



Languages (French)

Members of the family

Year 4

Autumn 2

Prior learning (Year 3)

1st person singular (Je, tu, il/elle)
Asking questions
Indefinite article (un, une, des)
Definite article (le, la, les)

Key Knowledge

Family member names	Recognising the names of family members
Asking and describing about family members	J'ai un frère J'ai une soeur Je suis un jumeau/ une jumelle Je suis un triplé Je suis un enfant unique
Describing what family members look like.	e.g. Ma soeur a les yeux verts Mon frère a les yeux marrons
Using adjective agreement	e.g. les cheveux bruns les yeux verts

Key Grammar

Adjective agreement	les cheveux bruns les yeux verts Sounding of the consonant before a final –e (petit, petite)
1 st and 3 rd person plural	nous, ils/elles

To say “I have” in French we use “j’ai” (I have).
To say the negative (I have not..) we use “je n’ai pas...”

Songs

Ma Famille

Key Vocabulary

French	English
une famille	a family
un frère	a brother
une mère	a mother
un père	a father
une sœur	a sister
un beau-père	a stepfather
une belle-mère	a stepmother
grande	big
petit	small
mon cousin	my cousin (boy)
ma cousine	my cousin (girl)
ma grand-mère	my grandmother
mon grand-père	my grandfather
mes grands-parents	my grandparents
mon oncle	my uncle
mes parents	my parents
ma tante	my aunt
mon demi-frère	my half brother
ma demi-soeur	my half sister

French fun facts

The French have fireworks in July not November!
They celebrate Bastille Day on 14th July each year, it is the French National Day.