

## Details at a Glance

Qualification

GCSE

Level

1 & 2

Exam Board

WJEC

Tiered

Yes

Limited Group size

Yes



## Staff

Mrs R Thomas

Mrs S Griffiths

## Course Structure

You will learn how to deal with many real life situations and to cope with a wide range of language tasks in French e.g. writing and talking about your home town, your school, your holidays etc., listening to a variety of conversations and discussions covering diverse topics such as the environment and healthy living, reading articles in French magazines and newspapers, composing informal e-mails to friends as well as more formal e-mails to hotels, tourist offices etc.

You will cover

**Youth** relationships, technology and social media; **Culture** Self, fitness, entertainment &

leisure; **Customs & Traditions** Food & drink, festivals & celebrations; **Homes & Localities** Local areas of interest, transport; **France & French speaking countries** Local & regional features & characteristics, holidays & tourism; **Global sustainability** Environment, social issues; **Current Study** School/college life and studies; **World of Work** Work experience and part time jobs, skills and personal qualities; **Jobs and Future plans** Applying for work and study, career plans.

### CAREERS IN MODERN LANGUAGES

Qualifications in Modern Languages are important and very useful with regard to a

very wide range of careers.

They can be used directly for much sought after posts in professions such as teaching, translating and interpreting as well as proving to be a key qualification in services such as banking, finance, law and the tourist industry in general.

Wider skills developed in language learning are beneficial to many areas of study and employment.

It is also important to remember that a growing number of established universities are asking for a minimum of a GCSE qualification in a foreign language as one of the basic requirements, whatever the degree course which you are looking to study.

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## Examination/Assessment

There are **four** units that are assessed—reading, writing, speaking and listening. They are currently each worth 25% of the overall mark. Pupils will sit the higher or

foundation paper in each unit based on their ability and effort over the two years of study.

