

SUMMER TASKS:

FRENCH YEAR 9



TASK ONE

Watch the French film **Neuilly Sa Mère** on the media server <https://videosever.macmillan-academy.org.uk/View.aspx?id=11195~5e~WDi0rGs6iH> about two very different types of life for teenagers living in Paris.

PYT – complete the activities linked to the film <T:\MFL\NEW MFL 2018\FRENCH\NEW KS3 French Allez 1-2 2018\YR9 FR\HT 6 Neuilly sa mere\Summer holiday activities 2020.pptx>

TASK TWO

Read the first chapter of **Le Petit Prince** by Antoine de Saint-Exupéry in French and English <https://www.lawlessfrench.com/reading/le-petit-prince/> the story follows a young prince who visits various planets in space, including Earth, and addresses themes of loneliness, friendship, love, and loss. If you enjoy the first chapter read the rest of the novel in English [https://verse.aasemoon.com/images/f/f5/The Little Prince.pdf](https://verse.aasemoon.com/images/f/f5/The_Little_Prince.pdf) and write a review

TASK THREE

Complete a **virtual visit/tour of a French town** e.g. Lille, Rouen, Nice, La Rochelle, Bordeaux, Tours, Marseille etc. You can find some excellent virtual tours on YouTube or look at the website www.tourisme.fr then create a mind map, fact file, leaflet about your chosen town or an advert to encourage visitors to go.

TASK FOUR

Find a piece of **French music** that you like (listen to a range of artists past and present such as Edith Piaf, Serge Gainsbourg, Jacques Brel, Johnny Hallyday, Kassav', Stromae, Tal, Kendji Girac, Coeur de Pirate, Clara Luciani, Christophe etc. before you decide on one) download the lyrics to one of their songs and either annotate key words to try to understand what it is about or translate it into English.

TASK FIVE

Research '**le quatorze juillet**'- create a mind map, fact file, storyboard, leaflet with text and images to explain why this is such an important date in French history.