

Teaching Type: Early Language



Unit: J'APPRENDS LE FRANÇAIS

Unit Objective: To find France on a map, say how you feel, learn 10 colours and count from 1-10 in French.

## By the end of this unit we will be able to:

- To locate France, Paris and a few key cities on a map.
- Say our name, how we are feeling, learn up to 10 colours and count from 1-10 in French.

## Skills we will develop:

Starting to work on our memory skills so language is remembered after the lesson and trying to remember some/all spellings from memory. Learning to always look for cognates first (such as **bleu** for blue) and associating word and phrases to images to help.

## Activities we will complete:

There will be a number of different activities to improve our cultural awareness of France and French speaking countries. Finding France and locating Paris on a map. Plenty of oral role play tasks to ask how somebody is feeling and replying using all three options. Learning ten colours and a song and be able to count from 1-10 in French.

# It will help if we already know:

• None as this is recommended as a starter unit.

## Phonics & pronunciation we will see:

Recommended phonics focus: CH OU ON OI

- OI sound in trois & noir
- ON sound in marron
- OU sound in rouge
- Silent letters. The 's' in gris, 't' in vert and violet, 'c' in blanc, 'x' in deux and the 's' in trois. There are many silent letters at the end of French words.
- **Guttural 'R'.** Becoming more familiar with the French 'r' sound as seen in **noir, orange, gris, marron, vert, rouge, trois** & **quatre**. Made from the back of the mouth, not the front.
- **Elision.** Je m'appelle. Dropping of the last letter of a word (in this case the 'e' in me) and replacing it with an apostrophe. Attaching it to the word that follows which begins with a vowel or mute 'h'. This is in order to facilitate pronunciation. It is not optional in French.

## Grammar we will learn & revisit:

None in this unit as it is an introductory unit.

## Vocabulary we will learn & revisit:

Language to ask how somebody is feeling and give a reply. Ten key colours and numbers 1-10. All on Vocabulary Sheet.

### Morpeth First School Knowledge Organiser

Topic: French	Year group	Term
I am learning French	Year 3	Autumn 1
J'apprends le francais		sessions

### Background knowledge

France is a large country in Europe. It is sometimes known as L'hexagon because of its shape. It is bordered by several countries - Spain and Andorra to the south, Belgium, Luxembourg, Italy, Switzerland, Monaco and Germany to the east. The main language is French and there are regional variations.

### What should I already know?

I know the names of some European countries.

I can find the UK on a map.

I may know some numbers to 10

I may know 6 simple colours

National Curriculum Objectives / Key Skills	The Journey	
Speaking	1 France & French speaking countries	
Say colours and numbers 1-10. Role play on saying how you are and what your name is	2 Asking & saying how you feel	
Listening .Listen to model role-plays and infer meaning. Numbers listening exercise	3 Asking & saying your name	
	4 Numbers 1 to 10 & colours introduction	
Reading	5 Consolidation of colours plus fun	
Match written form of numbers to digits  Match colours to written form	worksheet activities	
Writing	6 End of unit assessments	
Create name labels		
Grammar n/a		

#### **Outcomes**

#### An overview of what children will know / can do

#### Some children

- I can find France on a map of the world.
- I can name the capital of France and three other well known French cities.
- I can name at least two other countries where they speak French in the world.
- I can tell you my name, count to ten and how I am feeling in French.

#### Most children

- I can find France on a map of the world if I am shown Europe first.
- I can name the capital of France immediately and three other well known French cities if I am given an opportunity to look at a map first.
- I can name one other country where they speak French in the world.
- I can tell you my name, count to ten and how I am feeling in French with the help of an adult or the PowerPoint used in class.

#### Some children

- I can find France on a map of the world if an adult directs me to some of the surrounding countries.
- I can name the capital of France.
- I can name one other country where they speak French in the world.
- I can tell you my name, count to ten and how I am feeling in French when a teacher or an adult allows me to practise first and give me a model answer.

Key Vocabulary Time	neline / Diagrams
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Bonjour Hello

Ça va? How are you?

Ça va bien I am fine

Ça va mal I am not very well

Comme ci, comme ça So, so!

Au revoir Goodbye

Comment tu t'appelles?

Sept Seven

Huit Eight

Neuf Nine

Dix Ten

Rouge Red

Bleu Blue

Jaune Yellow

What is your name?

Je m'appelle... My name is ... Vert Green
Un One Noir Black
Deux Two Blanc White
Trois Three Gris Grey
Quatre Four Orange Orange
Cinq Five Violet Purple
Six Six Marron brown

### Key people / places

Paris

### Assessment questions / outcomes

- 1. Which language is spoken in France?
- 2. How do you respond to the question Ça va?
- 3. What is the number? in French
- 4. Which number comes next in French?
- 5. Name the colour of the object