

French Language Programme at PWPS

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Language Programme offered from Years 3 to 6

Throughout the French course, students are encouraged to:

- “have a go”
- recognise patterns and rules when using French and
- achieve their personal best in all learning areas.

Required Apps for French

The following apps are frequently used in the French classroom to create French projects throughout the year. These projects aim to showcase the students’ learning of French in areas of reading, writing and speaking.



Keynote



Clips



Class Seesaw



Chatterpix



Picollage

French Competitions

There are a few French competitions throughout the year. One of them is the Alliance Française Poem Recitation Competition. These competitions are advertised during French lessons. Students, who are interested and committed, are then guided and prepared by the French teacher to take part in the competitions.

French Club

French Club is open to students from Years 4 to 6. Students usually meet every Monday after school from 2:30 to 3:30 pm. The starting date and venue for this year will be advised with a permission slip to students who express a keen interest to learn more about the French language and culture.

Languages Week

Languages Week is designed to raise awareness of the benefits of language and highlight the linguistic diversity in our community. This usually takes place in Term 3 Week 2.

Selected students’ French work are displayed in the Amherst Library. Also on display are students’ work from all the languages taught in schools of neighbouring communities.

Learning at home

It is essential that your children are encouraged to study French at home and parents should support their learning.

The school has also purchased an annual subscription to *Languagenut* – a digital language resource with access to up to 22 world languages such as English, French, Indonesian, Italian and many more. The website provides opportunities for students to practise sentence building and activities for speaking, listening, reading and writing, with audio and visual support. French homework is also assigned through *Languagenut* for self-directed learning. *Languagenut* requires login details which will be communicated to students during French lessons.

Below is a list of resources to assist in the learning of the French language. Access to the resources is free of charge and does not require any login details.

- **Languages Online** (Website): Access is free. No need to sign up to use the website.
- **Class Seesaw** (App): Access is free. Students will need to scan the QR code from their classroom.
- **Quizlet.com** (website/app): Access is free. Search for my username: **Mademoiselle_Wong**