# Year 11 French summer exam revision guide

### You need to revise ALL themes that we have covered in the last two years. The themes are:

#### Theme 1 – identity and culture:

- Me, my family and friends
- Technology in everyday life
- Free time activities
- Customs and festivals

#### Theme 2: local, national, international and global areas of interest

- Home, town, neighbourhood and region
- Social issues
- Global issues
- Travel and tourism

## Theme 3: current and future study and education

- My studies (school)
- Jobs, careers and ambitions

You need to revise: **Speaking, Listening, Reading and Writing**. And therefore, your revision should be broken up into four distinct parts.

**Speaking:** Revise your chosen topic vocabulary – you have prepared answers in class for your chosen topic. Revise these! Practise with each other, your parents/carers...anyone that will listen. You also need to revise how to answer the roleplay and photocard – there is information on how to do this on your google classroom (eg. PALMS method for the photocard).

**Listening:** There are past listening papers available on the AQA website – I am happy to mark any of these for you if you wish to do them in your own time. I also recommend listening to French audio in your everyday life, podcasts are a great way to do this. I recommend "news in slow French".

**Reading:** Your revision guide/workbook had a variety of reading tasks that you can use to practise your reading, normally with the answers in the back! You can again also use past papers that I will happily mark and go through with you.

**Writing:** Practise is the key here! You need to revise your topic vocab, ensuring you are confident with spellings. You also need to ensure that you are able to use the **past, present and future tense**. We have done this in detail in lessons and there are resources on google classroom to help you with these also. **You will not get a good mark without using all three tenses.** I also recommend writing a cheat sheet for each topic – include topic specific advantages and disadvantages, opinion phrases and key vocabulary. A mind map is a nice way to do these!