

# Transition Material for A Level French



# Introduction

It is great that you are considering studying French at A Level. We do the course from AQA: <https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/languages/as-and-a-level/french-7652/specification-at-a-glance>

This pack contains a programme of activities and resources to prepare you to start an A Level in French in September. It is aimed to be used after you complete your GCSE throughout the remainder of the summer term and over the summer holidays to ensure you are ready to start your course in September.



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## 1. Liste de sites pour infos

News items – read an article a week about a topic that interests you. Keep a record of what you've read and any new vocabulary.

[www.lesclesjunior.com](http://www.lesclesjunior.com)

[www.yahoo.fr](http://www.yahoo.fr) – Actualités (articles)

<http://www.radiofrance.fr/> for online discussions

[www.musique.ados.fr](http://www.musique.ados.fr)

[www.funradio.fr](http://www.funradio.fr)

<http://www.tv5mondeplus.com/> or TV5 Monde (SKY796)



## 2. Liste de films

*Try to watch at least one French film over the summer & write a short review in French. Lots of French films are available on amazon), e.g.*

- Le fabuleux destin d'Amelie Poulain
- Coco avant Chanel
- La vie en rose
- Jean de Florette
- Manon des Sources
- Au revoir les enfants
- Les 400 coups
- Entre les murs
- Les choristes
- Être et avoir



## Lecture

- Buy a French magazine on a topic of interest to you

Suggested possible titles:

*l'équipe*

*Paris Match*

*cosmopolitan*

*le nouvel observateur*

*Marie France*

*Vogue France*

*le point*

*elle*

*telerama*

*Summarize 6+ articles, 4 in English & 2 in French*





## Ecrire

Ecrivez un résumé de vos vacances: destination- activités – séjour- opinions- retourner ou pas.



## Un peu de grammaire

Write your own rulebook (in Word) for the present, perfect, imperfect, future & conditional tenses.

Write one as well on adjective agreements and articles with nouns.

You will find the following websites useful for practice:

[www.languagesonline.org.uk](http://www.languagesonline.org.uk)

<http://www.fredriley.org.uk/call/langsite/>

[www.laits.utexas.edu/tex/](http://www.laits.utexas.edu/tex/) (*grammar practice*)



la grammaire