

Knowledge and Understanding

French speakers develop a knowledge and understanding of greetings, statements, questions, simple instructions, expression of preference. And how French language is organized. Our children develop an understanding of French life.

Application of new knowledge and language

through the areas of Listening, speaking, reading and writing .

We look at areas of **French Culture** and compare them to others that the children are familiar with.

MFL Leader

Our Curriculum Leader, Madame Odell is responsible for developing the MFL curriculum. Our selected language is French and this is taught from Y1 through to Y6.



MFL at Burton Joyce Primary School

At BJPS we are keen to fill children with enthusiasm for language learning and to encourage their curiosity about other cultures. By beginning their language journey at a young age, packing lessons full of song, dance and games, Madame Odell hopes to give the children a passion for languages that will last them a lifetime!

Grammar

Children study areas of Grammar including:

Nouns and their gender, whether they are singular & plural., and definite & indefinite articles.

Adjectives , including possessive adjectives; masculine, feminine & plural agreements.

Verbs as well as negative & imperative.

Questions , noting inversion of verb & subject.

Prepositions - a range used in the French language.

Phonic Focus

We look at sounds made in the French language, and compare them to English, and other languages with which the children are familiar. For example: a/à e o é/er/ez è/ê i/y/is u ai/ ei oi ou ui au/eau an/en ain/in ien ion on un ç ch ll j r and silent letters

