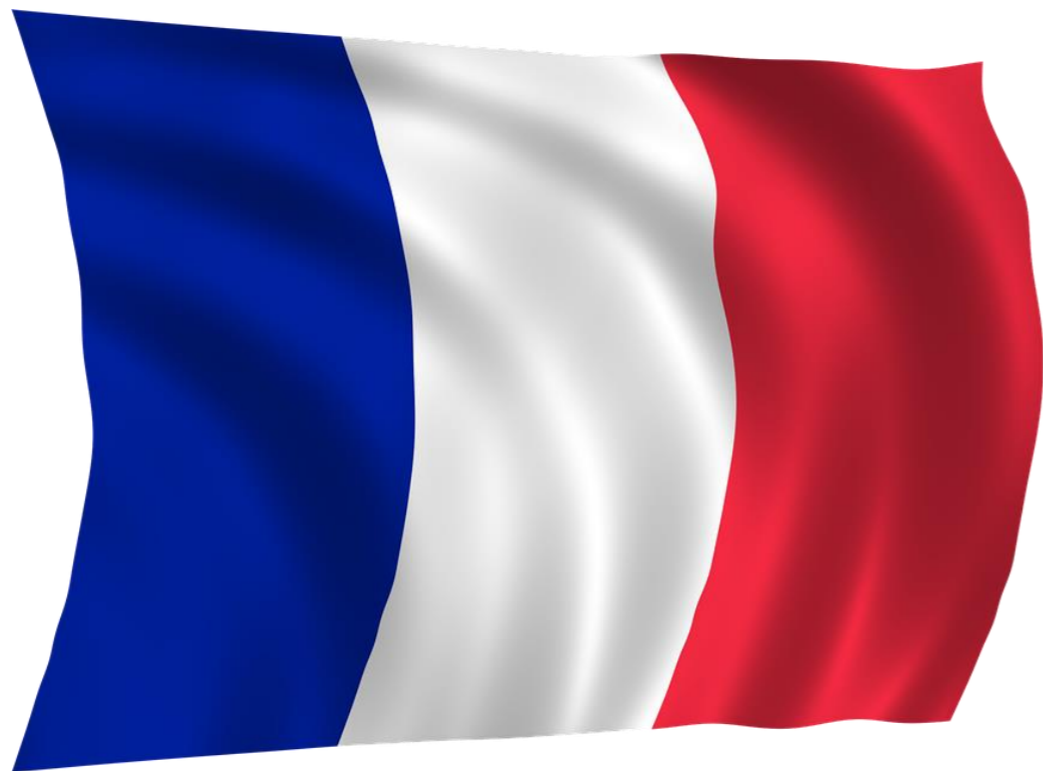




Characteristics of a linguist



At St Luke's Ce Primary School

We are linguists...

At St Luke's we want our children we become confident linguists. Linguists understand the world through different languages. They love learning about faith, community and culture through understanding how people communicate in different places around the world. If we understand someone else's language, we not only can communicate with them, but understand how things might be different.

Aims:

- To appreciate the spoken language through songs, poems and rhymes in the language
- Improve confidence to speak with good intonation and pronunciation.
- Develop Fluency in reading in French.
- Gain a strong awareness of the culture of the countries where the language is spoken.
- Build A passion for languages and a commitment to the subject.
- Express themselves using the language creatively and spontaneously.
- Gain an independence in their studies and the ability to draw upon a wide range of resources.
- Raise Self-esteem - Children will be taught that all efforts are to be praised and that having a go is the most important aspects.
- Improve general knowledge – We will teach children knowledge about a range of foreign language aspects, such as where the language is spoken, how it links with other languages and why it might differ how it is spoken. The progression document shows how knowledge and vocabulary builds over time.
- Build Resilience - Children will have opportunities to express their learning in different ways to ensure they aren't limited by their writing ability
- Learn through experiential learning – For children to learn a MFL through visitors and the use of targeted films.

End of EYFS	End of KS1	END OF KS2
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pupils have an awareness of the country of France and recognise some landmarks • Pupils can say simple French greetings • Pupils can appreciate and participate in traditional short stories & fairy tales and songs. • To understand different people, speak different languages 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pupils gain confidence in speaking a second language – French • Pupils can name a range of nouns • Pupils can count to 20 by the end of KS1 in French • Pupils can write simple words in French • Pupils can express themselves using simple phrases 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pupils can express their ideas and thoughts in French and understand and respond to its speakers, both in speech and in writing • Pupils can communicate for practical purposes, learn new ways of thinking and read great literature in the original language • Pupils can understand and respond to spoken and written language from a variety of authentic sources <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pupils can understand the basic grammar of French – age related • Pupils can use and understand feminine, masculine and neuter forms and the conjugation of high frequency verbs and apply them in speech and writing • Pupils can develop accurate French pronunciation and intonation so that wider audiences can clearly understand them • Pupils can engage in extended conversations, ask and answer questions, express opinions and seek clarification • Pupils can write at an increasing length and with increasing accuracy and for a clear purpose

