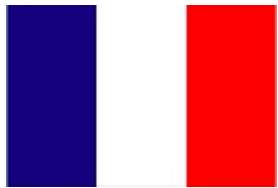




# Family Learning – Modern Languages



National 5

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- Skills based rather than content based
- 4 skill areas assessed formatively throughout the year
- Challenges?



# Overview of N5 course

- Reading 25% (exam)
- Writing 25% (50% final exam, 50% class assessment)
- Listening 25% (exam)
- Talking 25% (internal assessment)

## ***Key Dates***

- Preliminary Examinations:  
Friday 22nd November → Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December.
- Talking Assessments - all languages  
27<sup>th</sup> January → 14<sup>th</sup> Feb

# Supporting your child – talking exam

- Listen to daughter/son. Get them say presentation out loud, with and without notes.
- Encourage daughter/son to get teacher to record presentation on their phone, to reinforce accurate pronunciation.
- Encourage daughter/son to take advantage of opportunities out with the classroom.
- A lot of time will be given in class to working on the talking exam. Remind them to use their time well and to take full advantage of this.

# Resources

- Scholar online (pupils have usernames and passwords)
- Sound files (provided by staff)
- Dictionary (hard copy)
- Grammar notes
- Language based websites
- Enrichment – films, music, articles, social media...

# Website suggestions

Language/grammar based	Enrichment
<p>languagesonline.org.uk bbc.co.uk/languages zut.org.uk french.about.com lyricstraining.com scholar.hw.ac.uk cyberitalian.com/en/html/grammar.html</p>	<p>Buzzfeed articles in different languages Netflix or Amazon foreign language films France24.com (news) Chantefrance.com (French music radio) <a href="https://www.1jour1actu.com">https://www.1jour1actu.com</a> (French current affairs simplified) rtve.es (range of Spanish radio stations) 10elol.it/(Italian youth website) skuola.net/ (Italian student website)</p>