## **FRENCH**



This bridging work MUST be completed by the time you start your course and it will be assessed in September. The aims are for you to be ready to start learning at post 16 level.

## What do you do in your first year?

Exam board EDEXCEL A. No course work, exam only.

You will have three compulsory exam papers at the end of Year 12 assessed internally:

- Listening, reading and translation, 1.45 hours, 64 marks, 40% of your total mark.
- Written response to works and translation, 1.40 hours, 60 marks, 30% of your total mark.
- Speaking, 15 minutes, 74 marks, 30% of your total mark.

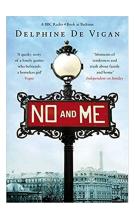
### Summer Bridging Work- ESSENTIAL

1. Download and print the EDEXCEL A French Specification from the website: https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-a-levels/french-2016.html

Read through this to begin to familiarize yourself with the course.

2. Read the Prescribed literary text 'No et moi' (trad. 'No and Me')





You MUST read the English version over the summer to give you an idea of what to expect during your A Level studies. You CAN read the French version if you want to deepen your understanding.

The book 'No et moi' is available in both French and English on Amazon:

#### **English version**

https://www.amazon.co.uk/dp/0747599645/ref=cm\_sw\_r\_tw\_dp\_U\_x\_r5-PEbDZEZD8J

### French version

https://www.amazon.co.uk/dp/225312480X/ref=cm\_sw\_r\_tw\_dp\_U\_x\_w6-PEbBWG6D0W

3. Visit the 'Explore France' website to be more familiar with the French culture: <a href="https://www.france.fr/fr/story/voyager-en-france-depuis-votre-canape">https://www.france.fr/fr/story/voyager-en-france-depuis-votre-canape</a>.

# **Required Resources**

Bring lined paper, dividers and a folder to each of your French lessons.