



MFL Curriculum Vision

To learn a language is to have one more window from which to look at the world – Chinese Proverb

At Capel St Mary, our vision is that children will develop passion and confidence to engage with languages and begin their journey to become all-round global citizens. It is clear that language learning is not only a matter of developing competence in another language, it is about the broader curriculum; about children exploring the relationship between language and identity; about developing an international outlook and an enhanced understanding of the world and their place within it. Learning a foreign language prepares our children for life in a modern Britain, in which work and activities increasingly involve using languages other than English and will provide a gateway to the ever-changing world in which we live. Language learning enables pupils to express their ideas and thoughts in another language, and to understand and respond to its speakers.

Through learning French, our pupils will develop an awareness of cultural differences and develop a tolerance of diversity within society. We hope that our pupils will become open-minded and adventurous in all aspects of their learning.

Here at Capel, we see the learning of Modern foreign languages as a tool to promote initiative, confidence and independent learning within our ever changing world