

French GCSE

Exam Board: Pearson Edexcel

Exam Dates: Speaking April/May 2026 (tbc), Listening 20th May 2026 AM, Reading 4th June 2026 PM, Writing 8th June 2026 PM



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Revision Resources Available:

Seneca

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BBC Bitesize

Pearson GCSE Revision Guide and Workbook 9-1 (exams from 2026) ISBN: 978-1292739731 ISBN:978-1292739700

Exam Papers and Content: All papers cover content from the following thematic contexts:

- My personal world
- My neighbourhood
- Media and Technology
- Studying and my future
- Lifestyle and wellbeing
- Travel and Tourism

All 4 exam papers for GCSE French are equally weighted at 25%

Paper 1—Speaking in French (read aloud, roleplay, picture task with conversation)

Paper 2—Listening and Understanding in French including dictation

Paper 3—Reading and Understanding in French including translation into English

Paper 4—Writing in French (Foundation: Picture task, Two writing responses and translation into French, Higher: Two writing responses and translation into French)