

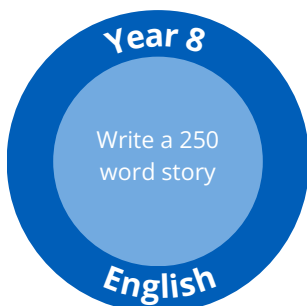
YEAR 8 VOCABULARY BOOKLET

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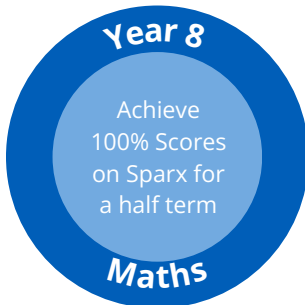
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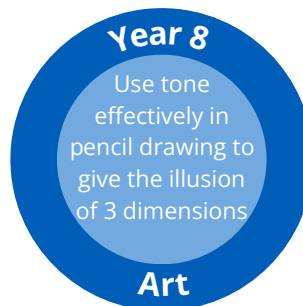






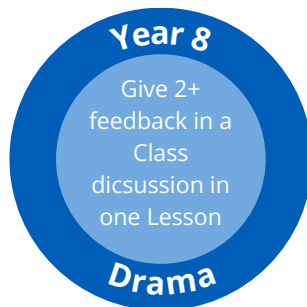


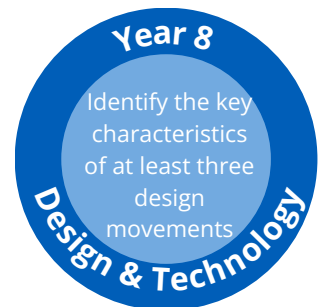


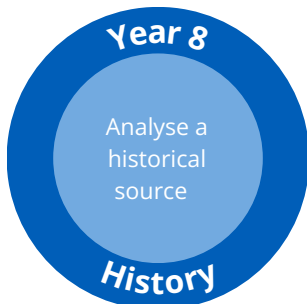


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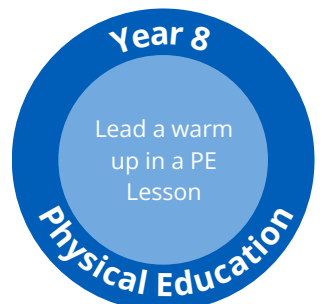


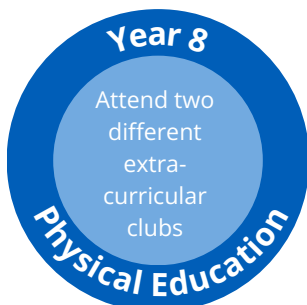














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Homework Guidance

In Year 8, most of your homework will be based on quizzing yourself on the words. You should spend 25 minutes every day learning these words. Your tutor will check your practice book in tutor time to make sure you are doing the quizzing. You will be tested on these words in your lessons as part of the silent and solo and formally in your assessments each term. If you are finding it hard to practise at home, we will support you.

There are lots of words in this book, but you can learn them all if you keep trying. Learning is not always easy but if you keep going, you will get there. Sometimes words will be repeated. This is deliberate and will make you more likely to remember them in the long term.

To be as efficient as possible, you need to focus all your attention on these words. Find a silent space to work or one that is as quiet as possible. Leave your phone in a different room.

Steps to remembering best:

1. Turn to the words for the day.
2. Set up your practice book – write the Title (the subject you are completing), the week number (see vocab book) and the date. Underline this with a ruler.
3. Look at the word and the definition
4. Say the word and the definition out loud. Repeat this a couple of times until you are confident with it.
5. Cover the definition.
6. Write the word and definition down.
7. Check and correct in red pen.
8. Repeat until you have got the word and definition correct.

You will find information on your additional core homework on the next few pages.

Note: This booklet stays at home; we have spare copies in school if you want to do homework at school.

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Homework Timetable

Day	Vocabulary Practice	Maths	Science
Monday	English	Sparx 100% completion (Should take one hour)	Educake 70% passmark (Should take 30 minutes maximum)
Tuesday	- German or Spanish for students studying only one language - French for students studying two languages		
Wednesday	Maths and IT		
Thursday	Science		
Friday	- Humanities - German or Spanish for students studying two languages		
Saturday	Creative		
Sunday	PE and Health		

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Maths - Sparx

Your weekly maths homework will be set on Sparx Maths (sparx maths.com). This will be consistent high-quality practice which should take around one hour to complete. Your homework will match what you are being taught in lessons but will be personalised to your level so you should be able to complete all the questions.

How to use Sparx

Sparx homework is set on a Tuesday and is due the following Tuesday at 3pm.

1. Login [Sparx Maths Login](#)



2. The first time you login, you will be shown a short video on how to use Sparx.
3. Open up your Sparx practice book, write the date and underline it. Write down the bookwork code, your workings out and an answer.
4. Input your answer and you will get immediate feedback – telling you if you are right or wrong.
5. If you get it wrong, watch the video clip attached to the question which will show you (step-by-step) how to tackle a similar problem. Try the question again.
6. If you still cannot do the question, watch the video again – pausing and replaying sections to check you understand each step.
7. If you are still stuck, speak to your teacher before the deadline, or attend one of the Sparx sessions after school on Tuesday or Wednesday. It is useful to bring your practice book to these sessions so the teacher can see where you are going wrong.

Extension

Students who do extra Sparx – even as little as 15 minutes per week – will make significantly better progress. To access personalised additional work, follow these steps:

1. Go to XP Boost or Target – these are personalised tasks suitable for your level. Students achieving the highest XP will feature on the Leadership Board and receive a prize.
2. Go to Independent Learning – this is where you can focus on key topics that you may need extra support with. You can choose the level yourself but please challenge yourself!

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Science - Educake

Students are set regular homework in Science to support their learning. This is done using Educake, an online platform designed to improve recall and understanding. We have seen a significant improvement in students' science knowledge from when they arrive in Year 7 through to Year 9, compared to national averages, based on externally marked assessments. Educake supports this by helping to build long-term memory of key scientific knowledge.

Students are assigned two quizzes per week, each containing 45 questions. These are the core homework tasks and must be completed by the deadline set. Homework will follow a consistent weekly schedule to help students build routine and independence.

How to use Educake

The two required quizzes contain basic recall questions using the lowest level questions available on Educake.

Each quiz takes approximately nine minutes to complete.

The pass mark is 70%.

If students do not achieve this, they can:

- Retake the quiz
- Use the internet to research content
- Attend after-school homework club, where a teacher is available to help them succeed

For students looking to challenge themselves, an optional Challenge Pack of 30 higher-level questions is also available each week. This is ideal for those aiming to deepen their understanding and excel in science.

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Term 1

Week 1

7 September - 13 September

Word	Definition	Example
Onomatopoeia	A word that is formed to associate with the sound it makes.	The eggs popped in the pan.
Metaphor	A direct comparison.	The school is a prison.
Personification	When you give something inanimate human qualities.	The chair groaned under the weight
Simile	A comparison using like or as.	The school was like a prison
Alliteration	Two or more words that begin with the same letter or sound.	P erfect P eter p ranced p eevishly.
Plot twist	An unexpected and sudden change in the narrative.	Suddenly, I woke up and it had all been a dream!
Hyperbole	An exaggeration.	I'm so hungry I could eat a horse!
Adjective	A describing word.	The large cat sat on the rough mat.
Adverb	A word or phrase that modifies an adjective or verb.	The cat quickly jumped on the mouse.
Sensory language	Using the 5 senses to describe something. (Sight, smell, touch, hear, taste).	The flowers smell sweet.

Week 1 - Tuesday

8 September 2026

German or Spanish for students who study **ONLY ONE** language

German

Word	Definition
heute	Today
früher	In the past
Die Stadt ist...	The town is...
Die Stadt war...	The town was...
ruhig	Quiet
laut	Noisy
groß	Big
klein	Small
touristisch	Touristy
historisch	Historic

Spanish

Word	Definition
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Fui con mi familia	I went with my family
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Fui en barco	I went by boat/ferry
Fui en coche	I went by car
Fui en tren	I went by train

French for students who study **Two** languages

Word	Definition
bonjour	Hello
Salut!	Hi
Comment ça va?	How are you?
Ça va	I'm well
Pas mal	Not bad
Ça ne va pas	Not good
Ça va très bien	I'm very well
Au revoir	Goodbye
merci	Thank you
À plus	See you later

Week 1 - Wednesday 9 September 2026

Word	Definition
Factor	A number that divides exactly into another number.
Multiple	The answers you get when you multiply a number (its times-table). 4, 8, 12...
Prime number	A number with exactly two factors (1 and itself).
Product	The result of multiplying numbers together.
Prime factorisation	Writing a number as a product of prime numbers.
Highest common factor (HCF)	The largest common factor of two or more numbers, e.g. 6 is the HCF of 12 and 18.
Lowest common multiple (LCM)	The smallest multiple shared by two or more numbers, e.g. the LCM of 3 and 4 is 12.
Divisible	When one number can be divided by another with no remainder.
Sprite	A character or object in a Scratch project that can move and perform actions.
Stage	The background area where the sprite appears and the project takes place.

Word	Definition
Force	A push or pull on an object.
Resultant force	The overall force acting on an object.
Balanced forces	Equal forces causing no change in movement.
Unbalanced forces	Unequal forces causing a change in movement.
Vector	A quantity with size and direction.
Atom	The smallest part of an element.
Element	A substance made from one type of atom.
Matter	Anything with mass and volume.
Particle	A tiny piece of matter.
Chemical symbol	One or two letters representing an element, e.g. C is carbon.

