# **FRENCH**

Student year: **Upper 3 (Yr 7)** Head of Department: **Mme C Smith** 

#### SUBJECT OVERVIEW

The Upper 3 year builds upon the firm foundation made in the Junior School, reinforcing and consolidating what has already been taught. Girls learn to express themselves with greater accuracy in their speaking and writing and gain a greater understanding and appreciation of how the language works.

### Subject / Topic

- Alphabet
- Greetings
- Personal details
- French Geography & where you live
- Classroom objects
- School subjects
- Date and time
- School Timetable
- Hobbies and Sports
- What you do at home
- Opinions
- Clothes and colours

#### **GRAMMAR**

- Articles and personal pronouns
- Regular and irregular plurals of nouns
- Adjectival agreement and position
- Possessive adjectives
- Regular '-er' verbs in the present tense
- Irregular verbs in the present tense
- The negative form

### Skills / Attitudes

- Identify patterns in the target language
- Develop techniques for memorising words, phrases and spellings
- Use correct pronunciation and intonation

# **GERMAN**

Student year: **Upper 3 (Yr 7)** Head of Department: **Mrs M. Stuttaford** 

#### SUBJECT OVERVIEW

The Upper 3s build upon the foundation made during their taster sessions in Year 6. The girls learn to express themselves with greater accuracy in their both speaking and writing and gain a greater understanding and appreciation of how the language works.

#### Subject / Topic

- Alphabet
- Greetings
- Numbers
- Family Members
- Classroom objects
- · School subjects
- School Timetable
- · Telling the Time
- Days of the Week
- Free Time and Hobbies
- Opinions
- Using text/writing good English/ discussing ideas.
- Drawing Climate graphs
- Appreciation of the concept of scale/learning symbols/ understanding of contours and using OS maps.
- Fixing places on the globe the uniqueness of location.
- Use of photographs/the concepts of land use.
- Learning basic graphing skills on Excel and using GIS.

#### Skills / Attitudes

- Identify patterns in the target language.
- Develop techniques for memorising words, phrases and spellings.
- Use correct pronunciation and intonation.

# **SPANISH**

Student year: **Upper 3 (Yr 7)** Head of Department: **Ms C Morton** 

### SUBJECT OVERVIEW

The Upper 3 year builds upon and extends the foundation work started in the Junior school. Girls learn phonetics to ensure correct pronunciation. Grammatical structures and vocabulary are introduced, practised and consolidated systematically to provide the necessary framework for future success. All four skills are regularly covered in class. Homework tasks focus on consolidation of material done in class and extension work.

#### Subject / Topic

- Alphabet
- Greetings
- Personal details
- Classroom objects
- School subjects
- Opinions about school
- Dates
- School Timetable

#### Grammar

- Articles and personal pronouns
- Number and gender of nouns
- Adjectival agreement and position
- Regular -ar- '-er' and -ir- verbs in the present tense
- Some irregular verbs in the present tense
- The negative form
- The formation of questions