



## French

### **Who is this course for?**

If you enjoyed studying languages at GCSE.

If you derive enjoyment from language learning and want to acquire a greater understanding for practical use, further study and/or employment..

If you want to communicate with speakers of French and be able to compete in the job market in a multilingual global society. Having a second language can often lead to higher salaries.

If you intend to go to university, admissions tutors have a high regard for a qualification in a foreign language.

### **What will I study?**

You will practise your written, listening, reading and spoken French through a variety of topics including leisure and lifestyles, social and environmental issues.

Develop an awareness and understanding of contemporary French society, its cultural background and heritage of countries or communities where French is spoken.

The structure of the language and learn to manipulate it.

You will be invited to go to see French films at the Cornerhouse cinema in Manchester to broaden your knowledge of French society.

Students will have the opportunity to go to France to practise their spoken skills and improve fluency before Year 13.

### **How will I be assessed?**

Examinations: Listening, Reading, Writing and Speaking

### **Course entry requirements**

Five GCSE grade 5 or above passes in different subjects including French at grade 5 or above.

### **What can I do with this qualification?**

A degree course with French as a component or the main focus.

Careers in international Business, Management, Law, the Civil Service, the Travel and Tourism Industries, Teaching at secondary and primary level.

### **Also consider**

A second foreign language such as German.

English, History, any Science, Geography or most other level 3 courses.

