**MFL – FRENCH - Ideas for independent work and study**

**Without access to a computer….**

1. Go over old pieces of written work and make sure that you have corrected all errors and then use your grammar notes/books to check you know where you went wrong. (make a note of anything you are unsure of to ask your teacher next time)
2. Take a copy of the purple Elan grammar book from the bookshelf in F45 and work through the grammar exercises. There is an answer booklet at the back. Please return the book at the end of the session for others to use.
3. Pop along to the MFL department, as we also have some more challenging grammar books with exercises on the shelf in F45 which you can borrow.
4. Take an old text -book from the bookshelf. Not all topics are the same but there are lots of reading/ writing activities on most of the topics we now do. This will help extend your vocab, give you extra ideas and help develop your reading skills.
5. Start to learn the corrected versions of your oral questions. The more you have under your belt the better. Put the key ideas on to index cards and make sure you have facts and figures for each topic.
6. Improve any oral stimulus cards you have done with Muriel – add in any extra ideas, good expressions she has taught you and new vocab. Borrow a new oral card from the bookshelf (oral folder) and write out suggestions responses + other ideas on the card.
7. Pop along to the MFL department and borrow a reading book **– Le Petit Prince/ Le Petit** **Nicolas/ Un Sac de Billes** – they will all help to develop your knowledge of the French language and culture.
8. Work on refining your ideas for your IRP ( Year 13 only)
9. Read **No et Moi** and your notes on **Au revoir les Enfants** (Year 13 only)
10. Continue to learn the vocab for the A level course (please print off the vocab lists you have been sent)
11. Work through the resume sections of the text book.
12. Download some of the PIXL Six resources to work through.

**With a computer – (you can borrow a school PS or pop up to MFL and borrow an Ipad)**

1. Continue to research your IRP **(Year 13 only)**
2. Go over exercises in **Kerboodle** and try some of the grammar exercises and vocab tasks.
3. Use other online resources (see list of websites below) to further improve your skills.

**Useful French websites for revision and independent study.**

1. **Kerboodle** -Login = djordison/alevelfrench /ja0 ( online resources to compliment the text book)
2. **AQA** -http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/french/a-level/french- A2=7652/AS=7651
3. <https://www.frenchteacher.net/> (a great site with lots of grammar and reading passages – you need to subscribe but can find lots of free samples)
4. <http://www.laits.utexas.edu/tex/> (comprehensive grammar guide)
5. <http://www.lepointdufle.net/> ( a great site for all kinds of activities especially songs and grammar)
6. <http://ielanguages.com/frenchlistening.html> (great listening activities varying from very simple to quite complex)
7. <http://www.europe1.fr/Radio/Podcasts/Semaine/> (podcasts from the French news)
8. <http://www.rfi.fr/lffr/pages/001/accueil_exercice_ecoute.asp> (great listening activities)
9. <http://www.rfi.fr/lffr/pages/001/accueil_exercice_ecoute.asp> (excerpts from the French radio station RFL with exercises although quite difficult
10. <http://mfl.jimdo.com/resources/> (great site for grammar, essay writing structures and ideas and reading but do watch out there are mistakes)
11. <http://languagesresources.co.uk/home/french/> (reading exercises –you will need to search around this site as some of the w/s are aimed at KS3. Some of the KS4 worksheets contain great ideas and topic related vocab on AS topics such as film and music)
12. <http://www.langweb.co.uk/> (fantastic grammar site)
13. <http://www.vanin-methodes.be/cms_master/arcades/default.asp?webpageid=1773> (great reading on mainly A2 topics)
14. <http://mcsmodlangs.org/> (some good vocab sheets, grammar and translation exercises)
15. <http://atschool.eduweb.co.uk/rgshiwyc/school/curric/HotPotatoes/index.htm> (lots of good reading and interactive grammar )
16. <http://fr.ver-taal.com/reportages.htm> (listening activities -difficult but listen to see how much you can pick up)
17. <http://www.liberation.fr/apps/ptit-libe/> ( fantastic newspaper articles on current affairs aimed at young French children )