Week 1 - Friday

11 September 2026

Word	Definition
Empire	A group of countries ruled a single person, government or country.
Colonies	Places that are controlled and settled by a distant country.
Globalisation	The process that is creating a more connected world. Due to increases in the global movement of goods (trade) and people (migration and tourism).
Migration	Migration is when people move permanently from one place to another.
Industrialisation	Where an economy shifts away from agriculture to large scale manufacturing.
Culture	The ideas, customs and social behaviour of particular people or society.
Interfaith understanding	Having an acceptance of other religions and working together.
Norms and values	What is considered acceptable behaviour, e.g. right or wrong.

German for students who study **Two** languages.

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Week 1 - Friday

11 September 2026

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Fui en coche	I went by car
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Word	Definition
Design movement	A style that is followed and promoted by a group of artists and designers for a defined time period.
Synthetic	A material that is man-made using chemical processes rather than being found naturally.
Pattern	A repeated decorative design.
Physical theatre	Using your bodies to create shapes/objects and landscapes.
Gesture	Using hands to communicate meaning.
Contemporary	Belonging to or happening at the present time.
Opera	A form of theatre using musical and song, usually in the classical genre.
Musical	A contemporary form of theatre using music and song to tell a story.
Classical	The architecture of the Ancient Greeks and Romans.
Neoclassicism	A revival of the ideas and principals of Classicism.

Week 1 - Sunday

13 September 2026

Word	Definition
Cardiovascular endurance (stamina)	The heart, lungs, and blood vessels supplying oxygen to the working muscles over a long period of time.
Muscular endurance	Muscle/group of muscles performing repeated contractions without getting tired.
Muscular strength	The maximum force a muscle or group of muscles can produce in a single effort.
Speed	Moving all or part of the body as quickly as possible.
Power	Using strength quickly (force × speed).
Flexibility	The range of movement available at a joint.
Agility	Changing direction quickly and effectively while maintaining control.
Balance	Maintaining the body's centre of mass over its base of support.
Coordination	Using two or more body parts together smoothly and efficiently.
Reaction time	The time taken to respond to a stimulus.

Term 1

Week 2

14 September - 20 September

Word	Definition	Example
Flashback	When the plot goes into the past to tell you about an event.	I was taken back to that time 3 years ago when....
Narrative	The plot.	The narrative is the events in the story.
Cyclical structure	The ending connects to the beginning.	Opening: "The small town was entirely swallowed by the morning fog." Closing: "The small town was entirely swallowed by the evening fog."
Genre	A style or category of story.	Sci-fi/ romantic/ fantasy/ sport
First person perspective	When you use first person pronouns to tell a story.	I went outside.
Third person perspective	When the narrator doesn't exist within the story.	They went outside.
Foreboding	A feeling that something bad will happen; fearful apprehension.	A hurricane being announced just as a character is about to board a plane.
Protagonist	The leading character in a story.	Katniss Everdeen, Shrek.
Foreshadowing	A warning or indication of a future event.	When Romeo and Juliet are introduced as 'star crossed' lovers.
Omniscient perspective	When the narrator knows everything about the characters and events.	The monster showed up just after midnight. Connor was awake when it came.

Week 2 - Tuesday

15 September 2026

German or Spanish for students who study **ONLY ONE** language

German

Word	Definition
Die Stadt hat...	The town has...
Die Stadt hatte...	The town had...
Es gibt...	There is/are...
Es gab...	There were...
einen Strand	A beach
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Spanish

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bailé	I danced
compré una camiseta	I bought a T-shirt
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mandé SMS	I sent texts
monté en bici	I rode a/my bike
y luego	And then
nadé en el mar	I swam in the sea
saqué fotos	I took photos
no tomé el sol	I didn't sunbathe
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À plus	See you later

Week 2 - Wednesday 16 September 2026

Word	Definition
Prime factors	The prime numbers that multiply to make a number.
Factor pair	Two numbers that multiply to give a product.
Index form	Writing repeated multiplication using powers, e.g. $2^3 \times 5^2$.
Power	The power of a base, e.g. 3^4 has 4 as the power/index.
Square number	A number made by multiplying a number by itself, e.g. $36 = 6 \times 6$.
Cube number	A number made by multiplying a number by itself three times, e.g. $8 = 2 \times 2 \times 2$.
Simplest form	Writing a factorisation clearly, usually in index form.
Highest common factor (HCF)	The largest common factor of two or more numbers, e.g. 6 is the HCF of 12 and 18.
Block	A piece of code in Scratch that you snap together to make programs.
Script	A collection of blocks joined together to control a sprite's behaviour.

Word	Definition
Friction	A force resisting movement between touching surfaces.
Drag	A force slowing movement through air or water.
Fluid	A substance that flows, like liquids and gases.
Streamlining	Shaping objects to reduce drag.
Lubrication	Reducing friction using a slippery substance.
Compound	Different elements chemically joined together.
Chemical Bond	Force holding atoms together.
Molecule	Two or more bonded atoms.
Pure Substance	Material containing only one substance.
Mixture	Two or more substances not chemically bonded.

Week 2 - Friday

18 September 2026

Word	Definition
Trade	The act of buying, selling, or exchanging goods and services.
Sepoy	An Indian soldier serving under British or other European orders.
Raj	The period of British rule in India.
Deindustrialisation	Where an economy shifts away large scale manufacturing towards service based employment
Intergovernmental organisations (IGOs)	Organisations made up of more than one national government,e.g. the EU and the UN.
Superpower	A very powerful and influential nation; they can project their power anywhere in the world.
Norms and values	What is considered acceptable behaviour, e.g. right or wrong

German for students who study **Two** languages.

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Week 2 - Friday

18 September 2026

Spanish for students who study **Two** languages.

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Fui en coche	I went by car
Fui en tren	I went by train

Word	Definition
Isometric	A drawing of a 3D object in which all sides are shown at equal angles and the scale is kept the same.
Enhancement	An improvement made to a design to make it better.
Tone	The emotion used in voice.
Projection	Making sure your voice can be heard by your audience without shouting.
Physicality	Using your body to create a character.
Dialogue	A discussion or conversation between two or more people.
Preconception	What you think about something before learning or investigating it further.
Improvise	Create or perform without preparation.
Gothic	The Christian architectural style of Western Europe in the Middle Ages, often seen in churches and public buildings.
Modernism	The new architecture of the 20th Century, often incorporating manufactured components and simple forms.

Week 2 - Sunday

20 September 2026

Word	Definition
Warm up	A series of exercises performed before physical activity to prepare the body for exercise.
Cool down	A series of low-intensity exercises performed after physical activity to help the body recover.
Pulse raiser	Exercises that slowly increase heart rate and body temperature, e.g. jogging.
Mobility	Exercises that take the joint through their full range of movement, e.g. arm swings.
Stretching	Lengthening the muscles, tendons, and ligaments of the body to increase flexibility and prepare the joint for exercise.
Dynamic movement	Movements that show a change of speed and direction, e.g. shuttle runs.
Skill rehearsal	Practising common movement patterns and skills that will be used for the activity, e.g. dribbling.
Heart rate	The amount of times your heart beats per a minute, the average is 75bpm.
Breathing rate	Is the frequency of breathing measured in breaths per minute, the average is 12 bpm.
Fitness	Completing daily activities without tiring.

Term 1

Week 3

21 September - 27 September

Word	Definition	Examples
Exposition	Background information in a story.	The exposition usually goes at the beginning.
Personal pronouns	Identify a personal attribute or perspective choice.	I, you, it, she, they, her...
Symbolism	The use of symbols/objects/ colours to represent an idea or quality.	Red might symbolise romance
Irony	The expression of one's meaning by using language that normally suggests and opposite.	A cat-lover being allergic to cats
Structure	The organisation of a story (such as the plot).	Exposition – Rising Action – Climax - Resolution
Pathetic fallacy	Using inanimate things, particularly the weather, to reflect human emotions.	The rain hammered down outside and the sky was grey and depressing .
Tone	The narrator's attitude towards a subject.	The teacher had a friendly tone in her voice.
'Show, don't tell'	When you describe in lots of detail so that a reader can visualise your writing.	Telling = There was a cat on the mat. Showing = A majestic creature stretched out her sleek, shiny, soft paws and purred loudly.
Anaphora	Repetition at the start of lines.	We shall fight, we shall win, we shall conquer.
Climax	The highest point of tension in a story.	Where the action takes place.

Week 3 - Tuesday

22 September 2026

German or Spanish for students who study **ONLY ONE** language

German

Word	Definition
in einem Hotel	In a hotel
bei Freunden	At a friend's house
in einem Wohnwagen	In a caravan
in einem Ferienhaus	In a holiday house
in einer Jugendherberge	In a youth hostel
auf einem Campingplatz	On a campsite
Ich habe in einem Hotel gewohnt	I stayed in a hotel
Wir haben in einem Hotel gewohnt	We stayed in a hotel
Er hat in einem Hotel gewohnt	He stayed in a hotel
Sie haben in einem Hotel gewohnt	They stayed in a hotel

Spanish

Word	Definition
El último día	The last day
por la mañana	In the morning
por la tarde	In the afternoon
bebí una limonada	I drank a lemonade
comí paella	I ate paella
conocí a un chico guapo / una chica guapa	I met a good-looking boy / a pretty girl
no escribí SMS	I didn't write texts
no salí con mi hermano	I didn't go out with my brother
no salí con mi hermana	I didn't go out with my sister
no vi un castillo interesante	I didn't see an interesting castle

Word	Definition
As-tu des frères ou des sœurs ?	Do you have brothers and sisters?
oui j'ai...	Yes, I have...
un (demi) frère	A half-brother
une (demie) sœur	A half-sister
non je n'ai pas de frères ou sœurs	No, I don't have any brothers or sisters.
je suis fils unique	I'm an only child (boy).
je suis fille unique	I'm an only child (girl).
je m'appelle	I'm called
j'ai	I have
je suis	I am

Week 3 - Wednesday 23 September 2026

Word	Definition
Base	The base number with an index, e.g. 3^4 has 3 as the base.
Index	The power of a base, e.g. 3^4 has 4 as the power/index.
Evaluate	Work out the value of.
Zero powers	Any number to the power of 0 is 1.
Reciprocal	A number flipped (e.g. $\frac{1}{2}$ is the reciprocal of 2).
Multiple	The result of multiplying a number by an integer.
Index form	Writing repeated multiplication using powers, e.g. $2^3 \times 5^2$.
Square number	A number made by multiplying a number by itself, e.g. $36 = 6 \times 6$.
Costume	Different appearances a sprite can switch between to create animation.
Backdrop	The background image of the stage.

