



## What I already know...

- How to greet someone in French
- How to initiate and respond to a basic introductory conversation.
- How to count to ten in French
- How to apply knowledge of numbers when answering questions.

## Making a difference at The Merton

This term, the children will continue their “flight path through France” by applying their previous knowledge and skills of the French language to this exciting topic of animals! Links can be made through topic based learning and/or science. During this learning journey, children will ask and answer basic questions related to animals and pets. Lessons will continue to focus on children’s developing listening, speaking, reading and writing skills in French. There will also be opportunities to apply their previous learning to this new topic when engaging in conversations with others—particularly when revisiting the topic of pets. This year, there will be a key focus on phonics and pronunciation of the individual sounds as well as retaining vocabulary knowledge.

## Key Vocabulary

<u>Farm Animals</u> (animaux de la ferme)		<u>Wild Animals</u> (animaux sauvages)		<u>Pet Animals</u> (animaux domestiques)	
Sheep	un mouton	Tiger	un tigre	Dog	un chien
Horse	un cheval	Lion	un lion	Cat	un chat
Donkey	un âne	Cheetah	un guépard	Guinea pig	un cochon d'Inde
Cow	une vache	Elephant	un éléphant	Bird	un oiseau
Goat	une chèvre	Giraffe	une giraffe	Hamster	un hamster
Hen	une poule	Zebra	un zèbre	Fish	un poisson
Pig	un cochon			Rabbit	un lapin
Duck	un canard				

## Key Questions and Responses

What is that?	Qu'est-ce que c'est?
Do you like...?	Tu aimes...?
Do you have a pet?	As-tu un animal ?
I have a...	J'ai un
I don't have a pet.	Je n'ai pas d'animal



## What I will learn...

- How to initiate and respond to a basic conversation about pets.
- How to apply their knowledge of animals when answering questions.
- Key phonemes: e.g. “ch” chat, chien.
- Basic pronunciation rules
- Basic grammar rules: e.g. “un” and “une”

## Making a difference at home

Visit a local farm or a safari park. Can you list/say as many animals as possible in French that you can find? Focus on the pronunciation and the sounds of the words!