

# Fulwood Academy- KS3 Grade Descriptors- Modern Foreign Languages

Level	Speaking	Listening	Reading	Writing
1	Can make short, simple statements and answer basic questions with good pronunciation.	Understands simple spoken statements and words.	Understands single words or small groups of words.	Can copy words and complete short sentences.
2	Gives longer answers and can ask questions. Pronunciation of familiar words is correct.	Understands longer statements and more complicated words.	Understands familiar phrases and uses resources to find meanings.	Copies phrases correctly, uses accents and familiar words from memory.
3	Answers more difficult and longer questions with correct pronunciation. Asks more developed questions.	Understands short passages and dialogues at normal speed, follows instructions.	Understands simple texts and uses a dictionary to find meanings. Writes main points from what is read.	Writes sentences with help, develops ideas, and expresses opinions.
4	Takes part in longer conversations or presentations without many notes. Uses learned grammar and vocabulary to create sentences.	Understands spoken language with different sentence patterns and structures at normal speed.	Understands longer texts, using context to figure out unfamiliar words.	Writes short texts, adapting models using their own words and phrases.
5	Talks about past and future events and speaks on familiar topics for an extended time.	Understands what is said about past and future events.	Understands opinions and events in past or future. Finds information independently.	Writes short passages using past or future tenses, expresses opinions and feelings.
6	Adapts language for extended and detailed responses. Uses at least three tenses.	Understands longer spoken texts, writes detailed notes, understands three time frames.	Understands longer texts in unfamiliar topics, confident in interpreting meanings.	Writes in paragraphs, using varied language and at least three tenses.