Word	Definition
Deformation	A change in an object's shape.
Compression	A squashing force.
Tension	A stretching or pulling force.
Extension	The increase in an object's length.
Hooke's law	Spring extension increases with force.
Chemical formula	Shows the atoms in a compound, e.g. NaCl.
Subscript	Small number showing atom quantity, e.g. the small 2 in H ₂ O.
Formula	Symbol representation of a substance.
Ratio	Relative numbers of different atoms.
Carbon dioxide	Compound containing carbon and two oxygen atoms, CO ₂ .

Week 3 - Friday

25 September 2026

Word	Definition
Mutiny	A rebellion against the leaders of a group, especially sailors or soldiers against their officers.
Cash crop	Crops grown to be sold for profit rather than for use by the grower.
Independence	The state of being free from control by another country or government.
Superpower	A very powerful and influential nation; they can project their power anywhere in the world.
Transnational corporation (TNC)	A business or company that operates in more than one country, e.g. Nike, McDonald and Apple.
Post-Industrial economy	The shift of some developed economies from producing goods (secondary) to providing services (tertiary).
Push factors	These encourage or force (push) migrants to move out of their original locality.
Pull factors	These attract (pull) migrants to a different locality.
Norms and values	What is considered acceptable behaviour, e.g. right or wrong.

German for students who study **Two** languages.

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Week 3 - Friday

25 September 2026

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monté en bici	I rode a/my bike
y luego	And then
nadé en el mar	I swam in the sea
saqué fotos	I took photos
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Word	Definition
Tonal shading	A technique used to show depth, form, and a three-dimensional appearance.
Modelling	The process of creating a physical or digital representation of a design idea.
CAD (computer aided design)	The use of computer software to create, modify, and improve design drawings and models.
Facial expression	Using your face to show an emotion.
Corpsing	Laughing on stage accidentally.
Origins	The point, place or time when something begins.
Blues	A feeling of sadness / a style of music beginning in the southern states of the USA.
Doric	A broad masculine classical style originating in Greece.
Ionic	An elegant feminine classical style originating in Greece.
Corinthian	A composite classical style originating in Rome.

Week 3 - Sunday

27 September 2026

Word	Definition
Cranium	Hard bony part of the head that protects the brain.
Clavicle	Collarbone.
Scapula	Shoulder blade.
Humerus	Upper arm bone.
Radius	Forearm bone - from the elbow to the wrist on the thumb side of your arm.
Ulna	Forearm bone - from the elbow to the wrist on the little finger side of your arm.
Carpals	Small bones that make up your wrist.
Metacarpals	Bones in the palm of your hand.
Sternum	Breast bone.
Ribs	Curved bones that protect the heart and lungs.

Term 1

Week 4

28 September - 4 October

Word	Definition	Examples
When to start a new paragraph in writing	Every time there's a new: Topic Time Place Person.	There were cats on the mat. "Woof" said the dog.
Anecdote	A short, personal story.	I remember when....
Protagonist	The main character, usually a hero.	Harry Potter is the protagonist in the Harry Potter series.
Simile	A comparison using like or as.	The school was like a prison.
Narrative	A spoken or written account of connected events; a story.	The story might have a chronological narrative, or, there may be flashbacks.
Metaphor	A direct comparison.	The school is a prison.
Personification	When you give something inanimate human qualities.	The chair groaned under the weight.
Adjective	A describing word.	The large cat sat on the rough mat.
Perspective	A point of view.	How the reader is positioned to the action
Ambiguity	Something that is deliberately unclear.	The ending was ambiguous.
Pathos	Feeling empathetic towards a character.	The audience experienced pathos for the protagonist.

Week 4 - Tuesday

29 September 2026

German or Spanish for students who study **ONLY ONE** language

German

Word	Definition
Ich habe gehört	I listened to
Ich habe gekauft	I bought
Ich habe gemacht	I did
Ich habe gesehen	I saw
Ich habe gelesen	I read
Ich habe gegessen	I ate
Ich habe gespielt	I played
Ich habe ein Buch gekauft	I bought a book
Ich habe die Kirche gesehen	I saw the church
Wir haben ein Safari gemacht	We did a safari

Spanish

Word	Definition
Fue divertido	It was fun/funny
Fue estupendo	It was brilliant
Fue fenomenal	It was fantastic
Fue flipante	It was awesome
Fue genial	It was great
Fue guay	It was cool
Fue horrible	It was horrible
Fue horroroso	It was terrible
Fue raro	It was weird

Word	Definition
As-tu des frères ou des sœurs ?	Do you have brothers and sisters?
oui j'ai...	Yes, I have...
un (demi) frère	A half-brother
une (demie) sœur	A half-sister
non je n'ai pas de frères ou sœurs	No, I don't have any brothers or sisters.
je suis fils unique	I'm an only child (boy).
je suis fille unique	I'm an only child (girl).
je m'appelle	I'm called
j'ai	I have
je suis	I am

Week 4 - Wednesday 30 September 2026

Word	Definition
Standard form	Writing numbers using powers of 10.
Power of 10	A number written as 10 to a power.
Numerator	The top number in a fraction.
Denominator	The bottom number in a fraction.
Proper fraction	A fraction less than 1.
Mixed number	A whole number and a fraction together.
Factor	A number that divides exactly into another number.
Improper fraction	A fraction greater than or equal to 1.
Loop	A set of instructions that repeat again and again, e.g. forever loop.
Event	Something that starts a script, like clicking a flag or pressing a key.

Word	Definition
Moment	The turning effect of a force.
Pivot	The point an object turns around.
Lever	A bar that turns around a pivot.
Load	The force or weight being moved.
Equilibrium	Balanced forces or moments causing no change.
Polymer	Very long molecule of repeating units.
Monomer	Small molecule joining to form polymers.
Synthetic polymer	Human-made polymer.
Natural polymer	Polymer made by living organisms.
Repeating unit	Pattern repeated throughout a polymer.

Week 4 - Friday

2 October 2026

Word	Definition
East Indian Company	A British trading company that controlled parts of India.
Viceroy	A person who rules a country or province as the representative of the monarch.
Resentment	A feeling of anger because something feels unfair.
Refugee	A person who has been forced to leave their country because they are not safe and has permission to stay in a country where they are safe.
Asylum seeker	A person who has left their home in a country where they feel unsafe; they have applied to stay in another country where they feel safe.
Primary employment	Jobs that involve extracting raw materials from the ground, e.g. farmer.
Secondary employment	Jobs that involve manufacturing raw materials into products, e.g. factory worker.
Culture	The ideas, customs and social behaviour of particular people or society.
Interfaith understanding	Having an acceptance of other religions and working together.

German for students who study **Two** languages.

Word	Definition
Die Stadt hat...	The town has...
Die Stadt hatte...	The town had...
Es gibt...	There is/are...
Es gab...	There were...
einen Strand	A beach
ein Stadion	A stadium
einen Marktplatz	A market square
ein Einkaufszentrum	A shopping centre
einen Hafen	A harbour
Es gab eine Arena	There was an arena

Week 4 - Friday

2 October 2026

Spanish for students who study **Two** languages.

Word	Definition
bailé	I danced
compré una camiseta	I bought a T-shirt
descansé en la playa	I relaxed on the beach
mandé SMS	I sent texts
monté en bici	I rode a/my bike
y luego	And then
nadé en el mar	I swam in the sea
saqué fotos	I took photos
no tomé el sol	I didn't sunbathe
no visité monumentos	I didn't visit monuments

Word	Definition
CAM (computer aided manufacture)	The use of computer-controlled machines to manufacture products from digital designs.
Creativity	The use of the imagination to develop new ideas and products.
Dance drama	Using dance and movement to communicate a story.
Melodrama	Theatre genre popular in Victorian times.
Stock characters	Those you would always expect to see in a given genre.
Triad	A chord made up of three notes using thirds.
Sequence	A particular order in which things happen.
Tracery	The stone frames within a stained glass window.
Pediment	The low pitched triangular shape at the front and back of a classical or neo-classical building.
Gargoyle	A monster carved in stone, used to ward off evil spirits, often found on gothic buildings.

Week 4 - Sunday

4 October 2026

Word	Definition
Vertebrae	Individual bones that make up your backbone or spine.
Pelvis	Hip bone.
Femur	Thigh bone.
Patella	Kneecap.
Tibia	Shin bone; it is the thicker of the two bones.
Fibula	Shin bone; it is the thinner of the two bones.
Tarsals	Seven small bones that make up the ankle and the back of the foot.
Metatarsals	Bones in the main part of the foot - between the ankle and the toes.
Phalanges	Bones in the fingers and toes.
Articulating bones	These are the bones that move within a joint.

