

French 2023/2024



Subject Intent:

We intend for all children to develop positive attitudes towards other languages and cultures, through regular stimulating and enjoyable lessons which build confidence and promote the skills of listening, speaking, reading and writing. By the time they leave Sandfield Primary School, they will have acquired an understanding of both spoken and written French, confidence to speak in French with others and know how important other languages can be in their future.

Strengths

All KS2 classes have weekly 30 minute lessons
Y5/ 6 have lessons delivered by RGS teacher – native speaker
Use of workbook to reinforce oral work and to teach reading and writing

Y3/4 to trial new scheme of work

Pupil Premium and SEND

Y5/6 have extra teacher in class to support their engagement and contributions to lesson

Y3/4 have best seat in house to support and encourage them to participate
Access to vocabulary scaffolds via Seesaw or printed

Areas for Development

Attending network meeting to support decision to purchase new scheme of work for Sandfield
Update skills and progression document
Identify KPI assessment opportunities
Using adults for extra support
Displays in KS2 classrooms
Use of Seesaw to support and record learning
Enrichment activities

Home learning, Parental Engagement + Enrichment

Learning on seesaw for children to use and share with parents
Native speaking parents have supported extra activities - playing games and running French cafe
French theatre workshop
French cafe
Games and songs / fiction books for reading

Monitoring, Observation and Validation

Pupil voice + learning walk
Drop- ins during teaching time – observe Year 5 + 6 French lessons
Feedback from staff using new scheme

Professional Development Opportunities

Network groups through Learning Partners

Sandfield Primary School – Curriculum Intent

At Sandfield, we strive to ensure that all children, whatever their background, starting point and life experience, develop a strong grasp of the key learning skills, attitudes and knowledge they need to make an excellent start to their primary education and beyond. Our curriculum is a curriculum for all learners. It is ambitious, broad and balanced, designed to stimulate a love of learning, through challenge, learning together and for all to achieve success. Our curriculum is delivered through carefully crafted experiences of enriching activities, which give children first-hand knowledge, key skills and the rich vocabulary they need to empower their future success.