



# Year 7 French and Spanish



## What have students at St. Crispin's been taught to understand and be able to do?

Core Knowledge	Core Skills
<p><b>Universals (Non-negotiable principles)</b>  <b>Emotions</b>  <b>Weather in the Present Tense</b></p> <p><b>Introduction:</b>  Greetings  Age and birthday  Classroom instructions  School objects  Colours  Alphabet.</p> <p><b>Family:</b>  Family members  Pets  Physical descriptions  Describing self and others.</p> <p><b>Leisure:</b>  Sports and hobbies  Instruments  Free time.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Saying how you feel</li> <li>• Asking questions</li> <li>• Knowing weather phrases in the Present Tense.</li> <li>• Giving reasons and opinions.</li> <li>• Literacy skills: Understanding Structure of sentences and using accurate grammar, spelling and punctuation</li> <li>• Becoming confident with listening to a variety of spoken language</li> <li>• Reading and showing comprehension of material from a range of different sources.</li> <li>• Speaking with confidence and breaking that fear of speaking in another language</li> <li>• Numeracy skills.</li> </ul>

## How has learning been assessed?

Languages are assessed under 4 specific skills (Listening, Speaking, Reading, Writing).

The students complete a Quiz me every 5 lessons to monitor progress.

Writing is also practiced during the term through various tasks. Feedback is given to students in order to improve.

Speaking is at the core of everything we do in languages and this skill is practised and assessed through a variety of activities in lessons.

At the end of the year all students in Year 7 should be able to say how they feel and talk about the weather in the present tense fluently.

## What is coming up in the following year?

In Year 8, students will learn about music, food and the town.