Term 1

Week 5

5 October - 11 October

Word	Definition	Example
Hyperbole	An exaggeration.	I'm so hungry I could eat a horse!
Adjective	A describing word.	The large cat sat on the rough mat.
Adverb	A word or phrase that modifies an adjective or verb.	The cat quickly jumped on the mouse.
Onomatopoeia	A word that is formed to associate with the sound it makes.	Pop, bang, crash, hiss.
Structure	How a story is built up.	The journey the reader is taken on from beginning, middle to end
Antagonist	A character that actively opposes the protagonist.	President Snow, Lord Farquaad
Protagonist	The main character in a story.	Shrek, Macbeth, Little Red Riding Hood.
Inference	An interpretation based on evidence and reasoning.	Your teacher has mascara running down her face and red blotches on her cheeks. You could infer she was upset.
First person perspective	Telling a story from a character's viewpoint using I.	I went outside.
Third person perspective	Telling a story using he, she, or they.	They went outside.

Week 5 - Tuesday

6 October 2026

German or Spanish for students who study **ONLY ONE** language

German

Word	Definition
Italien	Italy
Wien	Vienna
Frankreich	France
Nach Cornwall	To Cornwall
Ich bin nach Paris gefahren	I went to Paris
Ich bin nach Spanien gefahren	I went to Spain
Ich bin nach Österreich gefahren	I went to Austria
Er ist nach Wien gefahren	He went to Vienna
Sie ist nach Cornwall gefahren	She went to Cornwall
Sie sind nach Paris gefahren	They went to Paris

Spanish

Word	Definition
porque	Because
comí algo malo y vomité	I ate something bad and vomited
hizo buen tiempo	The weather was good
llovió	It rained
perdí mi móvil	I lost my mobile
perdí mi pasaporte	I lost my passport
¡Me gustó!	I liked it!
¡Me encantó!	I loved it!
¡No me gustó!	I didn't like it!
Visité muchos monumentos	I visited many monuments

Word	Definition
il y a	There is / There are
un tableau	A board
un / une professeur	A teacher
un écran	A screen
un ordinateur	A computer
une porte	A door
une fenêtre	A window
une tablette	A tablet
des chaises	Some chairs
des élèves	Some pupils

Word	Definition
Reciprocal	A number flipped (e.g. $\frac{1}{2}$ is the reciprocal of 2).
Denominator	The bottom number in a fraction.
Improper fraction	A fraction where the numerator is bigger than the denominator.
Product	The result of multiplying numbers together.
Highest common factor (HCF)	The largest common factor of two or more numbers, e.g. 6 is the HCF of 12 and 18.
Mixed number	A whole number and a fraction together.
Fraction	A fraction is a way of showing part of a whole or a division of a quantity.
Proper fraction	A fraction less than 1.
Variable	A value that can change and store information, such as a score.
Condition (If statement)	A block that checks if something is true or false and makes decisions.

Word	Definition
Pressure	Force acting on a given area.
Fluid pressure	Pressure from liquids or gases.
Atmospheric pressure	Pressure caused by Earth's air.
Collision	When particles hit each other or surfaces.
Particle concentration	Number of particles in a space.
Periodic table	Chart organising all known elements.
Group	Vertical column of elements.
Period	Horizontal row of elements.
Metal	Element conducting heat and electricity.
Non-metal	Element lacking metallic properties.

Week 5 - Friday

9 October 2026

Word	Definition
Tertiary employment	Jobs which provide a service, e.g. Teacher.
Quaternary employment	Jobs that involve research or programming, e.g. scientist.
Empire	A group of countries ruled a single person, government or country.
Colonies	Places that are controlled and settled by a distant country.
Globalisation	The process that is creating a more connected world. Due to increases in the global movement of goods (trade) and people (migration and tourism).
Migration	Migration is when people move permanently from one place to another.
Norms and values	What is considered acceptable behaviour, e.g. right or wrong.
Trade	The act of buying, selling, or exchanging goods and services.

German for students who study **Two** languages.

Word	Definition
in einem Hotel	In a hotel
bei Freunden	At a friend's house
in einem Wohnwagen	In a caravan
in einem Ferienhaus	In a holiday house
in einer Jugendherberge	In a youth hostel
auf einem Campingplatz	On a campsite
Ich habe in einem Hotel gewohnt	I stayed in a hotel
Wir haben in einem Hotel gewohnt	We stayed in a hotel
Er hat in einem Hotel gewohnt	He stayed in a hotel
Sie haben in einem Hotel gewohnt	They stayed in a hotel

Week 5 - Friday

9 October 2026

Spanish for students who study **Two** languages.

Word	Definition
El último día	The last day
por la mañana	In the morning
por la tarde	In the afternoon
bebí una limonada	I drank a lemonade
comí paella	I ate paella
conocí a un chico guapo / una chica guapa	I met a good-looking boy / a pretty girl
no escribí SMS	I didn't write texts
no salí con mi hermano	I didn't go out with my brother
no salí con mi hermana	I didn't go out with my sister
no vi un castillo interesante	I didn't see an interesting castle

Word	Definition
Raw material	The original source that a material comes from, e.g. wood comes from trees.
Stock form	The standard shape and form that a material can be brought in, e.g. board.
Manufactured board	Timber sheets which are produced by gluing layers or wood fibres together.
Aside	Talking to the audience about another character who pretends not to hear.
Dramatic tension	The intense ingredient that keeps an audience engaged.
Chord progression	A pattern of chords in a repeated sequence.
Tonality	The character of music based on the combination of notes used.
Monochrome	Using only one colour in various tones.
Sitter	The person depicted in a portrait.
Tone	The lightness or darkness of a colour.

Week 5 - Sunday

11 October 2026

Word	Definition
Pectorals	Large muscles in your chest.
Bicep	Muscle at the front of your upper arm; its main job is to bend the arm at the elbow.
Abdominals	The muscles in your stomach area.
Quadricep	Large group of muscles at the front of your thigh.
Deltoid	Large, rounded muscle that forms the cap of your shoulder.
Synovial joint	This is a freely movable joint.
Hinge joint	Allows movement in one plane, e.g. knee and elbow.
Ball and socket joint	Allows a wide range of movement, e.g. hip and shoulder.
Ligaments	Bands of connective tissue that connect bone to bone.
Support and posture	A function of the skeleton that provides shape and structure.

Term 1

Week 6

12 October - 18 October

Word	Definition	Example
Omniscient perspective	When the narrator knows everything about the characters and events.	The monster showed up just after midnight. Connor was awake when it came.
Foreshadowing	A warning or indication of a future even.	When Romeo and Juliet are introduced as 'star crossed' lovers.
Climax	The most exciting part of the story – where the action takes place.	When the Titanic sinks – it is the climax .
Exposition	Background information – often description of the setting or a character.	The exposition is usually at the beginning of a story.
Genre	Type of story, e.g. Romance, Thriller, Comedy.	Romance, Thriller, Comedy
Rising action	When action rises, tension builds.	The rising action builds suspense.
Pace in creative writing	The speed at which a story is told.	The length of sentences may determine the ' pace '; of the story.
Falling action	When the action draws to a close.	The story is calmer during falling action .
Forebode	A feeling that something bad will happen; fearful apprehension.	A hurricane being announced just as a character is about to board a plane.
Symbolism	When something (an object) represents something else (an idea).	Red often symbolises danger or love.

Week 6 - Tuesday

13 October 2026

German or Spanish for students who study **ONLY ONE** language

German

Word	Definition
mit dem Auto	By car
mit dem Schiff	By boat
mit dem Reisebus	By coach
zu Fuß	On foot
mit meiner Familie	With my family
Ich bin mit Freunden gefahren	I went with friends
Ich bin mit dem Auto gefahren	I went by car
Ich bin geflogen	I flew
Wir sind geflogen	We flew
Er ist mit dem Schiff gefahren	He went by boat

Spanish

Word	Definition
Voy	I go
bailo	I dance
compro	I buy
descanso	I relax
monto	I ride
Fui	I went
bailé	I danced
compré	I bought
descansé	I relaxed
monté	I rode

Word	Definition
c'est	It is
sympa	Nice
génial	Great
triste	Sad
nul	Rubbish
démodé	Old-fashioned
moderne	Modern
il y a	There is
j'ai	I have
je suis	I am

Word	Definition
Prime number	A number with exactly two factors (1 and itself).
Multiple	The result of multiplying a number by an integer.
Proper fraction	A fraction less than 1.
Denominator	The bottom number in a fraction.
Index	The power of a base, e.g. 3^4 has 4 as the power/index.
Reciprocal	A number flipped (e.g. $\frac{1}{2}$ is the reciprocal of 2).
Square number	A number made by multiplying a number by itself, e.g. $36 = 6 \times 6$.
Zero powers	Any number to the power of 0 is 1.
Costume	Different appearances a sprite can switch between to create animation.
Variable	A value that can change and store information, such as a score.

Word	Definition
Liquid pressure	Pressure exerted by a liquid.
Depth	Distance below a liquid's surface.
Upthrust	The upward force from a fluid.
Hydraulic system	Machine using liquid to transmit force.
Incompressible	Cannot easily be squashed into less space.
Alkali metal	Group 1 metal reacting vigorously.
Reactivity	How easily a substance reacts.
Oxide	Compound containing oxygen.
Hydrogen	Gas produced by metals reacting with water.
Hydroxide	Substance containing OH ⁻ ions.

