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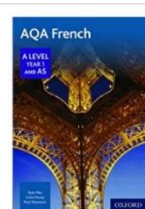
Subject

French

Subject Shopping List

Year 12 topic content:

- La famille
- La cyber-société
- Le rôle du bénévolat
- La patrimoine
- La musique francophone contemporaine
- Le septième art



Textbook (Can be second hand but make sure it's the correct edition).

AQA French A Level Year 1 and AS, Pike, Povey, Shannon, Oxford, 2016
ISBN 978 019 836688 1

Grammar workbook

AQA French Grammar and Translation Workbook A Level and AS, Harrison,
Oxford, 2017 ISBN 978 019 841553 4



Suggest Reading and Activities

To do before term starts:

1 Grammar – *required learning***:**

Revise and be confident with the following grammar points:

- Present tense regular and irregular -er, -re and -ir verbs
- Past tense / passé composé (and when to use avoir/être and how any endings change with être)
- Reflexive verbs and use of être in past tense
- Imperfect tense (j'étais)
- Future tense with aller (je vais manger) and future tense with avoir endings (je mangerai)
- Adjective endings and when they are used

You should review your GCSE notes and exercises but the following will also be helpful:

- www.languagesonline.org.uk (scroll down to the more advanced/GCSE exercises)
- BBC Bitesize French <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z9dqxb>

2- Online learning – topic vocabulary, phrases, expressions *required learning*****

Look on online tools for year 12 French groups linked to the Y12 modules

- Quizlet - Year 12 French -
- Memrise - Yr 12 French

3- Films to watch online

Watch a few French movies during the summer

- French films on Netflix and on Amazon Prime
- 100 Best French movies of all time
<https://www.timeout.com/paris/en/film/best-french-movies>
- Les Intouchables
- Le Fabuleux Destin de Amélie Poulain / Amélie
- Bienvenue chez les Chtis
- La vie en Rose
- La Haine – Which we will study this year
- Samba
- Entre les murs
- Au revoir les enfants
- L'auberge espagnole
- Le Comte of Monte Cristo on BBCiPlayer

4 Music, Books and Podcasts

- Faïza Guène - Kiffe Kiffe demain

- Philippe Grimbart Un secret
- Delphine de Vigan - No et moi
- Discover French music on Spotify
- Find a French song/band/artist you like and complete the gapfills until you can complete 'advanced' (or even 'expert'?! <https://lyricstraining.com/fr/>)
- Find some French language podcasts that you enjoy and listen to them regularly

5 News and current affairs

- News in Slow French:
<https://open.spotify.com/show/3sbOvAVL6lldMjop1r4i1G>
- Other websites:
- <https://www.1jour1actu.com/>
- [Actualité en Seconde | Lumni](#)
- [Apprendre le français FLE gratuitement, cours de français avec TV5MONDE](#)
- www.france24.com
- Euronews (508 channel on SKY)
- <https://www.courrierinternational.com/>
- <https://www.france24.com/en/>
- <https://www.tv5monde.com/>
- [Actualités en continu et info en direct et replay - BFM](#)
- Start following at least 3 different French language news outlets on social media – aim to find some each from a range of French-speaking countries, or even a selection from each continent

Dictionaries:

Find your preferred online dictionary

- www.larousse.com
- www.reverso.net
- www.WordRef.com - online dictionaries in a number of languages
- www.verbix.com - online verb conjugator