

Topic Lists for MFL
Autumn Term
September/ October 2020

French

Year 9

Describing yourself and others

Saying what you do/ don't do

Talking about what you are going to do

Grammar:

- gender and number
- definite and indefinite articles
- il y a / il n'y a pas
- il(s)/elle(s) meaning 'it'/'they'
- possessive adjectives
- être vs avoir
- regular adjective gender agreement (-e, -euse)
- present tense of -ER verbs (all persons)
- question formation (intonation and inversion, with and without question words) in single-verb structures
- negation with ne ... pas
- aller + infinitive (future intention)

Year 10

Talking about food and meals

Shopping

Describing your daily life

Use polite language

Describe family celebrations

Describe festivals and celebrations

Recap of core, high-frequency vocabulary

Grammar:

- pouvoir and devoir
- tu and vous forms
- venir de + infinitive
- Using a combination of tenses
- The partitive article
- Boire and prendre
- Il faut
- Il and elle, meaning it
- Asking questions
- En
- 12 key verbs in three tenses

Year 11

Discussing career choices

Talking about hopes, plans and wishes

Applying for jobs

Understand people talking about their jobs

Recap of core, high-frequency vocabulary

Grammar:

- Saying the best/ worst thing
- Understanding the subjunctive
- Object pronouns
- Using verbs followed by à or de
- 12 key verbs in three tenses
- Revise the conditional
- Gender in job nouns
- The perfect infinitive
- Complex sentences using si, quand and lorsque

Spanish

Year 9

Classroom commands and greetings
Saying what someone is like (at the moment)
Saying what people have
Saying what people have
Saying what there is around you
Describing what people do

Grammar:

- ESTAR
- adjective agreement
- TENER
- Singular indefinite article
- plural indefinite article
- plural nouns with '-s'
- hay
- es (in infinitive sentences)
- regular verbs in the present tense

Year 10

Talking about socialising and family
Describing people
Talking about social networks
Making arrangements
Talking about reading

Grammar:

- Using ser and estar
- The present tense
- Poder and querer
- Possessive adjectives
- Revise adjectival endings
- Para + infinitive
- Present continuous
- Reflexive verbs
- 12 key verbs in three tenses

Year 11

Describing mealtimes, restaurants and food
Talk about daily routine
Talking about illness and injuries
Comparing festivals and talking about celebrations
Talking about a music festival

Grammar

- Reflexive verbs revised, and in the preterite
- The passive
- Irregular verbs in the preterite
- Expressions followed by the infinitive

German

****Please note, the topics and grammar listed below for German cover the entire year and shown in the order in which they are taught****

Year 9

Introductions

Numbers 1-20 and alphabet

Talking about where you live

Describing your character

Family and pets

Colours

Dates and birthday

Talking about your hobbies

Talking about what you do online

School subjects and talking about your timetable

Describing your teachers

Talking about the classroom and school rules

Describing your town

Shopping

Talking about plans for the summer

Past tense

Grammar:

- Articles and gender
- Present tense
- Plural forms of nouns
- Ordinal numbers (dates)
- 'gern'
- Irregular verbs in the present tense
- Word order - verb second idea
- 'weil'
- Modal Verbs
- Future tense
- Past tense

Year 10

School life

Free time and hobbies

Self, family and friends

House and home, daily routine and healthy living

Grammar:

- Present tense recap
- Adjective endings
- Word order
- Past tense
- Asking questions
- Modal verbs
- Future tense
- Possessive adjectives
- Prepositions

- Separable verbs
- Reflexive verbs
- Subordinating conjunctions

Year 11

Town and region

Coping in transactional situations (in a shop, restaurant etc.)

Holidays

The world of work

Environment on social issues

Grammar:

- Comparatives and superlatives
- Commands
- Adjective endings
- Masculine and feminine nouns
- Sequences (firstly, secondly, then, after that etc.)
- Imperfect tense
- Word order with 'um...zu'
- Question words
- Adverbs