



## Westbourne House School Revision – Autumn Term



### Y8 FRENCH REVISION CHECKLIST

#### The Exams will take place in the classroom, in lesson time and will consist of:

- Three papers + 1 oral exam:
  - *Listening Paper: duration 25 minutes (taken in normal lesson time under exam conditions)*
    - Pupils will listen to a recording in French but the questions and answers will be in English.
    - Full sentences will not be required.
  - *Reading Paper: duration 30 minutes*
    - Pupils will read texts of increasing length and detail in French but the questions and answers will be in English.
    - Full sentences will not be required.
  - *Writing Paper: duration 30 minutes*
    - A letter/ email is to be written based on 4 out of 6 areas. (80-125 words)
    - It is vital that the **present, past and future tenses** are used, time phrases, a variety of structures and at least **ONE negative** must also be used & a variety of opinions.
  - *Oral Exam: duration maximum 5 minutes*
    - Based upon the questions from the topic “La Famille et les amis”
    - Pupils should feel confident enough to answer questions about their family and friend(s) at ease rather than feeling they have to learn the answers off by heart.
    - Pupils need to appear to be speaking as naturally as possible.

#### Equipment you will need for the exam:

- Fountain pen and spare cartridges
- Pencil (Eraser/Sharpener)
- Highlighter

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#### NOTES/TIPS:

- For any further information or guidance about revision or the actual exam, please contact the Head of MFL - Madame Fabienne Bennison ([fbennison@westbournehouse.org](mailto:fbennison@westbournehouse.org)).