Week 6 - Friday

16 October 2026

Word	Definition
Sepoy	An Indian soldier serving under British or other European orders.
Raj	The period of British rule in India.
Deindustrialisation	Where an economy shifts away large scale manufacturing towards service based employment.
Intergovernmental organisations (IGOs)	Organisations made up of more than one national government,e.g. the EU and the UN.
Superpower	A superpower is a very powerful and influential nation. They can project their power anywhere in the world.
East Indian Company	A British trading company that controlled parts of India.
Viceroy	A person who rules a country or province as the representative of the monarch.
Push factors	These encourage or force (push) migrants to move out of their original locality.
Pull factors	These attract (pull) migrants to a different locality.

German for students who study **Two** languages.

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Week 6- Friday

16 October 2026

Spanish for students who study **Two** languages.

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no salí con mi hermano	I didn't go out with my brother
no salí con mi hermana	I didn't go out with my sister
no vi un castillo interesante	I didn't see an interesting castle

Word	Definition
Plywood	A board made of layers of wood veneers glued together in different directions at 90 degrees.
MDF (medium density fibreboard)	A board made of sawdust mixed with a resin to join them together.
Dramatic irony	When the audience knows more than a character.
Cliffhanger	A dramatic device where the scene ends suddenly and unfinished.
Episodic	In short 'stand alone' sections.
Major	A form of tonality that usually sounds happy.
Minor	A form of tonality that usually sounds sad.
Hue	Pure colour with no black or white added.
Tint	A colour with white added.
Dry brush	Small quantities of paint applied with a dry brush.

Week 6 - Sunday

18 October 2026

Word	Definition
Trapezius	Large muscle in your upper back and neck.
Tricep	Muscle at the back of your upper arm; its main job is to straighten the arm.
Latissimus dorsi	Large, flat muscle covering a big part of your lower and middle back.
Gluteals	Muscles in your bottom.
Hamstrings	Muscles at the back of your thigh.
Gastrocnemius	Large muscle at the back of your lower leg.
Movement	A function of the skeleton that allows the body to move.
Protection	A function of the skeleton that protects vital organs, e.g. ribs protect the heart.
Blood cell production	Function of the skeleton that occurs in bone marrow.
Stores minerals	Skeleton stores essential minerals like calcium.

Term 2

Week 1

9 November - 15 November

Word	Definition	Example
Form	The type or style of poetry.	The poem was written in a sonnet form .
Conflict	A struggle or clash between opposing forces, ideas, or characters.	Warring countries.
Symbolism	Using symbols to represent ideas or qualities.	Red often symbolizes romance.
Simile	Comparison using 'like' or 'as'.	The school was like a prison
Repetition	Deliberate use of the same word or phrase for effect.	The soup was stirred and stirred and stirred again until it was cooked.
Enjambment	A sentence running over into the next line without a pause in poetry.	I wandered lonely as a cloud That floats on high o'er vales and hills
Sonnet	A 14-line poem with a set structure and rhyme scheme.	Shakespeare's sonnets.
Rhyme	Correspondence of sounds at the ends of words or lines.	The dog jumped as high as the frog .
Context	The situation or background in which something happens.	The context behind a story might be WHY the author wrote it.
Emphasise	To give special importance to something.	You will complete your homework.

Week 1 - Tuesday

10 November 2026

German or Spanish for students who study **ONLY ONE** language

German

Word	Definition
Ich sehe gern...	I like watching...
Wir sehen gern...	We like watching...
Ich hasse...	I hate...
Ich mag...	I like...
Ich sehe nicht gern Komödien	I don't like watching comedies
Wir sehen nicht gern Liebeskomödien	We don't like watching rom-coms
Nachrichten	News
Seifenopern	Soaps
Sportsendungen	Sports programmes
Zeichentrickfilme	Cartoons

Spanish

Word	Definition
Todos los días	Every day
A veces	Sometimes
De vez en cuando	From time to time
juego	I play
leo mis SMS	I read my texts
mando SMS	I send texts
saco fotos	I take photos
chateo con mis amigos/as	I chat with my friends online
comparto mis vídeos favoritos	I share my favourite videos
descargo melodías o aplicaciones	I download ringtones or apps
veo vídeos o películas	I watch videos or films

French for students who study **Two** languages

Word	Definition
j'aime	I like
je n'aime pas	I don't like
je préfère	I prefer
le poisson	Fish
le foot	Football
le vélo	Cycling
le collège	School
les glaces	Ice creams
les jeux vidéo	Video games
les araignées	Spiders

Week 1 - Wednesday 11 November 2026

Word	Definition
BIDMAS	The order of operations: Brackets, Indices, Division, Multiplication, Addition, Subtraction.
Term	A single part of an expression, e.g. $3x + 5$.
Expression	A maths phrase with numbers/variables but no equals sign.
Equation	A statement showing two expressions are equal.
Simplify	Rewriting an expression or fraction into its least complicated form whilst maintaining the same value.
Variable	A letter representing an unknown value.
Constant	A fixed number (no variables).
Operation	A calculation like $+$, $-$, $\times$, $\div$.
Variable	A value that can change and store information, such as a score.
Condition (If statement)	A block that checks if something is true or false and makes decisions.

Word	Definition
Stress	Force acting on a solid's area.
Surface area	The total area of a surface.
Gravity	Force pulling objects towards Earth.
Force	A push or pull on an object.
Weight	The force caused by gravity.
Halogen	Reactive non-metal in Group 7.
Displacement reaction	More reactive element replaces another.
Metal halide	Compound of a metal and halogen.
Reactivity series	Order of element reactivity.
Diatomic molecule	Molecule made of two atoms, e.g. O ₂ .

Week 1 - Friday

13 November 2026

Word	Definition
Freedom	The power or right to act, speak or think as one wants.
Trade triangle	Involved shipping good from Britain to West Africa to be exchanged for slaves.
Slave	A person who is the legal property of another person and is forced to obey them.
Natural hazard	A natural event such as an earthquake, hurricane, flood or storm that endangers human life or property.
Hazard risk	The chance or probability of being affected by a natural event.
Hazard resilience	Ways in which governments, people or areas reduce or cope with their risk.
Seismic waves	Fast waves of energy generated at the focus of the earthquake.
10 commandments	Guidance for Jews and Christians to live their lives.
Pilgrimage	Visiting a special place to show respect.

German for students who study **Two** languages.

Word	Definition
Ich habe gehört	I listened to
Ich habe gekauft	I bought
Ich habe gemacht	I did
Ich habe gesehen	I saw
Ich habe gelesen	I read
Ich habe gegessen	I ate
Ich habe gespielt	I played
Ich habe ein Buch gekauft	I bought a book
Ich habe die Kirche gesehen	I saw the church
Wir haben ein Safari gemacht	We did a safari

Week 1 - Friday

13 November 2026

Spanish for students who study **Two** languages.

Word	Definition
Fue divertido	It was fun/funny
Fue estupendo	It was brilliant
Fue fenomenal	It was fantastic
Fue flipante	It was awesome
Fue genial	It was great
Fue guay	It was cool
Fue horrible	It was horrible
Fue horroroso	It was terrible
Fue raro	It was weird
Fue regular	It was OK

Word	Definition
Chipboard	A board made of chips of wood mixed with a resin to join them together.
Laminating	The method of manufacturing a material by bonding layers of materials together.
Veneer	A thin layer of wood that are flexible.
Multi-role	Playing more than one role in a play.
Multiple narrative	More than one storyline running at the same time.
Semitone	The distance between each single note, white or black on a keyboard.
Chromatic	A sequence of notes using all semitones.
Melody	A combination of notes and rhythms put together to make a tune.
Shade	A colour with black added.
Chiaroscuro	The dramatic play of light in a painting.

Week 1 - Sunday

15 November 2026

Word	Definition
Cardiovascular endurance (stamina)	The heart, lungs, and blood vessels supplying oxygen to the working muscles over a long period of time.
Muscular endurance	Muscle/group of muscles performing repeated contractions without getting tired.
Muscular strength	The maximum force a muscle or group of muscles can produce in a single effort.
Speed	Moving all or part of the body as quickly as possible.
Power	Using strength quickly (force × speed).
Flexibility	The range of movement available at a joint.
Agility	Changing direction quickly and effectively while maintaining control.
Balance	Maintaining the body's centre of mass over its base of support.
Coordination	Using two or more body parts together smoothly and efficiently.
Reaction time	The time taken to respond to a stimulus.

Term 2

Week 2

16 November - 22 November

Word	Definition	Example
Empathy	The ability to understand and share the feelings of another.	I feel a lot of empathy towards war-torn countries.
Connotation	The emotional or cultural meaning attached to a word.	The use of nature has connotations of their relationship being natural.
Sibilance	Repetition of 's' or 'sh' sounds for effect.	She sells sea shells on the sea shore.
Assonance	Repetition of vowel sounds within nearby words.	The rain in Spain falls mainly on the plain.
Iambic pentameter	A line of verse with five metrical feet, each consisting of one short syllable followed by one long syllable.	Shakespeare wrote a lot of his poems in an iambic pentameter.
Stanza	A grouped set of lines in a poem.	The paragraph in a poem.
Monologue	A long speech by one character.	Heroes in Avengers often have monologues.
Triad	A group of three ideas used for emphasis.	Summer holidays are fun, exciting and memorable .
Analyse	To examine something in detail.	'Analyse how the writer uses language for effect'
Plosive	A consonant sound produced by stopping airflow (e.g. p, b, t, d).	The p uppy p layed p atiently with the b ig b all.

