



French News

Bonjour!

In French our major focus is on Listening, Speaking and Responding.

We are practicing our language skills by reading books, asking and answering questions in French, conducting surveys, learning poems, singing songs, listening to bilingual stories and playing language games.

All students from years 3 to 7 have French exercise books and they are encouraged to take them home from time to time to practice French language with their siblings or parents.

This term **Year 3** students are started their French learning journey with organizing the cover page for their French books and learning how to say their name and asking other people their names.

Je m'appelle – My name is..

Comment t'appelles-tu? / What is your name?

We are also learning the vocabulary for greetings LES SALUTATION

Bonjour/ Hello, good morning, good day, good afternoon

Bonsoir / Good evening

Bonne nuit / Good night

Au revoir / Good by

A demain / see you tomorrow, etc.

Years 4 & 5 are looking forward to seeing and to participate in the performance of Carrossel Theatre, that comes to our school at the end of this term to perform the French / English puppet show “*Cendrillon*” / “*Cinderella*”. All our focus is on preparation for this event. We are getting to know the characters by reading in French the description of some of the parts of the story, learning new words and completing CENDRILLON's word search, keeping in mind that she has to find 32 words before midnight.

Belle / beautiful, amis / friends, Prince / prince, singe / monkey.

Heure / time, nettoyer/ to clean, maison / house, etc.

Years 6 are learning big numbers in French 1-1000000 and focusing on making up correct sentences in French language and giving full answers, when answering the questions.

Ou habite-tu? Where do you live?

J'habite en Australie. I live in Australia.

Qu'est que tu aime faire? What do you like to do?

J'aime lire. I like reading. etc

A bientôt.

Mme Chamberlin.