

MFL (French or German)

<p>Your Y11 Mock Exams</p> <p>Title and length of paper(s):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Speaking: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 7-9 min (F tier), 10-12 min (H tier) + 12 min preparation time 2. Listening and understanding: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 35 min (F tier), 45 min (H tier) incl. 5 min reading time 3. Reading and understanding in French: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 45 minutes (F tier), 1 hour (H tier) 4. Writing in French: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 1 hour 15 minutes (F tier), 1 hour 20 minutes (H tier) <p>Style(s) of question:</p> <p>Speaking (both tiers):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Task 1: a role play task consisting of 5 bullet points • Task 2: a picture-based task, consisting of a picture description and 4 linked questions • Task 3: a conversation with questions based on two different themes <p>Listening: Multiple-choice and short-answer open response questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundation Tier: Section A has questions set in English. Section B has questions set in French/German. • Higher Tier: Section A has questions set in French/German. Section B has questions set in English. <p>Reading: multiple-choice and short-answer open response questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Section A has questions set in English. • Section B has questions set in French/German. • Section C is a translation passage from French/German <u>into</u> English. <p>Writing: The writing tasks depend upon your Tier of entry:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Foundation Tier: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Task 1 – Describe a picture and give opinions (20-30 words) • Task 2 – Write a 40–50-word text linked to four bullet points, using formal register. You have a choice of 2 questions. • Task 3 – Write an 80–90-word text linked to four bullet points, using informal register. You have a choice of 2 questions. • Task 4 – Translation of 5 short sentences from English <u>into</u> French/German. - Higher Tier: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Task 1 – Write an 80–90-word text linked to four bullet points, using informal register. You have a choice of 2 questions. • Task 2 – Write a 130–150-word text linked to four bullet points, using formal register. You have a choice of 2 questions. • Task 3 – Translation a short paragraph from English <u>into</u> French/German. 		<p>How best to revise for this subject: (activities, how long, when, revisiting ideas ...)</p> <p>For the <u>Speaking & Writing</u> exams: Prepare and practise answers to questions from your speaking & writing exam preparation booklets:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Every week ○ As often as possible ○ In manageable chunks e.g. 4 questions & answers at a time (ask your teacher for specific guidance) ○ Create flashcards with questions and answers <p>Grammar revision, such as conjugating verbs in different tenses:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ As often as possible ○ Activities from your GCSE Revision workbook ○ Choose a number of key verbs from a topic and conjugate them in at least the past, present and future tenses ○ Activities on www.languagesonline.org.uk <p>Review all topic vocabulary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ In bitesize chunks on a regular basis (rather than a large amount all at once) ○ You could: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Use Quizlet vocabulary sets - Create flashcards using your topic vocabulary lists <p>Review language to describe a picture. You could:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Use Quizlet vocabulary sets ○ Create flashcards using language from the “photo description” sheets in your folder ○ Choose a photo and write/say as much as you can about it. <p>Review language to justify opinions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Use Quizlet vocabulary sets to review opinion phrases and connectives ○ Practise giving your opinions in French on anything you can, remembering to add a reason
<p>Themes to be assessed (on each paper):</p> <p>Speaking exam <u>Role Play Task</u></p>	<p>Resources: (incl. page refs / websites etc)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Topic vocabulary lists: 	

<p>1 of these 3 themes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - "Identity & Culture" - "Local Area, Holiday & Travel" - "School" <p><u>Picture Description Task</u></p> <p>1 of these 3 themes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - "Identity & Culture" - "Local Area, Holiday & Travel" - "School" <p><u>General Conversation</u></p> <p>2 themes will be covered:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - "Future aspirations, study and work" (this is known in advance) - EITHER "School" OR "Local Area, Holiday & Travel" <p><u>Listening & Reading exams</u></p> <p>Vocabulary and grammar across all five GCSE themes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - "Identity & Culture" - "Local Area, Holiday & Travel" - "School" - "Future aspirations, study and work" - "International and Global Dimension" <p><u>Writing exam</u></p> <p>The following 4 themes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - "Identity & Culture" - "Local Area, Holiday & Travel" - "School" - "Future aspirations, study and work" 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Units 1, 2 & 3 (French) or units 2, 3 & 4 (German) for "Identity & Culture" • Units 4 & 5 (French) or units 5 & 6 (German) for "Local Area, Holiday & Travel" • Unit 6 (French) or unit 1 (German) for "School" • Unit 7 for "Future aspirations, study and work" <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Your class's Quizlet group at www.quizlet.com ○ Folder of reading & listening past paper sets ○ End of Unit Speaking & Writing Preparation booklets, including sentence builders ○ Speaking past paper role plays and photo cards ○ Edexcel GCSE French / German Revision Workbook ○ www.languagesonline.org.uk (for grammar revision including tenses) ○ GCSE French - Edexcel - BBC Bitesize ○ GCSE German - BBC Bitesize 	<p>Complete vocabulary, grammar and exam-style question activities from your Revision Workbook.</p> <p>Complete example translation questions from English <u>into French / German</u>.</p> <p>For the Listening & Reading exams:</p> <p>Review all topic vocabulary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ In bitesize chunks on a regular basis (rather than a large amount all at once) ○ You could: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Use Quizlet vocabulary sets - Create flashcards using your topic vocabulary lists <p>Complete questions from your set of Reading & Listening past paper folders, one or two per week as a minimum.</p> <p>Complete example listening and reading activities and questions from your Revision Workbook.</p> <p>Complete example translation questions from French/German <u>into English</u>.</p> <p>Watch a show or film you know well on an online platform, with the audio set to French/German and the subtitles set to English (or French / German if you're in need of further challenge!)</p> <p>Listen to French/German music: www.lyricstraining.com has a variety of listening challenges.</p>
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<p>What support could be happening in lessons?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Speaking practice, using example exam-style questions including those from your speaking & writing preparation booklets, and feedback on this • Example writing exam task practice and feedback. • Listening & Reading questions • Tasks using 3 or more tenses. • Vocabulary quizzes 	<p>What could I expect for homework?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preparing written answers in French/German to questions from your speaking & writing preparation booklets. • Practising and learning answers to questions in your speaking and writing preparation booklets. • Example reading & listening exam-style questions • Vocabulary learning
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