

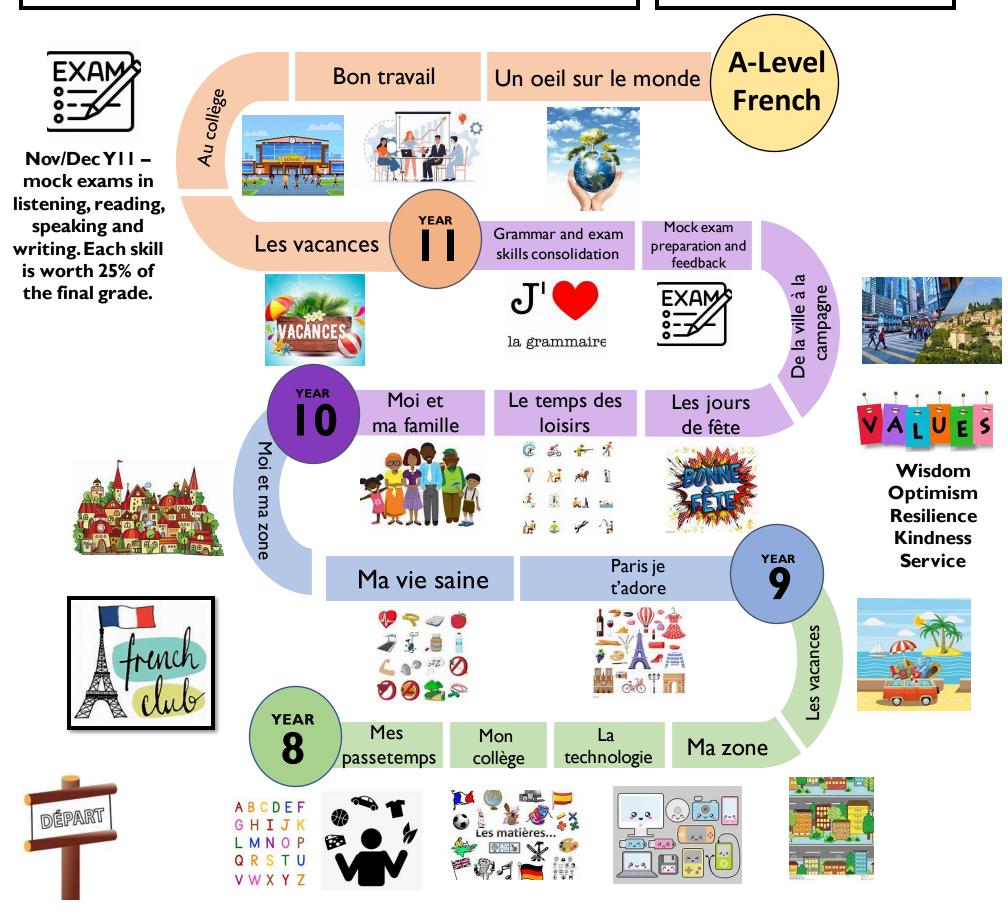
## The Minster School French Journey



We hope that by learning French, our students develop a cultural understanding of French speaking countries and become curious about other cultures and traditions. By learning French, students will have a foundation to be able to learn other languages.

Students start learning French in Y8, alongside Spanish and continue with two languages until the end for Y9. For each unit, students are assessed on at least one skill.

Students choose one language for GCSE, many choose two. We offer French at A-Level and many of our students go on to study French at university. At A-level students study a range of topics related to the societies from French speaking countries such as diversity, youth culture, festivals and traditions, immigration and racism. Furthermore, students study a French film and read and analyse a French book. They develop essay writing skills, which includes critical analysis.



Students begin their French learning journey in Y8, having studied Spanish in Y7.

"Whatever you do, work at it with your whole heart, as though you were working for the Lord." Colossians 3:23