



# MFL

Quelle est la date aujourd'hui? - What is the date today  
Year 5, Autumn 2



**By the end of the unit I will be able to..**

☑ Repeat and recognise the months of the year in French

☑ Ask when somebody has a birthday and say when they have their birthday. ☑

Say the date in French.

☑ Create a French calendar.

☑ Recognise key dates in the French calendar



### Speaking Exercise

Can you say any of the following in French?

January.

December.

My birthday is...

My birthday is... (e.g. 7th May)

When is your birthday?

### Reading Exercise

Can you read the following French statements and then answer the questions in English?

**Mon anniversaire est le onze décembre.**

When is this person's birthday?

**Mon anniversaire est le sept mai.**

When is this person's birthday?

**Mon anniversaire est le quinze octobre.**

When is this person's birthday?

**Mon anniversaire est le douze septembre.**

When is this person's birthday?

**Mon anniversaire est le cinq avril.**

When is this person's birthday?

### Writing Exercise

Can you write any of the following five phrases in French?

February

August

My birthday is...

The 3<sup>rd</sup> of December

My birthday is the 3<sup>rd</sup> of December

### Listening Exercise

From the extended listening exercise on the PowerPoint slide, write any of the numbers that correspond to the five different months you hear spoken. Listen carefully!



C'est quand ton anniversaire? When is your birthday?

Mon anniversaire est.. My birth is ...

lundi

mardi

mercredi

jeudi

vendredi

samedi

dimanche

### Key Vocab

Quelle est la date aujourd'hui- What is the date today?

Aujourd'hui c'est....- Today is....

janvier- January

fevrier-February

mars-March

avril-April

mai-May

juin-June

juillet-July

aout-August

septembre-September

octobre-October

novembre-November

decembre-December

### Phonics & pronunciation we will see:

Recommended phonics focus: É E È EAU EUX

- **É** sound in **février, décembre**
- **E** sound in **septembre & novembre**
- **Silent letters.** You will hear and see that the 's' is not pronounced in **mars** and the 't' is not pronounced in **est** and **juillet**.
- **Guttural 'R'.** Becoming more familiar with the French 'r' sound as seen in **mardi & mercredi**. Made from the back of the mouth, not the front.



