

Subject: French (AQA)

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CNS 6th Form



Recommended Textbooks:

AQA French A Level Year 1 and AS

AQA French A Level Year 2

Un Sac de Billes – Joseph Joffo (Y13)

Hodder Study Guide – Un Sac de Billes (Y13)

Hodder Study Guide – Au revoir les Enfants (Y13)

If you love French , we really recommend you watch:

- 1) The Climb – Netflix
- 2) Emily in Paris – Netflix – cheesy but fun!

Also listen to French music playlists on Spotify!

Y12

- La famille en voie de changement
- La Cyber-Société
- Le rôle du bénévolat
- Une culture fière de son patrimoine
- La musique
- Le septième art (cinema)

Y13

- Les aspects positives d'une société diverse
- Quelle vie pour les marginalisés
- Comment on traite les criminels
- Les ados, le droit de vote et l'engagement politique
- Manifestations et grèves (demonstrations and strikes)
- L'immigration

In Y13 you will also study a film "Au Revoir les Enfants" and a book "un Sac de Billes" Joseph Joffo.

We love teaching this course because we are so passionate about our subject, and we work constantly to try to inspire the same passion in our students through the creative use of resources and through striving to constantly engage students in exciting and diverse subjects. Small group settings mean that our students thrive and feel confident to experiment and takes risks with their language, which is extremely rewarding for both ourselves and our students.

Our students say:

I was most interested in choosing subjects which I felt facilitated a lot of options outside of the UK and would enable me to potentially pursue higher education in Europe. Having experienced other languages being spoken around me by bilingual family members, I have always felt it was a valuable skill that I'd like to develop & I've been encouraged. My hope to soon move abroad, to France for my gap year keeps my motivation up & gives what I do real meaning.

What future pathways are open to me if I study French?

Universities offer a variety of language and linguistics courses, and employers are constantly looking out for students with a grounding in a foreign language.

A French A Level is considered a facilitating subject for most other degree courses, and blends fantastically with any other subject combination A Level.

So, what are you waiting for!!

