



# De Aston School GCSE FOUNDATION French learning journey



		Grade 1				Grade 2				Grade 3		Grade 4		Grade 5		
<b>Listening</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understand a range of familiar words, and some details in short sentences and simple opinions</li> </ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understand some details in sentences, including opinions and reasons</li> </ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understand more details in a paragraph, including opinions with reasons</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understand details in paragraphs including extended opinions, reasons and details in the near future <u>or</u> perfect tense</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understand details in paragraphs including extended opinions, reasons and details in the near future tense <u>and</u> perfect tense</li> </ul>		
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Demonstrate some understanding of main points and simple opinions in short texts using familiar language</li> <li>Translate words/short sentences into English</li> </ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Demonstrate developing understanding of main points and opinions in short texts using familiar language</li> <li>Translate longer sentences into English</li> </ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Demonstrate secure understanding of main points and opinions in texts using familiar language</li> <li>Translate a short paragraph into English</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Demonstrate very good understanding of main points and opinions in longer texts using familiar language</li> <li>Translate a longer paragraph into English</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Demonstrate excellent understanding of main points and opinions in longer texts using familiar and some unfamiliar language</li> <li>Translate a longer paragraph into English</li> </ul>		
<b>Speaking</b>	<b>Accuracy</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Speak with lots of pronunciation mistakes, slowly and with a lot of hesitation</li> </ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Speak with some pronunciation mistakes, quite slowly and with hesitation</li> </ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Speak with mostly accurate pronunciation and some hesitation</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Speak with generally good pronunciation and a bit of hesitation</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Speak confidently with good pronunciation and little hesitation</li> </ul>		
	<b>Communication</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Speak short sentences from memory</li> </ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Speak sentences from memory</li> </ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Speak longer, connected sentences from memory</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Speak longer, connected sentences from memory</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Speak longer, connected sentences from memory</li> </ul>		
		Present tense	Connectives	Opinions	Qualifiers	Other than 'I'	Negatives	Time phrases	Reasons	Infinitive phrases	High level opinions	Conditional tense	Near future tense	Perfect tense	Comparatives	High level connectives
<b>Writing</b>	<b>Accuracy</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lots of mistakes including major tense mistakes, often difficult to understand</li> </ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quite a lot of mistakes including major tense mistakes, sometimes difficult to understand</li> </ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Partly accurate spelling, some tense mistakes, mostly understandable</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mostly accurate spelling, but occasional mistakes with tenses</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mostly accurate spelling, no major tense mistakes but some mistakes with more complex sentences</li> </ul>		
	<b>Communication</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Write/Translate short sentences independently, using common vocabulary, lots of repetition</li> </ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Write/Translate short paragraph independently using common vocabulary, repetition</li> </ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Write/Translate a paragraph independently using varied vocabulary, some repetition</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Write/Translate a longer paragraph independently using varied vocabulary, little repetition</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Write/Translate longer paragraph(s) independently using varied vocabulary, little/no repetition</li> </ul>		
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