Week 2 - Tuesday

17 November 2026

German or Spanish for students who study **ONLY ONE** language

German

Word	Definition
gar nicht	Not at all
gruselig	Creepy
schrecklich	Awful
spannend	Exciting
lustig	Funny
weil sie langweilig sind	Because they are boring
weil sie total blöd sind	Because they are totally stupid
weil sie kindisch sind	Because they are childish
weil sie romantisch sind	Because they are romantic
weil sie unterhaltsam sind	Because they are entertaining

Spanish

Word	Definition
Me encanta	I love
Me gusta mucho	I really like
Me gusta	I like
No me gusta nada	I really don't like
la música clásica	Classical music
la música electrónica	Electronic music
porque es guay	Because it is cool
porque es muy original	It is very original
porque es triste	It is sad
me encanta la letra	I love the lyrics
me gusta la melodía	I like the tune
me gusta el ritmo	I like the rhythm

French for students who study **Two** languages

Word	Definition
j'aime	I like
je n'aime pas	I don't like
je préfère	I prefer
le poisson	Fish
le foot	Football
le vélo	Cycling
le collège	School
les glaces	Ice creams
les jeux vidéo	Video games
les araignées	Spiders

Week 2 - Wednesday 18 November 2026

Word	Definition
Like terms	Terms with the same variables and powers.
Collect like terms	Combine terms that are the same.
Equation	A statement showing two expressions are equal.
Term	A single part of an expression, e.g. $3x + 5$.
Coefficient	The number in front of a variable (letter), e.g. the 3 in $3x$.
Algebraic expression	A combination of numbers, variables, and operations.
Combine	To add or subtract terms.
Algebraic expression	A combination of numbers, variables, and operations.
Loop	A set of instructions that repeat again and again, e.g. forever loop.
Event	Something that starts a script, like clicking a flag or pressing a key.

Word	Definition
Respiration	Chemical reaction releasing energy from glucose.
Gas exchange	Oxygen enters and carbon dioxide leaves lungs.
Alveoli	Tiny air sacs for gas exchange.
Trachea	Tube carrying air to the lungs.
Lung volume	Maximum amount of air lungs hold.
Noble gas	Unreactive gas in Group 0.
Inert	Does not react easily.
Outer electron shell	Outermost shell containing electrons.
Stable	Unlikely to react chemically.
Boiling point	Temperature when a liquid becomes gas.

Week 2 - Friday

20 November 2026

Word	Definition
Middle passage	The journey from Africa to American in ships, in awful conditions
Plantations	A large-scale farm that specialises in crops such as sugar, cotton and tobacco.
Tsunami	A series of long, high sea waves.
Immediate response	Occurs in the hours and days after a disaster to save people and keep them alive
Long term response	Occurs over a long period of time to rebuild an area
Monitoring	Using scientific equipment to detect warning signs of events like volcanic eruptions
Sharia Law	Guidance for Muslims to live their lives
The Eightfold Path	A framework for Buddhist to achieve enlightenment and end suffering

German for students who study **Two** languages.

Word	Definition
Ich habe gehört	I listened to
Ich habe gekauft	I bought
Ich habe gemacht	I did
Ich habe gesehen	I saw
Ich habe gelesen	I read
Ich habe gegessen	I ate
Ich habe gespielt	I played
Ich habe ein Buch gekauft	I bought a book
Ich habe die Kirche gesehen	I saw the church
Wir haben ein Safari gemacht	We did a safari

Week 2 - Friday

20 November 2026

Spanish for students who study **Two** languages.

Word	Definition
Fue divertido	It was fun/funny
Fue estupendo	It was brilliant
Fue fenomenal	It was fantastic
Fue flipante	It was awesome
Fue genial	It was great
Fue guay	It was cool
Fue horrible	It was horrible
Fue horroroso	It was terrible
Fue raro	It was weird
Fue regular	It was okay

Word	Definition
Former	A two-part shape that is used to force material into a curved shape.
Finishes	The surface treatment applied to a material to protect it and/or improve its appearance.
Narrator	The character telling the story as it unfolds on stage.
Stage directions	Instructions in a script that tell the actor what to do or how to do it.
Narrative	The storyline.
Harmony	A combination of notes played or sung at the same time.
Atonal	The absence of tonality, usually sounding unpleasant.
Profile	A portrait drawn side on.
Three quarter view	Half way between front on and profile.
Portrait bust	A 3-D sculptural portrait.

Week 2 - Sunday

22 November 2026

Word	Definition
Tag	A strip attached to a player's belt that defenders remove instead of tackling.
Try	Scoring by placing the ball on or beyond the opponent's try line.
Pass	Throwing the ball sideways or backwards to a teammate.
Knock-on	Dropping or knocking the ball forward, resulting in a turnover.
Offside	Being in an illegal position ahead of the ball or play.
Try line	The line a player must cross to score a try.
Attack	Working as a team to advance the ball and score.
Defence	Working together to stop the other team from scoring.
Fitness	Completing daily activities without tiring.
Coordinated	A skilled movement uses two or more body parts at the same time.

Term 2

Week 3

23 November - 29 November

Word	Definition	Example
Onomatopoeia	A word that is formed to associate with the sound it makes.	BOOM! POW! WALLOP!
Conflict	A struggle or clash between opposing forces, ideas, or characters.	Warring countries.
Symbolism	Using symbols to represent ideas or qualities.	Red often symbolizes romance.
Similes	Comparisons using 'like' or 'as'.	The school was like a prison
Repetition	Deliberate use of the same word or phrase for effect.	The soup was stirred and stirred and stirred again until it was cooked.
Enjambment	A sentence running over into the next line without a pause in poetry.	I wandered lonely as a cloud That floats on high o'er vales and hills
Sonnet	A 14-line poem with a set structure and rhyme scheme.	Shakespeare's sonnets
Rhyme	Correspondence of sounds at the ends of words or lines.	The dog jumped as high as the frog .
Context	The situation or background in which something happens.	The context behind a story might be WHY the author wrote it.
Emphasise	To give special importance to something.	You will complete your homework.

Week 3 - Tuesday

24 November 2026

German or Spanish for students who study **ONLY ONE** language

German

Word	Definition
Romane	Novels
Zeitungen	Newspapers
Sachbücher	Factual books / non-fiction
Zeitschriften	Magazines
Ich lese am liebsten...	Most of all I like reading...
Ich lese gern Comics	I like reading comics
Ich lese nicht gern Blogs	I don't like reading blogs
Ich lese lieber Biografien	I prefer to read biographies
Mein Bruder liest gern...	My brother likes reading...
Wir lesen gern...	We like reading...

Spanish

Word	Definition
los concursos	Game shows
los documentales	Documentaries
los programas de deporte	Sports programmes
los realitys	Reality shows
las comedias	Comedies
las series policíacas	Police series
las telenovelas	Soap operas
No me gusta	I don't like
el telediario	The news
el tiempo	The weather

French for students who study **Two** languages

Word	Definition
je suis	I am
je ne suis pas	I am not
il est	He is
elle est	She is
amusant	Funny
bavard	Chatty
fort	Strong
grand	Big / Tall
intelligent	Intelligent
méchant	Nasty
patient	Patient
arrogant	Arrogant
petit	Small / Short
timide	Shy

Week 3 - Wednesday 25 November 2026

Word	Definition
Expand	Multiply out the bracket.
Bracket	A symbol () used to group terms.
Multiply out	Another way of saying expand.
Product	The result of multiplication.
Sum	The result of addition.
Difference	The result of subtraction.
Multiply	To add a number repeatedly.
Constant	A term with no variable.
Costume	Different appearances a sprite can switch between to create animation.
Backdrop	The background image of the stage.

Word	Definition
Breathing	Movement of air into and out of lungs.
Inhalation	Breathing air into the lungs.
Exhalation	Breathing air out of the lungs.
Diaphragm	Muscle below the lungs controlling breathing.
Intercostal muscles	Muscles between ribs used for breathing.
Aerobic respiration	Release of energy from glucose using oxygen.
Mitochondria	Organelles where aerobic respiration occurs.
Glucose	Sugar used in respiration.
Oxygen	Gas needed for aerobic respiration.
Exothermic	Releases energy to the surroundings.

Week 3 - Friday

27 November 2026

Word	Definition
Equality	The state of being equal, especially in status, rights or opportunities.
Punishment	A penalty for a wrong crime, e.g. whipping, cutting off limbs.
Empire	A group of countries ruled by one monarch.
Monitoring	Using scientific equipment to detect warning signs of events like volcanic eruptions.
Prediction	Using monitoring to make suggestions about when and where a tectonic hazard may happen.
Planning	Identifying and avoiding places most at risk.
Protection	Designing buildings that will withstand tectonic hazards.
Sin	An action that goes against religious laws or teachings.
Religious law	Rules based on religious beliefs that guide how people should behave.

German for students who study **Two** languages.

Word	Definition
Italien	Italy
Wien	Vienna
Frankreich	France
Nach Cornwall	To Cornwall
Ich bin nach Paris gefahren	I went to Paris
Ich bin nach Spanien gefahren	I went to Spain
Ich bin nach Österreich gefahren	I went to Austria
Er ist nach Wien gefahren	He went to Vienna
Sie ist nach Cornwall gefahren	She went to Cornwall
Sie sind nach Paris gefahren	They went to Paris

Week 3 - Friday

27 November 2026

Spanish for students who study **Two** languages.

Word	Definition
porque	Because
comí algo malo y vomité	I ate something bad and vomited
hizo buen tiempo	The weather was good
llovió	It rained
perdí mi móvil	I lost my mobile
perdí mi pasaporte	I lost my passport
¡Me gustó!	I liked it!
¡Me encantó!	I loved it!
¡No me gustó!	I didn't like it!
Visité muchos monumentos	I visited many monuments

Word	Definition
Cross contamination	When bacteria are spread from one food to another.
High risk food	Foods that are high in moisture and nutrients that support the growth of bacteria.
Whisking	Where ingredients are beaten quickly using a whisk or fork to mix them together and add air.
Dialogue	The written or spoken words in a play.
T.I.E	Theatre in Education.
Underscore	The music heard in a film or TV show.
Synchronised	Two or more things happening at the same time.
Motif	A repeating idea, rhythmic or melodic.
Still life	Paintings and drawings of objects.
Fluid line	Lines that look like running liquid.

