	Progression of skills within MFL curriculum			
	Listening	Speaking	Reading	Writing
Year 3	Can understand a few familiar spoken words and phrases.	Can understand a few familiar spoken words and phrases.	Can understand a few familiar spoken words and phrases.	Can understand a few familiar spoken words and phrases.
Year 4	Can understand a range of familiar spoken phrases and is able to listen for specific words and phrases.	Can ask and answer simple questions and give basic information. Can pronounce familiar words and some new words accurately.	Can understand simple written phrases. Can match sounds to familiar written words.	Can spell some familiar written words and phrases accurately and write simple sentences with limited mistakes so that the message is understood.
Year 5	Can understand the main points from a series of spoken sentences (including questions.) May require some repetition.	Can ask and answer simple questions on several topics and can express opinions. Can take part in brief pre-prepared tasks such as short presentations and role plays.	Can understand the main point(s) from a short, written passage in clear printed script. Can use bilingual dictionaries independently. Can apply phonic knowledge to find, understand and/or produce spoken and written words.	Can write two or three short sentences as a personal response, using reference materials / with support. Attempts to use accurately nouns and adjectives and shows awareness of the use of and conjugation of some commonly used and regular verbs in the present tense.
Year 6	Can understand the main points and some detail from a short, spoken passage with comprising of familiar language.	Can understand the main points and some detail from a short, spoken passage with comprising of familiar language.	Can understand the main points and some detail from a short, spoken passage with comprising of familiar language.	Can understand the main points and some detail from a short, spoken passage with comprising of familiar language.