

Modern Foreign Languages

At Castle Hill we believe that through language teaching all pupils will have an awareness and appreciation for languages to prepare them for their future lives in a diverse and multicultural community in Modern Britain and equip pupils to study and work in other countries

The objectives are to

- To teach French
- To foster pupils' curiosity and deepen their understanding of the world
- To enable pupils to express their ideas and thoughts in another language and to understand and respond to its speakers, both in speech and in writing
- Speak with increasing confidence, fluency and spontaneity, finding ways of communicating what they want to say, including through discussion and asking questions, and continually improving the accuracy of their pronunciation and intonation

To achieve this we will:

- Provide a rich and varied input of the language, so that children hear and interact with the sounds and patterns of the new language
- Use active learning to engage motivation
- Use games and songs to maximise enjoyment
- Embed languages in class routines and school life e.g. the register, instructions in PE
- Integrate language learning across the curriculum to connect with learning in other subject areas
- Visitors from abroad are encouraged to improve oral and listening skills
- To provide opportunities for pupils to communicate with native speakers
- Links with other areas of the curriculum beyond the discrete teaching
- Use 'La Jolie Ronde' Scheme of Work to ensure progression at age related expectation.