

## YEAR 11 INTO 12 SUMMER TRANSITION TASK

# MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES - French

<b>Qualification/Level</b>	A Level
<b>Examination Board</b>	Edexcel
<b>Hand into:</b>	Mrs Potts or Miss Becquet
<b>Duration:</b>	8 hours approximately

### The Task:

In order to help better prepare you for year 12 you are required to complete the following grammar and literature/ reading comprehension tasks. These are to be handed in September.

A) Grammar – complete the grammar activity sheets. These cover some of the basics. You will need to use a dictionary, a verb table & refer to grammar rules.

[www.languagesonline.org.uk](http://www.languagesonline.org.uk) is good for basic grammar.

[www.wordreference.com](http://www.wordreference.com) is an excellent online dictionary.

[www.conjugation-fr.com](http://www.conjugation-fr.com) is a good online verb table – or buy a verb table!

● Le genre des substantifs (Nouns & genders) – Use a dictionary to find 3 more similar nouns each time which have the same endings.

● Les forms féminines des adjectifs et des substantifs (Feminine forms of adjectives & nouns). Find the feminine version of the adjective or noun & put it into a short sentence.

● Les forms plurielles des substantifs et des adjectifs (plural forms of nouns & adjectives). Find the plural forms of the nouns or adjectives & put them into a short sentence.

● La position des adjectifs (position of adjectives). Find the meanings of the words which will be different depending on whether they come before or after the noun. Show your understanding of these by writing a brief sentence for each translation in French.

● Le temps present (the present tense). Use a verb table to conjugate the list of verbs in the present tense.

● Le passé composé (perfect tense) – use a verb table to find the correct past participle. Write the sentences in the past in French.

● Le passé composé 2 – use the verbs in the boxes to complete the sentences in French.

● Les faux amis (False friends). Use a dictionary to find the meaning of the words. Write a sentence in French to show your understanding on the different words.

B) Read the short stories & complete the comprehension tasks.