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## MFL- A Level French

### What will I learn?

In A Level French, you will study the following topics through reading, writing, speaking and listening in French. You will also focus on developing your French grammar skills:

- Media - Television, advertising and communication technology
- Popular culture
- Cinema, music, fashion/trends
- Family/relationships
- Relationships within the family, friendships, marriage/partnerships
- Aspects of political life in the French-speaking world
- The multicultural society
- Immigration, integration, racism
- Contemporary social issues
- Wealth and poverty, law and order, impact of technical and scientific progress
- Literature and film

### How will I be assessed?

This qualification is linear, which means you will sit all of your exams at the end of the course.

Paper 1: Listening, reading and writing - 50% of A-Level - individual student control of soundtrack (2 hours and 30 minutes)

Paper 2: Writing - 20% of A-Level - one text and one film, or two texts, chosen from the list set in the Specification (2 hours)

Paper 3: Speaking 30% of A-Level - conducted by class teacher - based upon the individual research project undertaken throughout the course (21-23 minutes, including 5 minutes preparation time)

### Is there anything else I need to know?

The standard entry requirements for the 6th Form plus a grade 7 or higher in GCSE French.

In rare cases students may be considered with a GCSE grade 6 in French, but this will be at the discretion of the Head of Sixth Form and Head of Modern Foreign Languages.

### Future Opportunities?

A qualification in languages is highly regarded by both universities and employers. A wide range of degree courses include the study of a language and employers are keen to recruit those able to communicate in another language.

Language graduates have a vast array of career opportunities open to them, ranging from work with well-known multi-national companies to international organisations or charities. There are exciting opportunities - often involving travel abroad - in almost every sector.

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