Modern Foreign Languages – Y8 Learning Outcomes

Skill	Foundation	Developing	Securing	Exceeding	Excelling
Listening	• Understand simple sentences with simple connectives. • Write down some simple sentences when read in TL.	• Understand short passage or dialogue. • Understand the present tense of regular verbs. • Understand simple opinions.	• Understand simple passages about the most recent topic. • Identify confidently the present tense. • Identify confidently opinions phrases and justifications.	• Understand simple short paragraphs, which may contain unfamiliar cognates. • Start identifying 2 tenses. • Recognise unusual phonic patterns and able to record with some accuracy.	• Understand longer passages containing some unfamiliar language. • Note short phrases answers in the TL with reasonable accuracy. • Identify confidently 2 tenses.
Reading	• Understand simple sentences with simple connectives. • Translate simple sentences with some unfamiliar vocabulary. • Begin to use dictionaries or word reference websites accurately.	• Understand short passage or dialogue. • Understand the present tense of regular verbs. • Understand simple opinions. • Translate simple paragraphs containing simple opinions and connectives from the TL.	• Understand simple passages confidently in the present tense. • Understand simple passages about the most recent topic. • Identify confidently opinions phrases and justifications.	• Understand simple short paragraphs, which may contain unfamiliar cognates. • Start identifying 2 tenses. • Translate sentences using familiar language accurately.	• Understand texts confidently in 2 tenses. • Translate passages from the TL with reasonable accuracy
Speaking	• Answer simple questions using full sentences. • Link ideas or sentences together using some simple connectives.	• Give simple opinions. • Pronunciation is understandable but comprehension might be delayed.	• Express own opinions with more detailed reasons. • Write accurately in 1 tense. • Use simple connectives and time phrases.	• Use two tenses with some accuracy. • Pronunciation is understandable. • Express and explain opinions.	• Respond fully to the task using vocab learnt in previous units. • Use accurately 2 tenses. • Express and explain views and opinions. • Use a variety of connectives and time phrases. • Pronunciation is good with odd inconsistencies.
Writing	• Answer simple questions using full sentences. • Link ideas or sentences together using some simple connectives. • More accurate than inaccurate.	• Give simple opinions. • More accurate than inaccurate. • Translate simple sentences including simple opinions and simple connectives to the TL.	• Express own opinions with more detailed reasons. • Write accurately in 1 tense. • Use simple connectives and time phrases. • Translate simple passages about the most recent topic into the TL with reasonable accuracy.	• Use two tenses with some accuracy. • Write paragraph with growing accuracy. • Express and explain opinions.	• Respond fully to the task using vocab learnt in previous units. • Write accurately in 2 tenses. • Express and explain views and opinions. • Use a variety of connectives and time phrases. • Translate passages into the TL with reasonable accuracy.