

Year 8 HT1– La mode (describe what you wear on different occasions)



Key grammatical terms used:

- **Un adjectif = an adjective** describes a person or an object, In French adjectives tend to go after the noun it describes and agree with the noun if feminine or plural
eg: **un** pull vert/ **une** robe verte/**des** robes vertes
- **Un adjective possessif = possessive adjective** is an adjective to show ownership, it comes before the noun and lets us know to whom the noun belongs. In French, the possessive adjective changes whether the noun is masculine/ feminine or plural but NOT whether it belongs to a boy or a girl.
eg : **mon** pull (masculine) BUT **ma** robe (feminine)

Speaking

You will prepare a fashion show or make a video

Useful phrases:

Voici Tom = Here is Tom

Tom a choisi de porter = Tom has chosen to wear ...

Tom porte ... = Tom is wearing ...

Tom aime le look sport/chic = Tom likes the sporty/smart look

Year 8 HT2– La santé (describe what you must do /mustn't do to stay healthy)

You will learn body parts /how to say where it hurts.

Use j'ai mal à + body part

J'ai mal **au** pied (à le pied becomes **au** pied)

J'ai mal **à la** tête (feminine)

J'ai mal à l'épaule (à l' + vowel)

J'ai mal **aux** dents (plural)

To **give advice** on how to stay healthy use:

Il faut + infinitif = we must ...

Eg: il faut manger des fruits et légumes

Il ne faut pas + infinitif = we must not ...

Il ne faut pas manger beaucoup de sucre
+ learn modal verbs (devoir/pouvoir/vouloir)

VERB to learn: METTRE

(To put on)

Je mets = I put/ I am putting on

Tu mets = you put

Il/elle/on met= he/she/we put

Nous mettons = we put

Vous mettez= you (lot) put

Ils mettent = they put

PAST = Hier j'ai MIS – yesterday I put ...

You must learn how to describe a photo (required skill at GCSE)

Sur la photo **il y a** une femme = On the photo there is a woman

Elle porte une jupe noire et un tee-shirt noir et blanc= she is wearing ...

Elle est **en train de** poser pour la photo = she is posing



Elle a l'air branchée = **she looks** trendy

Adjectifs de couleur composés – they NEVER change

Une robe rouge tomate / vert olive/ bleu clair/ jaune citron/
bleu ciel / bleu marine/ bleu turquoise.

Use quizlet to memorise your vocab 😊

Vary your sentences – use a range of negatives.

Remember the negatives go round the verb

(ne ...pas) = not / je **ne** mange **pas** de viande

(ne ...plus) = not anymore /je ne mange **plus** de viande

(ne ... jamais) = never/ je **ne** mange **jamais** de viande

(ne ...rien) = nothing/ je **ne** mange **rien**

BUT (ne ...que) = ONLY / je ne mange que de la viande= I ONLY eat meat