

# ROSE HILL SCHOOL

## ROYAL TUNBRIDGE WELLS

### FRENCH

### Year 8

### Revision List

#### The Common Entrance Exams

Pupils will undertake an exam in each of the four language skills: listening, speaking, reading and writing. Each skill has equal weighting – 25%. The speaking and Listening components will be undertaken shortly before the main CE exam period.

Each paper will last 30 minutes with the exception of the speaking component, which comprises a 10 minute preparation period followed by a 6 minute exam. The Speaking Exam consists of two elements:

**Rôle play** – 2 minutes

**Prepared topics** – 2 to 4 minutes

#### What to Revise

Pupils should refer to the Course materials:

- Grammar Booklet
- Speaking Booklet – question bank and topic paragraphs
- Audio cassette - presentation recording
- Malvern CE Speaking Guide
- Malvern CE Vocabulary Guide

A thorough knowledge of these resources will ensure that the pupils are well prepared for the exams.

#### Topics to revise:

1. Free Time and Holiday Activities
2. Life and Work at School
3. House, Home, Daily Routine and Chores
4. Personal Description, Family, Friends and Pets

#### **NB.**

Everybody will be expected to have a command of the present tense and the near future. Where you feel able, you would be advised to extend this using a range of tenses, including the perfect, the imperfect and the future.