answer. Begin to use phonics to read / write	Using colours as adjectives Identifying the noun in a sentence and knowing nouns have a gender	Use a dictionary. Read & write simple sentence using a model, sometimes from memory. Join in with retelling a story	Begin to identify the noun and verb in sentences Recall words with a phoneme	Ask &Answer familiar questions with increasing confidence	Use familiar vocab to say sentences. Recognise the sound of some letter strings
Topic	**All about moi ***	**Petit Poisson Blanc & Noel**	**La galette des rois Editing Petit Poisson Blanc story**	**Ma Famille**	**Quelle est la date aujourd'hui and Key Questions when you meet someone**	**Sport & Le Tour de France**
Key New Vocab	J'habite à introducing yourself	Sea creatures and the key question: Est-ce la maman de...? Non c'est xxx	Children's choice of animals (using dictionary)	Family members	Months and seasons	Jouer au / de, faire de + cognates
Key recycled vocab	Greetings, Je m'appelle, j'ai (age and possibly pet)	Colours Christmas vocab	Colours, c'est, est-ce la maman de..	Numbers, j'ai	Days, numbers. C'est	Sport cognates, colours (in TdeF jerseys)
Grammar	Key Verbs conjugated for Je, Tu. Intro to Noun gender	Nouns and gender Colours as adjectives, agree with gender of the noun	Noun gender and indefinite article choice Colour adjective spelling	Apostrophe vs accents Apostrophe in english Vs apostrophe in French	Noun gender Indefinite article and intro to agreement (not position) of adjectives	Borrowed words are masculine De + le = du De + les = des
Phonics	/ou/ /jh/ /ay/ /uh/ / eu/ /sh/	/an| / /y/ /oh/ /on| / /uh/ /ee/	/e/ /a/ /ay/ /yuh/ /r/ /wah/ /ee/	/eu/ /z/ liaison /y/ /eh/	/wah/ /ou/ /uh/ /an| / /ay/	/eh/ /i/ /oh/
Book / song	Greetings Rap, BBC videos	Petit Poisson Blanc	Our version: Petit Canard Jaune	Voici ma famille BBC video virtualy there	Days of the week	Tour de France Q & As
Outcome	Chn can answer key questions to introduce themselves	Chn know colours can be nouns / adjectives, nouns have a gender & colours change spelling to agree with noun	Colours & numbers & phonic correspondence Children to retell the story to Y2 audience	Chn can talk about their family	Chn made calendar dial to use going forward to say the date. Revisited Q&A for conversation	children can recall sport / hobby expressions Cultural knowledge: Le Tour de France
X-Curricular links		Knowing stories are translated into french	English punctuation & grammar. French Traditions		months in French & English - same initial letter. Use of capitals is different.	

Cycle 2	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Value	**Trust & Collaboration**	**Perseverance**	**Honesy**	**Justice**	**Kindness**	**Wisdom**
Enquiry Question	How are we stronger together?	What matters most, the journey/the destination?	How are there 2 sides to every story ?	Who holds the power ?	How does kindness shape our future?	What have we learned from the past ?
Being a Linguist	Links & memory hooks	memory hooks, false friends & cognates	Memory techniques	Sentence detective	memory hooks, false friends & cognates	Pattern spotter. Sentence detective
Link to MFL Skills progression from National Curriculum	Finding words on a mat. Nouns : gender & plurals Using bilingual dictionary	Nouns & gender Saying a sentence with a scaffold	Asking & answering familiar questions	Write familiar phrases from memory Using a bilingual dict Express a like / dislike	Respond to familiar questions using rehearsed responses	Listen to, Join in and Sing a song / poem from memory. Use a dictionary
Topic	Counting Minibeasts	Dans ma trousse Christmas vocab	Café	Food – expressing a preference	Pets	Colour Poem, Song & Story
Key New Vocab	Coccinelle, sauterelle, fourmi, chenille, limace, escargot , araignee, Abeille, cloporte, vers de terre, mille-pattes,	Il y a / Il n'y a pas de Christmas vocab	Je voudrais Que desirez-vous ? C'est combien ?	Pizza toppings, food and drink J'aime, Je n'aime pas, J'adore, Je déteste	Est-ce que tu as… Oui J'ai / Non Je n'ai pas de	Comme, et Nouns in the poem & story & song
Key recycled vocab	Numbers to 20 Chenille, papillon, escargot	Numbers	J'aime / Je n'aime pas	Je suis, avec 10s to 100	Chien, chat, cheval & Colours	colours
Grammar	Noun gender and plurals	Noun gender Il y a		Du / de la / des avec Identifying nouns / verbs	Je & Tu verb forms & cognates	Conjunction: et. noun gender & article (le la les) Awareness - Colour adjective position & agreement
Phonics	Consonants & silent letters /ee/ /sh/ /ck/ /ss/ /oh/ /a/ /z/ in liasons	/ou/ /g/ /zz/ /e/ /ue/ /un/ /yu/ /jh/ /on/	/uh/ /oo/ /ay/ /yan/	/ny/ /z/ /ou/ /uh/ (in le, de, me, se, que)	/sh/ /wah/ /an|/ /yan/ /o/ /a/	/ou/ /jh/ /oh/ /air/ / eu/ /on|/
Book / song	Reading previous class counting book Petit escargot song, vol vol vol papillon	Dans ma trousse il y a un stylo (francais francais CD1)	Que desirez-vous	Je suis une pizza	As-tu un animal a la maison RAP	Le loup qui voulait changer de couleur, leon le cameleon
Outcome	Reading and writing the sentence Il y a N xxxxxs using plurals.	Pencil case mini book	Saying what you would like and adding up the bill	Expressing a preference Design & label your own pizza	Write a sentence to tell me about yr pets	Write your own colour poem
X-curricular links	Science and geography field trip	RE Traditions / school in France	Café culture in France			