

Languages House Competitions 2016/17

Term	Department	Competition details	Number of House points to be awarded
Autumn	English	KS3 & 4 - A Ghost Story for Christmas – students to write a ghost story of no more than 2 sides with a Christmas twist or theme.	5 for each entry 3 rd place – 5 2 nd place – 10 1 st place – 15
Spring	English	KS3 – Write a poem with a theme of Spring. To be interpreted in whatever way you see fit. KS4 – Spring is often seen as the season of new beginnings. Write a story based on this idea.	5 for each entry 3 rd place – 5 2 nd place – 10 1 st place – 15
Summer	English	KS3 – If you could go anywhere this summer, where would it be? Write a speech about your ideas. It can be a real, fictitious or mythical place. KS4 – What are your aspirations? Write a speech about how you would like to progress and what you would like to achieve next school year.	5 for each entry 3 rd place – 5 2 nd place – 10 1 st place – 15
Autumn	MFL	KS3 – Research a famous French or Spanish artist, writer or musician. Present your findings as a poster. KS4 – Write a speech targeted at year 9 students, persuading them to take French as an option. Your speech needs to be written in French.	5 for each entry 3 rd place – 5 2 nd place – 10 1 st place – 15
Spring	MFL	KS3 – Design a poster which advertises travel to France or Spain. You need to research key places of interest and your poster must contain language from that country. KS4 – Design a travel leaflet which persuades readers to visit France. You need to include images as well as key information and persuasive language, all written in French.	5 for each entry 3 rd place – 5 2 nd place – 10 1 st place – 15
Summer	MFL	KS3 – Write a short story in French or Spanish about a summer holiday adventure. KS4 – Research a piece of French news. Re-write it, in French, as a newspaper article.	5 for each entry 3 rd place – 5 2 nd place – 10 1 st place – 15