



## Sprowston Junior School Our Curriculum

Subject: MFL

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This policy can be summarised using the three categories: intent, implementation and impact. These areas are used to monitor the effectiveness of our \_\_\_\_\_ curriculum across the school.

Intent:

- To build a curiosity about the world in which we live in by learning the language and customs and traditions of other cultures.

Implementation:

- Follow the key skills set out in the National Curriculum.
- To learn in a hands-on way through games, songs and interactive speaking and listening.
- To use a variety of resources such as IT-a newly implemented French scheme, You Tube, pictures, flash cards and photographs to engage children.
- To use cross-curricular skills learning - Geography, Maths –counting, adding and subtracting, Art –French and Spanish artists.
- A variety of resources are provided to ensure all learning styles are met.
- Year groups are supported and monitored by the leader.

Impact:

- Children develop a love of languages.
- They develop an increased knowledge of language and other cultures.
- Children develop a sense of pride being able to speak in another language.

Statement:

Hola! Bonjour! Que tal? Ca va? In school we learn Spanish and French and it's great fun! We learn how to have simple conversations with people from other countries; introducing ourselves and asking others questions about themselves. We learn simple everyday words such as colours, months, days of the week and numbers. Some of us can count higher than 100! Stories, songs and games help us to learn language in a fun way. Learning about people in other countries is important too. We celebrate festivals and traditions and learn about daily life in Spain and France. Hasta luego! Au revoir!

## Organisation of MFL

- Spanish is taught in Year 4 and French is taught in the other year groups. Languages are taught for approximately 30 minutes a week in each class - French by HLTA's and Spanish by AL.
- A scheme was introduced for French in order to help deliver a high quality level of French in KS2. This scheme provides all teaching staff with a variety of resources to support outcomes in MFL.
- The lesson plans include clear structure and opportunities to differentiate. Lessons are also taught through games and songs as a way to teach in a fun and engaging way through lots of repetition.