

Slindon CofE Primary School- Progression of skills – MFL

	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Arimary School				
Listening and speaking	Understand a few familiar spoken words and phrases, e.g. instructions, colours, days of the week, numbers, praise words. Say and/or repeat a few words / short simple phrases – e.g. introduce self, short finger rhyme, sequence of colours, classroom objects Imitate correct pronunciation with some success	Understand a range of familiar spoken phrases – e.g. basic phrases concerning myself, my family and school, classroom commands, numbers, colours etc. Listen for and respond to specific words / phrases/ songs or rhymes. Answer simple questions and give basic information – (e.g. introducing self, the weather, brothers and sisters, pets) using short phrases. Say (individually or in small group) a short rhyme, song or part of a story.	Understand the main points from a spoken passage made up of familiar language – e.g. basic conversation when introducing oneself/giving opinions, details about school/ weather forecast. Prepare and practise a simple conversation, re-using familiar vocabulary and structures in new contexts. Ask and answer simple questions– e.g. taking part in / a conversation when meeting French class/an interview/survey about pets/favourite food, talking to a friend about hobbies Talk simply about personal interests.	Understand the main points and some of the detail from a short spoken passage / video/ story / song – e.g. sentences describing what people are wearing/ saying what is wrong at the doctors Take part in a simple conversation, understanding responses. Can substitute items of vocabulary to vary questions or statements.
Reading and writing	Recognises and reads out a few familiar words or phrases – e.g. from stories and rhymes, classroom sign, colour label etc Write or copy simple words and/or symbols correctly – e.g., numbers, colours, objects to make short phrase	Understands some familiar written phrases – e.g. simple weather phrases, basic descriptions of objects Write one or two short sentences with support (e.g. using a model or filling in the words on a simple form – shopping list, e-mail/postcard, table)	Understands the main point(s) from a short written text – e.g. simple messages on a postcard/in an email Match sound to print by reading aloud familiar words and phrases, re-reading frequently a variety of short texts. Write a few short sentences with support using vocab already learnt – e.g.Postcard, simple note or message, identity card Spell some words that are readily understandable	Understand the main points and some of the detail from a short, simple written text. Begin to read independently for information / enjoyment. Spell some commonly used words correctly, and use a bilingual dictionary to look up new words. Write a short text on a familiar topic, adapting language already learnt, using a model.

Intercultural understanding	Understand and respect different	Identify similarities and differences in	Compare aspects of their daily lives	Discuss and present information about
	people and places in the world	my culture to that of another (e.g.	with those of someone from another	a particular aspect of a francophone
		compare celebrations, school life).	country.	country's culture.
	Understand that some people speak a			
	different language to my own	Compare one or two traditional	Respect and understand cultural	Compare attitudes towards aspects of
		stories.	diversity.	everyday life.
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			Compare symbols / objects / pictures	
			that represent their own culture with	
			those of another country.	
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