FRENCH

Key features

French at AS and A Level provides you with the skills to communicate effectively in French. Linguistic skills already possessed will be developed further through the study of the grammatical system and the structure of the language. You will also be encouraged to take advantage of a variety of opportunities to spend time in France e.g. work experience, French Exchange Visits.

AS Topics

- Leisure and Lifestyles including sport, hobbies, healthy living health and nutrition, diet and exercise; unhealthy living drugs, Aids, smoking and alcohol.
- The Individual and Society including relationships and responsibilities, youth culture (values, peer groups, fashions and trends etc.).

A2 Topics

- Environmental Issues including pollution, global warming, renewable energies, recycling, sustainability.
- Social and Political Issues including the role of the media, racism, immigration, terrorism, world at work.



Career Opportunities

Students entering the job market with a Modern European Language have become more highly valued in recent years as a result of the formation of a single European market.

Students possessing qualifications in languages are successful in a range of careers including teaching, international marketing, accountancy, finance, journalism, the civil service, research, government and administration.

The ability to combine a language with subjects like marketing, law, engineering and the sciences at most universities has produced a wider range of career options. Students speaking a foreign language may later be offered the opportunity to do part of their degree course in another European country.