

Description

Why Learn a Foreign Language?

In a rapidly changing world studying a foreign language can equip you to respond to varying requirements of education providers and potential employers. Increasingly, celebrities and sportsmen and women realise the value of speaking a foreign language as it allows them to take up employment opportunities all over the world. The study of a Modern Language will also enable you to take your place in the modern workforce in Scotland.

Studying a Modern Language is particularly useful to those interested in travelling or working abroad. Employers in all areas are much more likely to employ people who have a language qualification. Languages are also vital in our local tourist industry.

Language and communication are vital skills that all pupils need. In S3, pupils will continue their study of Modern Languages. Pupils may choose French, Spanish or both languages. In S3 pupils will consolidate and build upon the skills they began to develop in S1 and S2.

In S3 French, pupils will have the opportunity to:

- Further develop their listening, talking, reading and writing skills.
- Use different media effectively.
- Develop language and communication skills that are required for life beyond school.
- Enhance their appreciation and understanding of other cultures.

Progression

This course of study will prepare pupils for further study in French at National 4 or 5 in S4.