

Core Unit 3

French

We will learn to:

- recognise whether nouns are singular or plural, based on the article 'le'/'la'/'l'/'les';
- say simple words and phrases from memory, with accurate pronunciation, so that others can understand us;
- recognise whether nouns are singular or plural when reading.

We will practise these skills:

- Understand some simple words and phrases.
- Understand simple questions and respond to them, e.g. by picking up an item.
- Respond appropriately to songs and rhymes, e.g. by performing a series of actions.
- Join in with simple songs and rhymes.
- Read familiar words and phrases aloud with accurate pronunciation, so that others can understand.

Important figures:



Louis Braille (b.1976)

French educator who developed a system of printing and reading for the blind, known as Braille after being accidentally blinded as a child.

We will use this vocabulary:

<i>la tête</i>	the head
<i>les épaules (f)</i>	the shoulders
<i>les genoux (m)</i>	the knees
<i>les pieds</i>	(m) the feet
<i>le nez</i>	the nose
<i>les yeux (m)</i>	the eyes
<i>les oreilles (f)</i>	the ears
<i>la bouche</i>	the mouth
<i>le bras</i>	the arm
<i>la jambe</i>	the leg
<i>la tête</i>	the head
<i>le pied</i>	the foot
<i>le ventre</i>	the stomach
<i>le dos</i>	the back
<i>le genou</i>	the knee
<i>l'épaule (f)</i>	the shoulder
<i>la main</i>	the hand
<i>le doigt</i>	the finger
<i>un cadeau</i>	a present
<i>un crocodile</i>	a crocodile
<i>un tee-shirt</i>	a T-shirt
<i>un robot</i>	a robot
<i>un hippopotame</i>	a hippopotamus
<i>un livre</i>	a book
<i>du chocolat</i>	some chocolate

We will ask and answer these questions:

<i>Qu'est-ce que c'est?</i>	What is it?
<i>C'est... / Ce sont...</i>	It's... / They're...
<i>Comment est mon monstre?</i>	What's my monster like?
<i>Il a...</i>	He has...
<i>Il y a combien de chocolats?</i>	How many chocolates are there?
<i>Il y a ... chocolats.</i>	There are ... chocolates.
<i>Qu'est-ce que c'est?</i>	What is it?
<i>C'est...</i>	It's...
<i>C'est quand, ton anniversaire?</i>	When is your birthday?
<i>Mon anniversaire est en...</i>	My birthday is in...

<i>une robe</i>	a dress
<i>laid</i>	ugly
<i>ronfler</i>	to snore
<i>vingt-et-un</i>	twenty-one
<i>vingt-deux</i>	twenty-two
<i>vingt-trois</i>	twenty-three
<i>vingt-quatre</i>	twenty-four
<i>vingt-cinq</i>	twenty-five
<i>vingt-six</i>	twenty-six
<i>vingt-sept</i>	twenty-seven
<i>vingt-huit</i>	twenty-eight
<i>vingt-neuf</i>	twenty-nine
<i>trente</i>	thirty
<i>trente-et-un</i>	thirty-one

<i>janvier</i>	January
<i>février</i>	February
<i>mars</i>	March
<i>avril</i>	April
<i>mai</i>	May
<i>juin</i>	June
<i>juillet</i>	July
<i>août</i>	August
<i>septembre</i>	September
<i>octobre</i>	October
<i>novembre</i>	November
<i>décembre</i>	December