

Autumn 1 Year 4 Overview

Key facts

France is part of Europe.
A different language is spoken there.
Paris is the capital of France.
France is on the other side of the English Channel to Britain.
People greet each other in different ways

Resources

Rising Stars – Euro Stars Book 1 and associated materials

All About Me - Moi

Brief summary

Children will listen to spoken language and show understanding by listening and joining in.

They will explore patterns and sounds of language through songs and link the spelling, sound and meaning of words.

Prior Knowledge

Children know Bonjour and Aureviour

They are aware that it is a country in Europe whose primary language is not English.

Key Vocabulary

Bonjour	jem'appelle
Ca va	comment tu t'appelles
Ca va bein	French numbers 1-10
Aureviour	

Cross curricular links/visits

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Jeux et chansons

Brief summary

The children will use new French vocabulary learnt to take part in songs and games.

They will extend their understanding of vocabulary using the plural of some items, in order to do this.

Prior Knowledge

Children know *bonjour*, *au revoir*, *cava*, *cava bien*, *cava mal*, *oui*, *non*, *et toi* and numbers 1-10.

Key Vocabulary

Numbers 11 – 20.
Names of various games and sports.
Le chat, *le chien*, *la souris* and the plural.

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Spring 1 Year 4 Overview

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Prior Knowledge

Children have learnt numbers 1-20 in French. They are able to hold short conversations using greetings and can name some French children's games. Children can state a simple preference.

On Fait la Fait

Brief summary

The children will find out about key events in the French calendar, looking at celebrations that are global and specific to the French culture.

Children will learn months of the year and match them to the celebrations that take place.

Key Vocabulary

Bien ne... pas joyeux anniversaire

Les mois (French names for months of the year)

Je peux s'il te plait

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Spring 2 Year 4 Overview

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Prior Knowledge

Children have learnt numbers to 20 in French and have explored French celebrations. They are able to hold a simple conversation greeting one another in French.

Portraits

Brief summary

The children will learn names of some colours in French.

They will be able to vocalise le and la correctly in conversation and during written activities.

Children will be able to describe facial features in French.

Key Vocabulary

Colours in French e.g. rouge = red, vert = green.

Facial features

The correct use of le and la

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Summer 1 Year 4 Overview

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Les Quatre Amis

Brief summary

The children will learn the names of some domestic and farmyard animals and will be able to describe simple movements. Children will use the masculine il and feminine elle in their verbal and written sentences.

Prior Knowledge

Children have learnt numbers 1-20 in French. They are able to hold short conversations using greetings and can name some French children's games. Children can name colours, facial features and use le and la.

Key Vocabulary

Il elle

Names of some domestic animals e.g. souris = mouse

Names of some movements

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Ca Pousse (Growing Things)

Brief summary

The children will be able to describe their preferences when naming types of fruit and vegetables.

They will engage in rhymes and songs to rehearse and revise vocabulary learnt so far.

Prior Knowledge

Children now have a bank of greetings vocabulary, can name some colours, animals and movements in French. They are able to hold a short conversation with one another.

Key Vocabulary

J'aime j'naime

Name examples of vegetables

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