



WALTON HIGH SCHOOL – KS3 CURRICULUM OVERVIEW FOR FRENCH

Year Group	HT1 (Sept-Oct)	HT2 (Nov-Dec)	HT3 (Jan-Feb)	HT4 (March-April)	HT5 (April-May)	HT6 (June-July)
7	Main topics Describing yourself and others.	Main topics School- routine, subjects, opinions.	Main topics Sports and pastimes	Main Topics Home and celebrations	Main Topics Home and celebrations	Main Topics Local area and region Case study: Paris
	Additional Info Key sounds Giving dates Verb forms- infinitives Adjectival agreements The negative form.	Additional Info Module 1 assessment Key sounds Extending range of verbs Telling the time Agreeing and disagreeing	Additional Info Key sounds The French-speaking world Interview with a celebrity Formulate and answering questions	Additional Info Module 3 assessment Key sounds Possessive adjectives Le Petit Nicolas- film study	Additional Info Key sounds Verb forms – using we Festivals in the French-speaking world French breakfast Module 4 assessment	Additional Info Key sounds Near future tense Using the tu/vous forms Ordering in a café Plans for a special weekend bringing together grammar and vocabulary from previous units
8	Main topics- first year of French Describing yourself and others.	Main topics Describing yourself and others School- routine, subjects, opinions.	Main topics School- routine, subjects, opinions Sports and pastimes	Main Topics Sports and pastimes	Main Topics Home and celebrations	Main Topics Home and celebrations
	Additional Info Key sounds Giving dates Verb forms- infinitives Adjectival agreements The negative form.	Additional Info Key sounds Extending range of verbs Telling the time Agreeing and disagreeing	Additional Info Module 2 assessment Film- le petit Nicolas Key sounds The French-speaking world Interview with a celebrity Formulate and answering questions	Additional Info Key sounds The French-speaking world Interview with a celebrity Formulate and answering question Module 3 assessment	Additional Info Key sounds Verb forms – using we Festivals in the French-speaking world French breakfast	Additional Info Using the future tense- planning a visit to a festival in a French-speaking country. Learning about Bastille Day
9	Main topics- third year of French Music and musical tastes	Main topics Primary v Secondary school Before and now- the experience of young refugees.	Main topics Future plans- work/leisure Young inventors / AI	Main Topics The environment Environmental protection – past and future.	Main Topics The French-speaking world	Main Topics The French-speaking world
	Additional Info The language of music Evolution of music	Additional Info Imperfect tense (past tense). Contrasting then and now. Filmstudy : les Chorsites Module 2 assessment	Additional Info Revisiting modal verbs Future tense	Additional Info Comparative/ superlatives Negative forms Conditional tense Module 4 assessment	Additional Info Review of adjectives/superlatives Factfiles and adverts Impressive UNESCO sites Modal verbs- what you can/ want to do Planning excursions	Additional Info Present/ future tense /past tense review Francophone artists, sportspeople, musicians and writers.



WALTON HIGH SCHOOL – KS4 CURRICULUM OVERVIEW FOR FRENCH

Year Group	HT1 (Sept-Oct)	HT2 (Nov-Dec)	HT3 (Jan-Feb)	HT4 (March-April)	HT5 (April-May)	HT6 (June-July)
10	Main topics Media and Technology- My personal world- staying active	Main topics My personal world- Family, friends and friendship. Role-models and celebrations.	Main topics Studying and my future- school life, progress at school, learning languages.	Main Topics Lifestyle. Wellbeing and mental health.	Main Topics Travel and tourism, including ideal holiday and staycations.	Main Topics Travel and tourism, including ideal holiday and staycations.
	Additional Info Present, past, future tenses. Skills- preparing roleplay Listening and transcribing in French. Discussing pros and cons	Additional Info Emphatic and direct object pronouns. Reflexive verbs. Describing a photo Translation into French Extended sentences- sequencers and connectives. Assessment- Listening, Reading, Writing - Exampro	Additional Info Comparative adjectives Impersonal verb structures Opinions with reasons Jan. Mock GCSE speaking exam.	Additional Info Modal verbs- giving advice. Perfect tense of reflexive verbs. Assessment- Listening, Reading, Writing - Exampro	Additional Info Conditional tense. Perfect tense of modal verbs. Range of tenses. Relative pronouns.	Additional Info June- Mock GCSE speaking assessment. Assessment- Listening, Reading, Writing - Exampro
11	Main topics Discussing jobs and work preferences.	Main topics Gap years and apprenticeships Voluntary work Environmental issues	Main topics Global issues- environmental protection Social issues—Poverty/ homelessness	Main Topics Review of themes and subtopics.(1-12) Test and Revise units.	PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS	
	Additional Info Expressing future plans using a range of structures. Translating more complex structures. Expressing opinions in a variety of ways.	Additional Info Roleplays Translating questions in different tenses Nov. Mock GCSE speaking exam Reading/ Listening/ Writing assessment	Additional Info Using a range of tenses to express future action The language of solutions February- Mock exams – Listening, Reading, Writing	Additional Info March-Mock GCSE speaking test		