### Portfields Primary School Medium Term Plan

Year Group – 3

Subject – **French** 

Unit- 1.5 Topic – Les Quatre Amis (the four friends) Term – Summer 1



National Curriculum	к	ey Questions	Substantive Knowledge	Grammar
Pupils should be taught to:	Can you say the French names of the four		Pupils know:	Pupils know:
<ul> <li>listen attentively to spoken language and show understanding by joining in and responding</li> <li>explore the patterns and sounds of language through songs and rhymes and link the spelling, sound and meaning of</li> </ul>	le cheval (horse), le mouton (sheep), le lapin (rabbit) and la souris (mouse)  Where does the adjective come in a French sentence?  (At the end of the sentence).		Words and letters in French can have a different sound or pronunciation to English.  (At the end of the sentence).  How to distinguish between 'ou' and 'eu' sounds in French.  The names of some animals in French.	There are two groups of nouns in French (masculine and feminine).  The gender of the noun affects the form of the indefinite article (un/ une).
words	Ko	ey Vocabulary	Some movement-related verbs.	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> person singular pronouns ( <i>je, tu, il/elle</i> ).
<ul> <li>engage in conversations; ask and answer questions; express opinions and respond to those of others; seek clarification and help</li> <li>speak in sentences, using familiar</li> </ul>	le cheval le mouton le lapin la souris Il galope. Elle court.	the horse the sheep the rabbit the mouse He/It gallops She/It runs.	How to answer the question <i>C'est de quelle couleur?</i> When to use <i>il</i> or <i>elle</i> for the pronoun 'it', depending in the gender of the noun.	A range of action verbs in French.
vocabulary, phrases and basic language structures	gris(e) Non, le lapin ne galope pas etc.	grey No, the rabbit doesn't gallop etc.	Disciplinary Knowledge	Prior Learning
<ul> <li>develop accurate pronunciation and intonation so that others understand when they are reading aloud or using familiar words and phrases</li> <li>present ideas and information orally to a range of audiences</li> <li>read carefully and show understanding of words, phrases and simple writing</li> <li>appreciate stories, songs, poems and rhymes in the language</li> <li>broaden their vocabulary and develop their ability to understand new words that are introduced into familiar written material, including through using a dictionary</li> <li>write phrases from memory, and adapt these to create new sentences, to express ideas clearly</li> <li>describe people, places, things and actions orally and in writing</li> <li>understand basic grammar appropriate to the language being studied, including (where relevant): feminine, masculine and neuter forms and the conjugation of high-frequency verbs; key features and patterns of the language; how to apply these, for instance, to build sentences;</li> </ul>	Il sautille. Elle trottine. la pomme Il/Elle est vite lentement	He/It hops. She/It scurries. the apple He/She/It is quickly slowly	Listening Listen to and show understanding of single words through a physical response.  Listen and identify rhyming words and particular sounds in songs and rhymes.  Speaking and pronunciation Recognise a familiar question and respond with a simple rehearsed response.  Join in with actions to accompany songs, stories and rhymes and say some of the words.  Reading Use knowledge of the sound of some letters in French to read aloud or say individual words.  Read and show understanding of familiar simple words.  Writing Write and say familiar words to describe people, places, things and actions using a model.  Write some familiar words from memory with understandable accuracy.	In previous units, pupils will have learned:  The names of some animals in French.  Le/ la are words used for 'the' in French. Les is used when the noun is plural.  There is no word for 'it' in French so we use il/ elle depending on whether the noun is masculine or feminine.  French adjectives usually come after the noun.  French colours- rouge, bleu, vert, gris, noir, blanc, marron.
and how these differ from or are similar to English.				
Assessment				

## Pupils working at the expected standard will:

- Be able to identify whether a noun is masculine or feminine depending on whether it is preceded by le or la.
  Use il or elle for he or she depending on whether the noun that follows is masculine or feminine.
  Recognise the French words for some animals (horse, sheep, mouse, rabbit).
  Be able to read and write simple sentences about animals in French.

Lesson 1			
Flashback Four		<u>Learning Objectives</u>	Star Knowledge
Last Lesson Sing along to the French song 'Le Téléphone'.	<u>Last Topic</u>	Learning Objective To know the names of some animals in French and say whether they are masculine or feminine.	Nouns in French are split into two groups- masculine and feminine.
All About France		Success Criteria I can say the French words for horse, sheep, rabbit, mouse and apple. I know that 'le' means 'the' and is used for singular masculine nouns. I know that 'la' means 'the' and is used for singular feminine nouns.	Le means 'the' and is used for masculine singular nouns.  La means 'the' and is used for feminine singular nouns.
		Activity: Use the wordbank to introduce the animal names le cheval, le mouton, le lapin and la souris. Play the unit animation and encourage pupils to identify and translate the different nouns.	
		Introduce the noun la pomme and then sort the nouns into two groups- masculine and feminine. Ask pupils to identify the key difference between the two groups ('le' used for masculine nouns, la used for feminine nouns). Provide pupils with pictures of the animals/ apple and ask them to sort them into the two groups in their bookswriting the correct name of each underneath.	

