



Danbury Park Community Primary School French Topics 2022-23

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Jay	Children listen and respond to well-known songs. They learn numbers and colours and play familiar games.		Children listen and respond to well-known songs. They learn to greet each other and introduce themselves		Children listen and respond to well-known songs. They begin to respond and ask a question about their name and age.	
Hummingbird	<p>Unit 2 – Jeux at chanson Children listen and respond to well-known songs. They extend their knowledge of numbers, learn to describe colours and play familiar playground games. They follow simple instructions. They begin to write some familiar words.</p> <p>Language Numbers 11-20 Simple classroom instructions Colours Singular and plural nouns</p>		<p>Unit 5 Les Quatre Amis The children will listen and respond to the story called 'les quatre amis' (the four friends). They will give a description of an animal, making statements about movement. They will develop language and vocabulary from a simple story.</p> <p>Language Giving a simple description Making simple statements Regular _er verbs: il/elle Courir (irregular): il/elle court Pronouns: il/elle Negatives: ne...pas</p>		<p>Unit 6 – ça pousse! The children learn the names of some vegetables grown in a garden and how to say what they like and dislike. They learn how to describe the cycle of a plant and work on the story of <i>Jack and the Beanstalk</i>.</p> <p>Language Expressing likes and dislikes Saying what you would like Questions: without inversions Regular _er verbs, tu and vous</p>	
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Flamingo	<p>Unit 9 – Raconte-moi une histoire In this unit children will work on sounds and spellings. They continue to gain confidence in manipulating numbers. They learn some common adjectives and revise how to make simple feminine agreements. The unit is based on a simplified version of the story of Sleeping Beauty.</p> <p>Language Instructions Numbers in multiples of 10 up to 100 Imperative form: vous Adjectives: masculine and feminine singular agreement Phonic focus: r, an</p>	<p>Unit 10 – Vive le sport Children will learn the names for some sports. They learn the names of some food and drinks associated with healthy and unhealthy lifestyles. They revise the days of the week and learn to say what activities they do on particular days.</p> <p>Language: Make simple statements Questions: Qu'est-ce que? Faire: je fais, tu fais Jouer au (+sport) Faire du/de la/de l' (+sport)</p>	<p>Unit 11 – La Carnaval des Animaux Children will learn about animals, how to describe them and characterised them by music, talk about their habitats. They will learn to tell the time, asking and answering questions and adjectives agreement.</p> <p>Language Giving a simple description (of animals and habitats) Telling the time on the hour Asking and answering simple questions Adverbs: formation with -ment Use of l' before a vowel Phonic focus: revision of ou.</p>	<p>Unit 12 – Quel temps fait-il? Children will learn phrases about the weather and how to say the temperature. Aesop's fable Le Vent et le Soleil is used as a text. Children learn the names of some common clothing and relate these to the weather. They learn to say the date.</p> <p>Language Describing the weather Revision of numbers up to 40 Saying the temperature (plus and minus) Saying the date Complex sentences starting with a clause using Quand ... Phonic focus: revision of common phonemes, especially an/en.</p>	<p>Unit 13 – En route pour l'école Children say the alphabet in French and continue to gain confidence in using numbers. They learn how to understand and use the names for places in the local area. They follow and give directions and they describe their route to school. They learn some simple strategies for keeping the conversation going.</p> <p>Language Describe a journey Simple direction Using strategies to keep a conversation going The alphabet Adverbial time phrases Il y a</p>	<p>Unit 14 – Notre école In this unit children extend their knowledge of places around the school and learn to talk about everyday routines and subjects studied during the school day. They revise telling the time to the hour and extend this to using half-hours and quarter past.</p> <p>Language Making statements using the present tense Making statements with reference to the past Half-past, quarter past, 24 hour notation</p>
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