

French: Year 10 Spring term 2

Learning Journey

What are we learning about?

This half term, you will learn to understand and give information about where you live, including what kind of region it is, what there is to do, what the climate is like and how you help others in the area where you live.



Why are we learning about it?

Discussing where you live is a vital part of introducing who you are to a French-speaking person; the extra detail of being able to describe your region in detail helps with cultural understanding. Home and local area is a very common topic in the GCSE in all skills.



What new KNOWLEDGE will I gain?

- Expanded vocabulary for describing what sort of area you live in.
- Vocabulary for discussing weather and climate.
- Vocabulary for discussing community action/service.

TOPIC: De la ville à la campagne (Home, town, neighbourhood and region)



How does this build on the SKILLS I already have?

In Key Stage 3, you have learned 2 negative structures: ne...pas and ne...jamais. You will expand this to include multiple different negative structures. You learned the simple future tense in the 1st and 3rd person singular in year 9; you will expand this to include all forms of the simple future.



What new SKILLS will I develop?

- You will learn to use a variety of negative structures.
- You will learn to use the demonstrative adjective quell(le)(s).
- You will expand your understanding of the simple future tense and use three timeframes together.



How does this build on the KNOWLEDGE I already have?

You learned to describe where you live in year 8 (My town). This topic is an opportunity to expand on this knowledge and be able to describe where you live in much greater detail, including giving advantages and disadvantages of living in different areas.