Week 3 - Sunday

29 November 2026

Word	Definition
Dummy pass	Pretending to pass the ball to deceive defenders.
Tagging	Pulling off an opponent's tag to stop their run.
Turnover	When possession changes from one team to the other.
Restart pass	A pass used to restart play after a score or stoppage.
Support play	Moving into position to help the ball carrier.
Evasion	Dodging defenders to avoid losing a tag.
Ball carrier	The player in possession of the ball.
Outwit	To use clever thinking to beat your opponent in a game.
Agility	Changing direction quickly and effectively while maintaining control.
Speed	Moving all or part of the body as quickly as possible.

Term 2

Week 4

30 November - 6 December

Word	Definition	Example
Sensory language	Language that appeals to the five senses.	I could smell the candy floss and hear the laughter.
Prejudice	An unfair opinion not based on reason or experience.	You might choose not to talk to someone because they like Taylor Swift.
Caesura	A pause in a line of poetry, often marked by punctuation.	To be or not to be. That is the question.
Onomatopoeia	A word that is formed to associate with the sound it makes.	The eggs popped in the pan.
Rhythm	The pattern of stressed and unstressed syllables in writing.	The drum went: ' boom, chk, boom, boom, chk '.
Power	The ability to control or influence others.	You have the power to succeed!
Quatrain	A stanza of four lines.	With books and pens, I start my quest, Each problem solved, I feel my best. Though tasks may seem a daunting chore, They open doors to knowledge's lore.
Imagery	Descriptive language that creates vivid mental pictures.	The dazzling glitter on their jacket gripped the sun and shone for all to see.
Semantic field	A group of words related by theme or meaning.	Waves, shore, drift, splash, salty, dive, crash = the sea!
Extended metaphor	A metaphor that continues throughout a section of text.	An entire poem comparing school to a theme park (because it's so awesome!)

Week 4 - Tuesday

1 December 2026

German or Spanish for students who study **ONLY ONE** language

German

Word	Definition
im Garten	In the garden
im Bett	In bed
im Schlafzimmer	In the bedroom
auf dem Handy	On the mobile phone
im Zug	In the train
in der Schule	In school
auf dem Klo	On the loo
auf dem Computer	On the computer
in der Pause	During break
im Bus	In the bus

Spanish

Word	Definition
Prefiero	I prefer
porque son	Because they are
más	More
menos	Less
aburridos/as	Boring
divertidos/as	Funny
emocionantes	Exciting
interesantes	Interesting
informativo	Informative
que	Than

Word	Definition
je suis	I am
je ne suis pas	I am not
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elle est	She is
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bavard	Chatty
fort	Strong
grand	Big / Tall
intelligent	Intelligent
méchant	Nasty
patient	Patient
arrogant	Arrogant
petit	Small / Short
timide	Shy

Week 4 - Wednesday 2 December 2026

Word	Definition
Factorise	Write an expression as a product of factors usually to put into brackets.
Factor	A number that divides exactly into another number.
Highest Common Factor (HCF)	The largest common factor of two or more numbers, e.g. 6 is the HCF of 12 and 18.
Common	Shared between numbers/terms.
Product	The result of multiplication.
Multiple	A number made by multiplying another number.
Prime number	A number with exactly two factors (1 and itself).
Divide	Split into equal parts.
Block	A piece of code in Scratch that you snap together to make programs.
Script	A collection of blocks joined together to control a sprite's behaviour.

Word	Definition
Drug	Chemical affecting how the body works.
Medicinal drug	Drug used to improve health.
Recreational drug	Drug taken for enjoyment.
Addiction	Dependence on a drug.
Withdrawal	Symptoms after stopping an addictive drug.
Anaerobic respiration	Release of energy from glucose using oxygen.
Lactic acid	Substance produced during anaerobic respiration.
Fermentation	Anaerobic respiration in yeast.
Oxygen debt	Extra oxygen needed after exercise.
Fatigue	Muscle tiredness after prolonged activity.

Week 4 - Friday

4 December 2026

Word	Definition
Abolitionist	A person who worked to end slavery.
Triangular trade	A trade route between Europe, Africa, and the Americas involving goods and enslaved people.
Human rights	Basic rights and freedoms that everyone should have, like safety and fair treatment.
Constructive boundary	Tectonic plates that move away from each other.
Transform boundary	Tectonic plates that slide past each other.
Justice	Fair treatment and following what is right.
Legacy	The lasting effects of slavery that still impact people and societies today.
Slave auction	A sale where enslaved people were sold to the highest bidder.

German for students who study **Two** languages.

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Ich bin nach Österreich gefahren	I went to Austria
Er ist nach Wien gefahren	He went to Vienna
Sie ist nach Cornwall gefahren	She went to Cornwall
Sie sind nach Paris gefahren	They went to Paris

Week 4 - Friday

4 December 2026

Spanish for students who study **Two** languages.

Word	Definition
porque	Because
comí algo malo y vomité	I ate something bad and vomited
hizo buen tiempo	The weather was good
llovió	It rained
perdí mi móvil	I lost my mobile
perdí mi pasaporte	I lost my passport
¡Me gustó!	I liked it!
¡Me encantó!	I loved it!
¡No me gustó!	I didn't like it!
Visité muchos monumentos	I visited many monuments

Word	Definition
Protein	A macronutrient that is essential for building muscle mass.
Thickening	The process of making a sauce thicker by adding ingredients like flour or cornflour.
Direct address	Speaking directly to the audience (often a narrator).
Tableau	Freeze-frame.
Prologue	Introduces the main action.
Hit point	A specific piece of action on screen where something musical should happen at exactly the same time.
Producer	A person with overall control for the production of a piece of music, theatre, or film.
Perspective	The illusion of depth in a picture made using receding lines merging at a vanishing point.
Atmospheric perspective	The illusion of depth in a picture made using fading tones of colour.
Rural landscape	A landscape featuring countryside.

Week 4 - Sunday

6 December 2026

Word	Definition
Predetermined	A decision you make before completing the action, e.g. deciding where to shoot a penalty in football.
Efficiency	A skilled movement should use minimum effort or time to complete it.
Fluent	A skilled movement should flow from one movement into another.
Jockeying	Running with a player and preparing to tackle in football.
Pelvis	Hip bone.
Femur	Thigh bone.
Patella	Kneecap.
Tibia	Shin bone; it is the thicker of the two bones.
Fibula	Shin bone; it is the thinner of the two bones.
Cardiovascular endurance (stamina)	The heart, lungs, and blood vessels supplying oxygen to the working muscles over a long period of time.

Term 2

Week 5

7 December - 13 December

Word	Definition	Example
Culture	Customs, beliefs, and ways of life of a group of people.	Things you do, that make you, you! Something you may learn through your heritage.
Connotation	The emotional or cultural meaning attached to a word.	The use of nature has connotations of their relationship being natural.
Sibilance	Repetition of 's' or 'sh' sounds for effect.	She sells sea shells on the sea shore .
Assonance	Repetition of vowel sounds within nearby words.	The rain in Spain falls mainly on the plain.
Diversity	A variety or range of different people, ideas, or cultures.	We celebrate diversity at Denefield.
Stanza	A grouped set of lines in a poem.	The paragraph in a poem.
Monologue	A long speech by one character.	Heroes in Avengers often have monologues.
Triad	A group of three ideas used for emphasis.	Summer holidays are fun, exciting and memorable .
Analyse	To examine something in detail.	'Analyse how the writer uses language for effect'.
Plosive	A consonant sound produced by stopping airflow (e.g. p, b, t, d).	The puppy played patiently with the big ball .

Week 5 - Tuesday

8 December 2026

German or Spanish for students who study **ONLY ONE** language

German

Word	Definition
Ich bin süchtig	I am addicted
Ich bin nicht süchtig	I am not addicted
vor dem Bildschirm	In front of a screen
drei Stunden pro Tag	3 hours per day
ab und zu	Now and then
oft	Often
nur am Wochenende	Only at the weekend
eine Stunde pro Tag	One hour per day
zwei Stunden pro Woche	Two hours per week
nach den Hausaufgaben	After homework

Spanish

Word	Definition
Ayer por la mañana	Yesterday morning
Ayer por la tarde	Yesterday afternoon
bailé en mi cuarto	I danced in my room
hablé por Skype	I talked on Skype
hice gimnasia	I did gymnastics
hice kárate	I did karate
jugué en línea	I played online
monté en bici	I rode a/my bike
salí con mis amigos/as	I went out with my friends
vi una película	I watched a film

French for students who study **Two** languages

Word	Definition
chanter	To sing
danser	To dance
retrouver	To meet up with friends
bloguer	To blog
surfer	To surf
tchatter	To chat
rigoler	To have a laugh
étudier	To study
nager	To swim
jouer	To play

Week 5 - Wednesday 9 December 2026

Word	Definition
Quadratic expression	An expression with x^2 as the highest power.
Squared	A number multiplied by itself.
Power	How many times a number is multiplied by itself.
Index	Another name for power.
Term	A single part of an expression, e.g. $3x + 5$.
Expand	Multiply out the brackets.
Binomial	An expression with two terms.
Factor	A number or expression that divides exactly into another.
Sprite	A character or object in a Scratch project that can move and perform actions.
Stage	The background area where the sprite appears and the project takes place.

