

Curriculum Intent

French Intent at The Acorn Federation

During their learning journey at The Acorn Federation, we focus on the national curriculum aims:

- To be able to understand and respond to spoken and written French.
- To be able to speak with increasing confidence, fluency and spontaneity.
- To continually improve the accuracy of their pronunciation.
- To be able to use a variety of grammatical structures.

Implementation of the Curriculum

- The Acorn Federation uses Oak Academy scheme of learning. This follows the National Curriculum and each lesson involves a brief recap on prior learning in the form of a quiz.
- The programme runs on a two-year rolling system for Upper key stage 2 to ensure all aspects are covered by the end of their primary learning journey.
- This knowledge is set out clearly, with an age appropriate explicit spine of grammar and sets of vocabulary. Phonics feature regularly in each lesson and are often revisited.
- Oak academy ensures teaching is carefully planned to compel thinking, thinking drives learning, and success in learning is motivational.

Impact

The impact for the pupils is that they will be well equipped for learning languages at secondary school.