

French GCSE- AQA exam board



MOODLE

Students have been given paper copies and emailed **booklets** for each topic covered with:

- **Vocabulary**
- **Links to Memrise/ Quizlets/ BBC etc to revise**
- **How to use verbs**

These booklets are also on Moodle (in each theme section, for each topic)

On Moodle, in French, in each theme , there is also a **Revision section** which has a guide to using **tenses, verb grids** in different tenses to help learn them, some **exam skills tips** (with vocabulary to use for each), some **revision tips**.

Essential Tenses

| Infinitive | Present | Past | Near future | Future | Conditional |
|----------------------|------------|-------------------------|------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Jouer to play | je joue | j'ai joué | je vais jouer | je jouerai | je jouerais |
| Regarder to watch | je regarde | j'ai regardé | je vais regarder | je regarderai | je regarderais |
| Manger to eat | je mange | j'ai mangé | je vais manger | je mangerai | je mangerais |
| Faire to do | je fais | j'ai fait | je vais faire | je ferai | je ferais |
| Boire to drink | je bois | j'ai bu | je vais boire | je boirai | je boirais |
| Aller to go | je vais | je suis allé / allée | je vais aller | j'irai | j'irais |
| Être to be | je suis | j'ai été | je vais être | je serai | je serais |
| Avoir to have | j'ai | j'ai eu | je vais avoir | j'aurai | j'aurais |

TIPS FOR SUCCESS

Learn/ revise the vocabulary

1. Use www.memrise.com and www.quizlet.com (also apps) regularly
2. Revise thoroughly the vocabulary/grammar set for homework
3. Use **GCSE Bitesize revision** <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z9dqxn>
4. Use **Seneca** <https://senecalearning.com/en-GB/>. Assignments will be set too.
5. Use **Kerboodle**- you have access to the whole textbook and will get set assignments.

Revise the grammar

1. Use Quizlet and GCSE Bitesize revision
2. Revise verb conjugation: <https://conjugator.reverso.net/conjugation-french.html>
3. Practise forming verbs:
<https://www.linguno.com/practice/conjugations/drills/?lang=fra>

Develop your listening and reading skills

1. Use <http://lyricstraining.com/> regularly
2. Listen to French radio and music, watch films on Netflix/ Disney etc in French with subtitles.
3. **Listen to Slow News** <https://www.newsinslowfrench.com/> (also an app)
4. Reading and listening practice on big questions/concepts as well as current news items. <https://www.1jour1actu.com/>

Develop your speaking skills

1. Use [Free Text To Speech Online - Texttospeech.onl](http://Texttospeechonline.com) to practise pronunciation.
2. Practise some general conversation questions you have prepared.

Stay organised

Keep your books and other resources such as your speaking sheets neat and tidy, as you will need to revise from these in Year 11.