

## Y11 French PLC - Summer GCSE exams

**Exam Board:** Edexcel

**Papers:** Listening, Reading, Speaking, Writing - 25% each

**Total marks:** 200 in total

### **Length of papers:**

→ **Paper 1: Speaking:**

Foundation tier: 7–9 minutes plus 14 minutes preparation time; Higher tier: 10–12 minutes plus 14 minutes preparation time.

→ **Paper 2: Listening**

Foundation tier: 45 minutes including 5 minutes reading time; Higher tier: 60 minutes including 5 minutes reading time.

→ **Paper 3: Reading:**

Foundation tier: 45 minutes; Higher tier: 1 hour

→ **Paper 4: Writing:**

Foundation tier: 1 hour 15 minutes; Higher tier: 1 hour 20 minutes.

### **Exam Information, guidance and hints**

**Key documents:** GCSE booklet / Speaking booklet / Lesson slides & important docs on [Google Classroom](#)

**Videos:** [Greenshaw Remote Learning lessons](#) / [BBC Bitesize](#) / [Edexcel's YouTube channel](#) (tips on speaking exam)

**Markscheme and course specification:** Edexcel's [website](#)

#### **Hints/tips:**

Regularly write and learn responses for your speaking questions - try recording yourself saying them or repeat one line at a time until you know them!

Regularly complete online vocab practice to keep your vocab knowledge strong.

Timescale	Topic	Key information related to topic	Resources/Information related to topic	How well do you understand this topic? RAG		
				Red	Amber	Green
Y9	My personal world	Family, friends, relationships				
Y10	My personal world	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Free time, hobbies, technology</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>★ GCSE booklet</li> <li>★ BBC Bitesize</li> <li>★ Google Classroom</li> <li>★ Languageut</li> <li>★ Edexcel's YouTube channel</li> </ul>			
	Studying & my future	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>School life, subjects, school rules</li> </ul>				
Lifestyle & wellbeing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Health, food, fitness</li> </ul>					
Y11	Travel & tourism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ideal holidays;</li> <li>Holiday activities;</li> <li>Asking for help;</li> <li>I went to a festival;</li> <li>How was your stay;</li> <li>How you usually spend your holidays.</li> </ul>				
HT 1						
Y11	My neighbourhood	<u>The environment:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>My region;</li> <li>Threats to the environment.</li> <li>How to protect the environment;</li> <li>New technologies to help the environment.</li> </ul>				
HT2 + HT3		<u>My local area:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Where I live;</li> <li>Where I've been;</li> <li>My ideal place to live.</li> </ul>				
Y11	Studying & my future	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>My plans for the future;</li> <li>My future job;</li> <li>My skills.</li> </ul>				
HT4						
Y11	Revision of all topics to prepare for all exams	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Roleplay, Photo description and General Conversation;</li> <li>Writing a paragraph, translating English &gt; French;</li> <li>Reading comprehension;</li> <li>Listening comprehension.</li> </ul>				
HT5						