



## FRENCH AT HOME

In the light of the latest government announcements, I have put together this list of resources for children to support their French learning at home, if you wish. The best way to use these resources is to do a little bit every day, rather than a lot in one day.

Below, you will find the overview of the topics for the spring term that children are learning for each year group and some websites to go with it.

Further down, there are also additional online resources to explore for fun.

### Year 3:

**Spring term:** La chenille qui fait des trous and Ours brun dis-moi - so that includes food, days of the week, numbers and animals.

- The story of La chenille qui fait des trous (The very hungry caterpillar)  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Sjii1O2fGLg>

On Quizlet you will find some interactive games which incorporates the vocabulary used in the story <https://quizlet.com/subject/la-chenille-qui-fait-des-trous/>

- Ours brun dis-moi (Brown bear, Brown bear) :  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4C\\_nBszH\\_no](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4C_nBszH_no)

On Quizlet you will find some interactive games which incorporates the vocabulary used in the story <https://quizlet.com/185972237/ours-brun-dis-moi-flash-cards/>

### Year 4:

**Spring term:** La famille (family). This includes members of family, short sentences about siblings, revising how to say your name, age and where do you live.

<https://www.french-games.net/frenchtopics?level=primary> (level beginner/family)

### Year 5:

**Spring term:** Chez moi (At my house). This includes rooms in the house and furniture. To reinforce their learning, pupils can design their house and label each room. In the bedrooms they can add furniture and label them as well.

[https://www.french-games.net/\(level intermediate/home\)](https://www.french-games.net/(level%20intermediate/home))

## Year 6:

**Spring term: We are doing revision that includes:**

- How to introduce ourselves (name, age, where we live and birthday)
- How to describe ourselves (appearance, clothing, character and nationality |)
- How to talk about family
- How to talk about pets
- How to talk about sport
- Learning about places in the village

**You can visit these websites below to practice the vocabulary of each topic:**

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/languages/french/>

<https://www.french-games.net/>

<https://quizlet.com/class/4050674/>

**Additionally, you can browse any other resources below.**

**There are several ways to do this:**

**1) Through story books, readings are usually available on youtube. Start with a story they already know. Examples of this are:**

- a. La chenille qui fait des trous.
- b. Le Gruffalo( and other Julia Donaldson stories)
- c. Ours Brun.
- d. Je m'habille et je te croque
- e. La veille dame qui avala une mouche.
- f. Trois souris peintre.
- g. Va t'en grand monstre vert.
- h. Le loup qui voulait changer de couleur (and other loup story)
- i. Roule Galette.

(some of these I am doing in class with them)

**2) Through songs.**

- a. Alain Le lait.
- b. Anny et Jean-marc versini.
- c. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PptZObqBrEc&t=74s>

Most of these are available on youtube but some are also available on amazon prime for free.

**3) Through films and TV:**

- a. DVD often have French options but you can also purchase their favourite DVD on amazon. fr in French if you wish (watch with subtitles French or English too. This will help develop their reading skills).
- b. <https://www.youtube.com/user/ssebastienn>
- c. [https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC1Uqd7txhcLI2C9f6PSB\\_eg](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC1Uqd7txhcLI2C9f6PSB_eg)
- d. There are 2 Asterix films currently available on Netflix (you can change the language to French and add subtitles )
- e. <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCMFSSiGtjvkP0QJUZqaWdQQ>  
It's a cartoon French series with a ladybird and a black cat.

**4) Through free Apps:**

- a. Duolingo is the world's largest online language learning
- b. Quizlet, we use this app in our leaning in year 6.

I would advise you to use these two which are the most fun and interactive to learn a language and would be a great asset for their work ethic and for future studies

**5) Through Online Games:**

- a. <http://www.bbc.co.uk/languages/french/>
- b. <http://www.learnalberta.ca>
- c. <https://www.french-games.net/>
- d. <http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p04ts87g> : Radio Labo (BBC School Radio) is a series of 10 fifteen-minute programmes, intended for upper Key Stage 2 .  
The programmes cover vocabulary, grammar and phonics, and each programme has a song. The language is presented but also practised via games.

**6) If you wish to buy them books they can read themselves:**

- a. [https://www.amazon.co.uk/Je-mappelle-Sophie-name-Storybook/dp/1783171499/ref=sr\\_1\\_3?ie=UTF8&qid=1516706691&sr=8-3&keywords=luc+and+sophie](https://www.amazon.co.uk/Je-mappelle-Sophie-name-Storybook/dp/1783171499/ref=sr_1_3?ie=UTF8&qid=1516706691&sr=8-3&keywords=luc+and+sophie)
- b. <https://www.amazon.co.uk/Berthe-Va-Supermarche-French-Witch/dp/0955467950>

The web links that I have included here are very long videos and so I have not been able to vet them all. Although I am pretty sure their content is appropriate, it is best for an adult to view them first.

**KEEP SAFE AND WELL! I LOOK FORWARD TO SEEIN YOU VERY SOON**

Madame Millard amd Mrs Sheppard