Word	Definition
Ethanol	Alcohol found in alcoholic drinks; made by yeast.
Depressant	Drug slowing body reactions.
Tolerance	Needing more drug for the same effect.
Liver	Organ breaking down alcohol.
Foetal alcohol syndrome	Harm to unborn babies from alcohol.
Biotechnology	Using living organisms to make useful products.
Microorganism	Tiny living organism.
Yeast	Fungus used in fermentation.
Fermentation	Process producing alcohol or bread.

Week 5 - Friday

11 December 2026

Word	Definition
Freedom	The power or right to act, speak or think as one wants.
Plantations	A large-scale farm that specialises in crops such as sugar, cotton and tobacco.
Slave	A person who is the legal property of another person and is forced to obey them.
Natural hazard	An event such as an earthquake, hurricane, flood or storm that endangers human life or property.
Tsunami	A series of long, high sea waves.
Hazard resilience	Ways in which governments, people or areas reduce or cope with their risk.
Planning	Identifying and avoiding places most at risk.
Sharia Law	Guidance for Muslims to live their lives.
Pilgrimage	Visiting a special place to show respect.

German for students who study **Two** languages.

Word	Definition
mit dem Auto	By car
mit dem Schiff	By boat
mit dem Reisebus	By coach
zu Fuß	On foot
mit meiner Familie	With my family
Ich bin mit Freunden gefahren	I went with friends
Ich bin mit dem Auto gefahren	I went by car
Ich bin geflogen	I flew
Wir sind geflogen	We flew
Er ist mit dem Schiff gefahren	He went by boat

Week 5 - Friday

11 December 2026

Spanish for students who study **Two** languages.

Word	Definition
Voy	I go
bailo	I dance
compro	I buy
descanso	I relax
monto	I ride
Fui	I went
bailé	I danced
compré	I bought
descansé	I relaxed
monté	I rode

Word	Definition
Marinade	A mixture of ingredients (such as oil, acid, herbs, and spices) that food is soaked in before cooking to add flavour and sometimes tenderise it.
Simple carbohydrate	Macronutrient made of one or two sugar molecules giving a quick release of energy. Come from fruit, honey and sugary drinks.
Complex carbohydrate	A macronutrient that is made up made of long chains of sugars that release energy steadily. Comes from bread, pasta, potatoes and whole grains.
Target audience	The audience most likely to understand your message.
Hot-seating	Asking the character questions that they answer in role, to create deeper understanding.
Tuning	Making sure a note plays at exactly the correct pitch.
Strum	Sweeping the thumb up or down the strings of a guitar or similar instrument.
Urban landscape	A landscape featuring buildings in a town or city.
Impasto	Thick applications of paint.

Week 5 - Sunday

13 December 2026

Word	Definition
Aesthetic	A skilled movement should look good.
Motif	Something that repeats often in a sport, like a drill, move, or pattern.
Tension	The tightness in muscles that helps gymnasts hold strong positions.
Hinge joint	Allows movement in one plane, e.g. knee and elbow.
Ball and socket joint	Allows a wide range of movement, e.g. hip and shoulder.
Cranium	Hard bony part of the head that protects the brain.
Clavicle	Collarbone.
Scapula	Shoulder blade.
Humerus	Upper arm bone.
Muscular endurance	Muscle/group of muscles performing repeated contractions without getting tired.

Term 2

Week 6

14 December - 20 December

Word	Definition	Example
Sensory language	Language that appeals to the five senses.	I could smell the candy floss and hear the laughter.
Prejudice	An unfair opinion not based on reason or experience.	You might choose not to talk to someone because they like Taylor Swift.
Caesura	A pause in a line of poetry, often marked by punctuation.	To be or not to be. That is the question.
Onomatopoeia	A word that is formed to associate with the sound it makes.	The eggs popped in the pan.
Rhythm	The pattern of stressed and unstressed syllables in writing.	The drum went: ' boom, chk, boom, boom, chk '.
Power	The ability to control or influence others.	You have the power to succeed!
Quatrain	A stanza of four lines.	With books and pens, I start my quest, Each problem solved, I feel my best. Though tasks may seem a daunting chore, They open doors to knowledge's lore.
Imagery	Descriptive language that creates vivid mental pictures.	The dazzling glitter on their jacket gripped the sun and shone for all to see.
Semantic field	A group of words related by theme or meaning.	Waves, shore, drift, splash, salty, dive, crash = the sea!
Extended metaphor	A metaphor that continues throughout a section of text.	An entire poem comparing school to a theme park (because it's so awesome!)

Week 6 - Tuesday

15 December 2026

German or Spanish for students who study **ONLY ONE** language

German

Word	Definition
draußen	Outside
Bildschirm	Screen
Handy	Mobile phone
sitzen	To sit
Xbox spielen	To play Xbox
fernsehen	To watch TV
vor dem Computer sitzen	To sit in front of the computer
draußen spielen	To play outside
auf dem Handy sitzen	To sit on a mobile phone
vor dem Bildschirm sitzen	To sit in front of a screen

Spanish

Word	Definition
Normalmente	Normally
bailo en mi cuarto	I dance in my room
hablo por Skype	I talk on Skype
hago gimnasia	I do gymnastics
monto en bici	I ride a/my bike
pero ayer	But yesterday
bailé en mi cuarto	I danced in my room
hablé por Skype	I talked on Skype
hice gimnasia	I did gymnastics
monté en bici	I rode a/my bike

French for students who study **Two** languages

Word	Definition
chanter	To sing
danser	To dance
retrouver	To meet up with friends
bloguer	To blog
surfer	To surf
tchatter	To chat
rigoler	To have a laugh
étudier	To study
nager	To swim
jouer	To play

Week 6 - Wednesday 16 December 2026

Word	Definition
Solve	Find the value of the variable.
Solution	The value that makes the equation true.
Substitute	To replace a letter with a number.
Inverse operation	The opposite operation, e.g. + and -.
Balance	Keep both sides of an equation equal.
Linear equation	An equation where the highest power is 1.
Quadratic expression	An expression with x^2 as the highest power.
Unknown variable	A value we need to find.
Backdrop	The background image of the stage.
Loop	A set of instructions that repeat again and again, e.g. forever loop.

Word	Definition
Tar	Sticky substance damaging lungs and causing cancer.
Nicotine	Addictive chemical in tobacco.
Carbon Monoxide	Poisonous gas reducing oxygen in blood.
Passive Smoking	Breathing in other people's smoke.
Emphysema	Lung disease damaging alveoli.
Photosynthesis	Process plants make glucose using light.
Chloroplast	Organelle where photosynthesis happens.
Chlorophyll	Green pigment absorbing light.
Carbon Dioxide	Gas used in photosynthesis.
Glucose	Sugar made during photosynthesis.

Week 6 - Friday

18 December 2026

Word	Definition
Trade triangle	Involved shipping goods from Britain to West Africa to be exchanged for slaves.
Hazard risk	The chance or probability of being affected by a natural event.
Seismic waves	Fast waves of energy generated at the focus of the earthquake.
10 Commandments	Guidance for Jews and Christians to live their lives.
Population density	The average number of people living in a given area (usually 1 km ²).
The Eightfold Path	A framework for Buddhists to achieve enlightenment and end suffering.
Abolitionist	A person who worked to end slavery.
Triangular trade	A trade route between Europe, Africa, and the Americas involving goods and enslaved people.
Transform boundary	Tectonic plates that slide past each other.
Constructive boundary	Tectonic plates that move away from each other.

German for students who study **Two** languages.

Word	Definition
mit dem Auto	By car
mit dem Schiff	By boat
mit dem Reisebus	By coach
zu Fuß	On foot
mit meiner Familie	With my family
Ich bin mit Freunden gefahren	I went with friends
Ich bin mit dem Auto gefahren	I went by car
Ich bin geflogen	I flew
Wir sind geflogen	We flew
Er ist mit dem Schiff gefahren	He went by boat

Week 6 - Friday

18 December 2026

Spanish for students who study **Two** languages.

Word	Definition
Nado	I swim
Saco	I take (photos)
visito	I visit
como	I eat
bebo	I drink
nadé	I swam
saqué	I took (photos)
visité	I visited
comí	I ate
bebí	I drank

Word	Definition
Staple food	A food that is eaten regularly in large amounts as a main part of a person’s diet, e.g. rice, pasta, potatoes.
Simmering	Water that is heated to just below boiling point.
Forum theatre	Interactive theatre form where the audience become ‘spectators’.
Dilemma	A difficult decision or choice where neither option is ideal.
Thought-Tracking	Saying a character’s thoughts aloud.
Frequency	The rate at which something occurs.
Amplify	To make something louder.
Fret	The ridges across the neck of a guitar or similar instrument used to help place the fingers to play a particular pitch.
En plein air	A French term meaning ‘out doors’.
Vibrant colour	Strong bold colour.

Week 6 - Sunday

20 December 2026

Word	Definition
Radius	Forearm bone - from the elbow to the wrist on the thumb side of your arm.
Ulna	Forearm bone - from the elbow to the wrist on the little finger side of your arm.
Carpals	Small bones that make up your wrist.
Metacarpals	Bones in the palm of your hand.
Footwork foul	Moving both feet rather than just your pivot foot in netball.
Support Play	Moving into position to help the ball carrier.
Evasion	Dodging defenders to avoid losing a tag.
Turnover	When possession changes from one team to the other.
Reaction time	The time taken to respond to a stimulus.
Muscular strength	The maximum force a muscle or group of muscles can produce in a single effort.

