

MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES- FRENCH



Curriculum Overview Key Stage 5

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Examination Specification: Edexcel		
	Topic	Key Themes
YEAR 12	Thème 1 : Les changements dans la société française (Family)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Different types of modern family - Recent changes in relationships and marriage - Concerns and problems within the family
	Thème 1 : Les changements dans la société française (Education)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Educational system - Expectations of pupils and how they deal with them - Awareness of universities and the 'Grandes Ecoles' in France
	Thème 1 : Les changements dans la société française (The world of work)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Balancing work commitments and social life - The history of strikes in France - Discrimination in the workplace
	Thème 2 : La culture politique et artistique dans les pays francophones (Music)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Contemporary francophone music - The development of francophone music - The influence of music in modern society

	Thème 2 : La culture politique et artistique dans les pays francophones (Media)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Freedom of the Press - The influence of the internet on the written press - The effects of media and new technology on political and social life - How Christmas and other religious festivals are changing in France - The influence of other cultures on festivals in France and outre-mer
	Thème 2 : La culture politique et artistique dans les pays francophones (Customs)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Everyday customs and traditions in France - Customs in francophone countries
	Independent research project	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Developing research skills - Demonstrating the ability to initiate and conduct individual research on a subject of personal interest relating to the countries or communities where French is spoken - Identifying a key question or subject of interest - Selecting relevant information in French from a range of authentic sources including the internet - Using information to illustrate knowledge and understanding of the research subject - Analysing research findings - Elaborating on key points of interest as appropriate through oral presentation and discussion
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YEAR 13	Thème 3: L'immigration et la société multiculturelle française	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The impact of immigration on French society - The contributions of immigrants on the economy - The contributions of immigrants on the culture
	Thème 3: L'immigration et la société multiculturelle française	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The challenges of immigration and integration in France - What communities do - The marginalisation and alienation from the immigrants' point of view

	<u>Thème 3:</u> L'immigration et la société multiculturelle française	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The far right - The rise of the National Front - Public opinion
	<u>Thème 4:</u> L'Occupation et la Résistance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Le régime de Vichy Maréchal Pétain The national revolution - The Résistance Jean Moulin Charles de Gaulle - The women in the resistance - The French resistance La résistance des français
	Littérature : No et Moi Film : Intouchables	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Critically analysing the work - Evaluating the form and techniques used in the work - Presenting and justifying viewpoints - Developing logical arguments to persuade - Relating the work to key concepts, issues and the social context - Writing a critical response.

