

ABC Links to literacy

In MFL we develop literacy through listening, reading, speaking and writing tasks. You also develop your use of different grammatical structures and complex language.

AUTUMN - 2

Topic name: **Free time**
Why study this topic?

Free Time activities builds on and consolidates the grammar and vocabulary introduced through this unit in Year 7. Complexity is built through the manipulation of present tense verbs, the near future tense and a range of negative structures. .

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SPRING - 2

Topic name: **At the market**
Why study this topic?

'At the market' introduces key food vocabulary which will build into the GCSE topic of Healthy Living later on. You will learn numbers and quantities, whilst revising and consolidating the present, future, past and conditional tenses.

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SUMMER - 2

Topic name: **Project**
Why study this topic?

The aim of this topic is to consolidate the knowledge that you have gained throughout the year. You will choose a celebrity on whom you will base your project, and will revise and consolidate essential KS3 vocabulary and grammar. This includes descriptions, the future and past tense and adjectival agreements

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Subject Intent statement

Our MFL curriculum is knowledge-rich, focusing on remembering and mastering key vocabulary and grammatical structures. You will be able to thrive in other countries by having spontaneous conversations in different languages and be aware of different cultures

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AUTUMN - 1

Topic name: **My house**
Why study this topic?

This unit starts off Year 8 learning by revising and consolidating key concepts learnt in Year 7 (such as verb conjugation, adjectival agreement and expressing what you would like using the conditional tense). It also introduces key vocabulary that will be revisited later on in the GCSE under Theme 2 (Home, Town, Neighbourhood and Region).

SPRING - 1

Topic name: **Clothes**
Why study this topic?

This unit on clothes builds on and consolidates the grammar and vocabulary introduced so far in year 8. Complexity is built through the manipulation of present and near future tense verbs, in addition to revising the perfect tense. You are encouraged to express their opinions on different looks, whilst also introducing key cross-topic vocabulary, such as festivals and school uniform.

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SUMMER - 1

Topic name: **Film**
Why study this topic?

This unit is a film study which incorporates some vocabulary from the free time topic, but also exposes to contexts and learning beyond the specification. The unit is designed to cultivate an interest in culture and in the world beyond the classroom.

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In MFL, we learn numbers in different languages, we use numbers to understand prices in different countries and analyse data from surveys.