

Independent Research -

Find out all about France and present your research in a style of your choice!

Year 5 — Spring 2

Global Explorers (France)

After finding out about the country through research, we will delve more deeply into key moments in French history, for example, The French Revolution and Bastille Day. We will look more closely at French regions and the different climates. We will compare and contrast the lifestyles and culture of France and the UK. We will explore French Art with a particular focus on Monet and Impressionism.

We will finish with taste-testing of classic French foods and having a go at making our own!

Express

The children will learn:

English:

• Non-Fiction — Explanation text through a creative medium

Class book – A Chase in Time (by Sally Nicholls)

Science:

• Properties and Changes of Materials

Working scientifically

History:

- The French Revolution
- Bastille Day

Art:

• Impressionism/Monet

The Louvre (virtual tour) and the Mona Lisa

Other areas of learning:

Maths:

- Fractions
- Decimals
- Percentages

RE:

• How do Christians decide how to live? (What would Jesus do?)

Music:

Charanga

PSHE:

Healthy Me

French:

with Mme Kaler La Petite Etoile

Computing:

We are cryptographers

P.E.

- Cross Country
- Aerobic Fitness