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Key Stage 5 Languages Curriculum Statement

We study the Edexcel A-level French and German courses using the Hodder textbooks and the online package of Dynamic Learning. The course is assessed at the end of Year 13 by three exams.

- Listening, Reading and Translation into English – 40%
- Translation into French/German and Essays on a book and film – 30%
- Speaking – 30% (exams are recorded with Teacher Examiners and marked by Edexcel)

Students receive a 1-to-1 session per week with our Foreign Language Assistants.

We offer students in Key Stage 5 the chance to travel to France and Germany on our Exchanges to Grenoble and Bad Wurzach.

Year 12 French

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Family structures in France Francophone music Grammar boost	Family structures in France Education in France Francophone music The media in the Francophone world Film : <i>La Haine</i>	Education in France The media in the Francophone world Film : <i>La Haine</i>	Work in France The media in the Francophone world Film : <i>La Haine</i>	Work in France Festivals and traditions Film: <i>La Haine</i>	Revision Novel: <i>No et Moi</i>

Year 12 German

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Nature and environment Music Grammar Boost	Nature and environment Education Music Media Film : <i>Das Leben der Anderen</i>	Education Media Film : <i>Das Leben der Anderen</i>	Work in Germany Festivals and traditions Film : <i>Das Leben der Anderen</i>	Work in Germany Festivals and traditions Film: <i>Das Leben der Anderen</i>	Revision Play: <i>Der Besuch der alten Dame</i>

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Year 13 French

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5
Occupied France Individual Research Project Novel : <i>No et Moi</i> Film : <i>La Haine</i>	Occupied France Immigration in France Individual Research Project Novel : <i>No et Moi</i> Film : <i>La Haine</i>	The Vichy Regime The French Resistance Integration in France Individual Research Project Novel : <i>No et Moi</i> Film : <i>La Haine</i>	The French Resistance The Far Right Individual Research Project Novel : <i>No et Moi</i> Film : <i>La Haine</i> Revision and exam preparation	Individual Research Project Revision and exam preparation

Year 13 German

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5
The Media Positive effects of integration Individual Research Project Film : <i>Das Leben der Anderen</i> Play : <i>Der Besuch der alten Dame</i>	Life in the DDR Challenges of immigration and integration Individual Research Project Film : <i>Das Leben der Anderen</i> Play : <i>Der Besuch der alten Dame</i>	Events leading up to reunification Governmental and social reaction to immigration Individual Research Project Film : <i>Das Leben der Anderen</i> Play : <i>Der Besuch der alten Dame</i>	Germany since reunification Individual Research Project Film : <i>Das Leben der Anderen</i> Play : <i>Der Besuch der alten Dame</i> Revision and exam preparation	Individual Research Project Revision and exam preparation

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