

Year 8 - French - Enrichment Activity

Blake

- Core Tasks:**
- Find out about 'Food in France' and create a booklet to show your findings. Find out and include information about the following:
 - names of different meals.
 - traditional food and dishes from France and regions in France - pictures and labels, in French and English.
 - Create a glossary of key terms for following a recipe, in French - imperative verbs; adverbs; quantities; food; time connectives
 - Write a recipe for a simple French dish, **in French** - using the key vocabulary from the glossary you have created.
 - Research about and present a short biography about a famous French chef, **in French**.
- Extension:**
- Follow one of the recipes you find and take a photo of it. Record what your 'tasters' thought about it.
 - Create pictures/photos to illustrate the instructions in your recipe.
- Vocabulary:**
- food
 - quantities: grams, litres, a pinch, a teaspoon ...
 - instruction verbs (imperative): Take, slice, mix, whip, mix, measure ...
 - adverbs: vigorously, evenly, carefully, thoroughly ...
 - regions of France: Brittany, Normandy, Burgundy ...
 - meals: breakfast, lunch, dinner, tea, supper, snack ...
 - time connectives: first, then, next, after, finally ...

Hints and Helps:

Have a look at the internet or use some of the books in the French department to help you do your research. Try and think of an attractive way to present your information, such as a 'Tour de France', a map or a fact file. Remember Raymond Blanc and Michel Roux are French! When writing in French, don't make it too complicated, simple but accurate is better than lots of incorrect French. (An on-line translator will not help you.) Have fun in the kitchen, by making the recipe to share with your family! (With your parents' permission)

Success Criteria

- ☐ names of the meals - breakfast, lunch, dinner, tea, snack.
- ☐ information about traditional French food
- ☐ glossary of key vocabulary
- ☐ recipe, in French
- ☐ a biography of French chef, in French
- ☐ good presentation - using the computer, where appropriate.
- ☐ photo/picture illustrations for the recipe
- ☐ one of the recipes made and shared with your family

Send to Miss Cooper for her to see what you have done and for feedback.