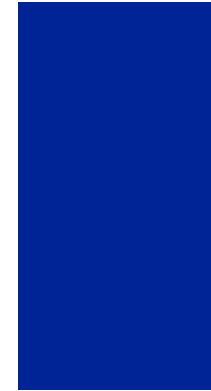


Year 4 French: Spring 1

Family tree and faces



In this module:

The children will start this half term with a cultural lesson finding out about Epiphany in France and revisiting months of the year in French. The children will then be introduced to the alien family, and learn the nouns for family members. The children will then choose one family member and make a hand puppet, recording personal information on the back. The children will then create a family tree before moving on to facial features in French and how to use colours as adjectives to describe parts of the face.

Through songs, games, native speaker clips, and independent tasks, they will explore the following content, topics and language:

1a) Epiphany time again

- Revisit months of the year
- Find out about Epiphany in France

1b) Alien family and face

- Learn the nouns for family members
- Make a hand puppet of a family member and record personal information
- Write the nouns for family members as part of a family tree
- Learn the nouns for parts of the face
- Revisit colours as adjectives to describe parts of the face

Learning Objective for each lesson:

- 1) I can recall some months of the year
- 2) I can say 4 family nouns in French
- 3) I can write personal information about a family member in French
- 4) I can read and say 4 face part nouns in French
- 5) I can understand the nouns for some parts of the face
- 6) Check for learning

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Key Performance Indicators

Can remember and say members of family nouns. Can remember and understand parts of face nouns. Can use a simple sentence with part of face noun and a colour adjective.





Language Detectives' Memory Bank of Family

Noun Bank

Le papa - the dad

Le frère - the brother

Le bébé - the baby

Le grand-père - the granddad

La maman - the mum

La soeur - the sister

La grand-mère- the grandma

La famille- the family



Sound spelling

"uis"

"ille"

"é"



Question and Answer Bank

Qui es- tu? - Who are you?

Je suis - I am

Grammar

There are two words for "the" in French with singular nouns.

These words are "le" and "la"



Language Detectives' Memory Bank of "parts of the face".

Noun Bank

Le nez – the nose

La bouche- the mouth

La tête- the head

Les cheveux- the hair

Les yeux – the eyes

Les oreilles- the ears



Grammar

There are two words for "the" in French with singular nouns (le and la)

There is only one word for "the" with French plural nouns and this is "les".

Sound spelling

sont

ez

che

eux



Question and Answer Bank

De quelle couleur est? – What colour is ...?

De quelle couleur sont....? What colour are....?

La bouche est - The mouth is.....

Les oreilles sont **The ears** are.....

Fact Bank

In English hair is a singular noun and in French "hair" is a plural noun (les cheveux).