



## National Curriculum Coverage Modern Foreign Languages

### How is the Subject Content from the National Curriculum Covered? (See pages 252 - 256 in the National Curriculum)

At St Anthony's Catholic Primary School, we believe that it is of great importance for our pupils to learn at least one modern foreign language. We have chosen French. The study of French will enable our pupils to develop the skills and confidence to consider themselves as 'World Citizens' who belong in a multicultural, mutually respectful world.

By the end of Key Stage 2, our goal is for our pupils to use the French language confidently, using both written and spoken French, and have a sound understanding of the language and culture. We aim to foster our pupil's curiosity about the world around them and the cultures of other people.

### The Programmes of Study

#### Key Stage 2

Children will be taught to:

- listen attentively to spoken language and show understanding by joining in and responding
- explore the patterns and sounds of language through songs and rhymes and link the spelling, sound and meaning of words
- engage in conversations; ask and answer questions; express opinions and respond to those of others; seek clarification and help\*
- speak in sentences, using familiar vocabulary, phrases and basic language structures
- develop accurate pronunciation and intonation so that others understand when they are reading aloud or using familiar words and phrases\*
- present ideas and information orally to a range of audiences\*
- read carefully and show understanding of words, phrases and simple writing
- appreciate stories, songs, poems and rhymes in the language
- broaden their vocabulary and develop their ability to understand new words that are introduced into familiar written material, including through using a dictionary
- write phrases from memory, and adapt these to create new sentences, to express ideas clearly
- describe people, places, things and actions orally\* and in writing