



Course outline (3rd term)

Programme: Mon tour de France (1st part)

Topics and Language introduced this term:

This term, the children will do many role play to put the children in a real situation in France, like ordering a dessert in a restaurant, or lose a wallet in the street, or go to a wedding in France. There is so much to cover in this program so we will do each lesson within 3 weeks. The activities are very diversified, and 1 lesson includes oral exercises and song, one includes written exercises, and one role plays, games, and Geography of France, its different regions and costumes.

Lesson 9 (neuvieme leçon)

We will revise prepositions like sur (on), sous (under), dans (in) and learn 2 new ones: devant (in the front of), derriere (behind). We will do games with flashcards and objects, where the children will have to try and describe their positions using prepositions in French (le crayon est sous la table/ the pencil is under the table).

The children will learn how to say: bride (la mariée) et groom (le marié) and the grand-parents (les grand-parents). We will talk about family relations and tried to guess how the people in the picture of theirs books are related.

We will see the distinction between tu and vous. In certain contexts they both mean you (one person). We also use "vous" when we want to be polite or show respect to somebody.

The children will also learn how to say: whose is it? (C'est a qui?), (you see? (tu vois?), you want (tu veux), what is his /her name? (Comment s'appelle t'il/ elle?).

We will discover and talk about the region of Auvergne, find it on the map and look at images of the Massif Central. We will talk about the volcanoes and the bottle of water (Evian) that comes from this area.

Lesson 10 (Dixieme leçon)

We will learn additional words for fruits like un citron (a lemon), des fraises (strawberries), des cerises (cherries), un pamplemousse (a grapefruit), une orange, un fruit.

The children will learn how to count to 50. We will revise masculine and feminine articles. We will see the "article definis "L", which is used when the noun starts with a vowel, regardless of gender (l'enfant). Then we will talk about the plural "les". We will make lists of several nouns we know and saw what they are combined with.

We will do a shopping dialogue and make questions using the form: "Qu'est-ce que tu voudrais?" (what would you like?) and answer "Je voudrais ...

We will learn how to say what is your favourite fruit? (Quel est ton fruit préféré) and we will do the game: "what is your favourite fruit?".

We will learn sentences to express what we like or dislike: J'aime beaucoup (I love)J'aime (I like),Je n'aime pas (I don't like), je déteste (I hate). We will introduce "c'est combien?" (how much does it cost?)which we will use for our role play.

We will use thumbs up/down and flashcards to make and say sentences in French, e.g. J'aime les

fraises, Je déteste les cerises. Then we will talk about what we love and what we hate. "Tu aimes les citrons?" and answered "J'aime les citrons" etc. according to each pupil's likes and dislikes. We will talk about the region of Poitou-Charentes and the attraction park Futuroscope. We will see pictures and found the region on the map to colour it in.

Lesson 11 (onzieme leçon)

We will learn more vocabulary for food like un concombre (cucumber), un chou-fleur (a cabbage), des radis (some radishes), des champignons (some mushrooms), des petit pois (some peas), un légume (a vegetable).

We will see how to ask a question in different way according to the intonation of the voice. For instance: Avez – vous (have you got..)and vous avez..? *(you have got ..?) .

We will use: j'aime, j'aime beaucoup, je n'aime pas, je déteste + our new words for food to build more sentences and talk about the vegetables that we like and dislike.

We will introduce the verbe avoir (to have), and the children will use "j'ai" and "tu as" (I have and you have) in their sentences. We will also learn how to say "some" in French (du, de la and des for masculine, feminine and plural accordingly).

We will do a lot of role plays like " un sondage", and "au restaurant" et learn songs like " J'ai des bonbons" et beaucoup de bonnes choses" .

We will also discover another region in France called "the centre" and its capital Orleans.

A bientôt! ☺