Lesson 2			
Flashback Four		<u>Learning Objectives</u>	Star Knowledge
Last Lesson What are the French words for these body parts? Nose (nez) Eyes (yeux) Mouth (bouche)  All About France Name two countries, apart from France, where French is spoken?  (Belgium, Cameroon, Canada, Madagascar etc.)	Last Topic Write the French words for red, blue, yellow and green. (rouge, bleu, jaune, vert)	Learning Objective To understand and say simple sentences about animals.  Success Criteria I know that each sentence will contain a determiner, a noun and a verb. I can use the French for 'he, she' and 'it'. I can use a simple phrase about an animal in French.  Revise:  Animal names from lesson 1.  Teach:  How to form simple sentences about the animals discussed in lesson 1 e.g. Il cheval galope (The horse gallops). Elle es une souris. Elle trottine. (It is a mouse. It scurries). How to write sentences in the negative e.g: Non, le lapin ne galope pas (No, the rabbit doesn't gallop).	If and elle are used for 'he' and 'she' in French.  There is no word for 'it' in French so we use if or elle depending on whether the noun is masculine or feminine.
		Activity: Pupils to make sentences about the four animals from the story by arranging determiner, noun and verb vocabulary cards and to practise saying these out loud.	

Lesson 3			
Flashback Four		<u>Learning Objectives</u>	Star Knowledge
<u>Last Lesson</u>	Last Topic	<u>Learning Objective</u>	In French sentences, the adjective always
Write the following in French:	How would you say 'I have blue eyes and brown hair' in	To adapt and write simple sentences about animals.	comes after the noun.
The rabbit hops	French?		
·	(J'ai les yeux bleus et cheveux marrons)	Success Criteria	
(Le lapin sautille)		I know that each sentence will contain a noun, a verb and an adjective.	
		I can use the French for 'he, she' and 'it'.	
All About France		I can change sentences in French to adapt a story.	
Is France bigger or smaller than the UK?			
33		Revise:	
France is about 2.3 times bigger than the UK.		Previously learned colours in French (rouge, bleu, jaune, vert, gris, orange, noir, blanc etc.)	
33		Check pupils can translate some simple sentences from the previous lesson e.g:	
		Il lapin sautille ( <i>The rabbit hops</i> ).	
		Elle es une souris. Elle trottine. ( <i>It is a mouse. It scurries</i> ).	
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		Teach:	
		Teach pupils to extend the simple sentences that they wrote in the previous lesson by including an	
		adjective after the noun e.g:	

		Il lapin gris sautille ( <i>The grey rabbit hops</i> ).  Activity: Provide pupils with a word bank of adjectives and verbs related to the four animals and ask them to write simple sentences about each animal.	
		Lesson 4	
Flash	<u>ıback Four</u>	<u>Learning Objectives</u>	<u>Star Knowledge</u>
Last Lesson Translate the following: Je suis un cheval. Je galope!	Last Topic Can you say the English for these parts of the body: bras, jambe, cheveux.	Learning Objective To understand simple French descriptions of an animal's colour and how it moves.	In French sentences, the adjective comes after the noun and the adverb comes after the verb.
(I am a horse. I gallop!)  All About France	(arm, leg, hair)	Success Criteria I can use colours in French in the correct position (after the noun). I can describe how an animal moves in French.	
Which continent does France belong to?		1 can describe now an animal moves in French.	
(Europe)		Revise:	
		Le lapin gris sautille lentement (The grey rabbit hops slowly).  Activity:  Read along with the animation using the correct pronunciation of the French.  Draw a picture to illustrate the story.	

<u>Lesson 5</u>			
Flashback Four		<u>Learning Objectives</u>	Star Knowledge
Last Lesson Translate the following phrases into English?  Zut! (oh bother!) C'est impossible! (it's impossible) Attention! (watch out!)  All About France What is the capital city of France?  (Paris)	Last Topic True or false? J'ai les cheveux bleus.  False.	Learning Objective To hear and pronounce the 'ou' sound and join in with a French song.  Success Criteria I can hear the difference between 'ou' and 'eu' and pronounce these correctly. I can sing along with a French song.  Revise:  Pronunciation 'eu' in French.  Teach:  Pronunciation of 'ou' in French.  Activity  Sort the words from the song 'Dans la forêt lointaine' into 'ou' and 'eu.'  UNIT ASSESSMENT: Orange paper.	'Ou' is pronounced differently in French and English.
Orange Paper Questions			
1. Identify the feminine nouns in the list below.			

- le cheval
- la souris
- le mouton
- le lapin
- la pomme.

(1 mark)

### 2. Identify the mistake in the sentence below:

C'est le cheval. Elle galope.

- C'est
- cheval
- Elle

(1 mark)

**3.** Choose the correct translation for the sentence below:

# It's a horse. It gallops.

- C'est le cheval. Elle galope.
- C'est le cheval. Il galope.

(1 mark)

4. Put the words in the correct order to make a sentence.

Le gris trottine vite. souris

- Le souris gris trottine vite.
- Le gris souris trottine vite.

(1 mark)

5. Which of these statements is true?				
•	In French, the adjective usually comes before the noun.  In French, the adjective usually comes after the noun.			
		(1 mark)		
5. Whic	h two words contain the 'ou' sound as in 'rouge':			
•	pomme, août huit bouche sœur			
		(1 mark)		
6. Whic	h two words contain the 'ou' sound as in 'rouge':			
•	rose galope mouton jeu souris			
		(1 mark)		