

MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES

YEAR **7** PROGRESS HIERARCHY



	Listening	Speaking	Reading and Translation	Independent Writing and Translation
Mastering	I can understand a longer conversation in French/Spanish, identifying key themes and inferring some points of view from the facts stated. I can recognise time clues for different tenses.	I can make appropriate and accurate use of a variety of vocabulary and grammatical structures, especially when given time to prepare. My verbs are mostly correct and I can use three tenses in my speaking. I do sometimes repeat key words. I can invent a question on a given topic and the meaning of my question is conveyed despite errors.	I can understand an extended text in French/Spanish, identifying key themes, details and opinions. I can recognise time clues for different tenses. I can translate a short paragraph from French/Spanish to English using 3 tenses. It is more accurate than inaccurate.	I can write a 90-word paragraph referring to 3 tenses in response to compulsory, bullet points. I am confident writing in the first person singular in all 3 tenses. I can recall and write key topic vocabulary from memory and add opinions, reasons and detail. I can translate some simple sentences in different tenses into French/Spanish, mostly accurately. The key message is always communicated despite errors.
Deepening	I can identify many details from a longer, spoken passage and answer in very short phrases in either language where required.	I can take part in a conversation, developing clear, short responses with opinions and reasons. Repetition may occur. I can communicate a few, spontaneous messages successfully. I can understand most question words in French/Spanish.	I can identify many details from a longer text and answer in very short phrases in either language where required. I can translate short sentences from French/Spanish to English.	I attempt a short paragraph in the present tense, responding to compulsory bullet points. I can produce clear, simple opinions and recall some relevant topic vocabulary. I can translate a few simple sentences into French/Spanish with errors.
Securing	I can identify the overall message and different opinions in a longer, spoken passage. I can understand questions in English about the passage and respond in English as well.	I can take part in a short conversation, understanding and answering simple questions including simple opinions. Errors may impede my communication at times. I can describe what is in a photo using full, basic sentences. I can ask at least one question.	I can identify the overall messages, themes and different opinions in a longer text in French/Spanish. I can understand questions in English about the text and respond in English	I can write a few accurate sentences. I attempt to translate a few, simple sentences into French/Spanish, recalling the key vocabulary from memory.
Developing	I can understand the key message of spoken passages in one tense and answer multiple choice questions correctly.	I can understand and respond to simple questions in the target language. My message is conveyed despite errors. I can describe what is in a photo using full sentences.	I can understand the key messages in a written text in one tense and answer multiple choice correctly.	I can write very short, whole sentences in French/Spanish. I can include opinions. Frequent errors may occur.
Emerging	I can understand key words in short, spoken sentences. I can answer multiple choice questions correctly while listening.	I can name some items in a photo, given time to prepare. I attempt speaking in whole sentences in French/Spanish.	I can understand key words when I read a short written text in French/Spanish.	I can name items and write individual words. My work is more accurate than inaccurate.