Phase: 3/4   **Subject:** French   **Focus:** Blanc 3 Colours   **Term:** Spring 1

What I should already know?

-How to say how old I am.

-To use a French dictionary to order words alphabetically.

-That Paris is the capital city of France

-Some Parisian landmarks e.g. le Louvre.

Vocabulary

Que vois-tu ?	What can you see?
je vois	I can see
blanc	white
gris	grey
noir	black
orange	orange
rose	pink

une coccinelle	une souris	une abeille	une araignée
une méduse	une pieuvre	une baleine	une étoile de mer

Knowledge

Pronunciation:
The grapheme oi
In English, the grapheme 'oi' is pronounced as in oil, boil and soil. In French, it is pronounced as in poisson, bois, trois and étoile.

Grammar:
Gender:
In French, nouns are divided into 2 categories: **masculine and feminine**. In French, all nouns have a gender. In English nouns do not have a grammatical gender.

Verb:
A verb expresses an action or a state of being. It describes what is happening. It is sometimes called a 'doing word' because it describes what someone does.

Pronoun:
A pronoun can replace a noun. English subject pronouns include I, you, he, she, it, we and they. The French pronoun je is the equivalent of the English pronoun I.

Cognate:
A cognate is a word in one language that is related in origin to a word in another language.

By the end of the unit I should know...

-The names of 8 new animals.

-To learn that nouns can either be masculine or feminine.

-To learn 5 new colour adjectives.

-To become familiar with 5 new Paris landmarks.

-To speak about Paris landmarks in French.

-To learn the very je vois– I see

-To pose the question Que vois-tu? -What can you see?

-To identify the grapheme 'oi' in French and English and to know its pronunciation in both languages.

-To revise how to say how old I am.

le Bois de Boulogne	le Bois de Vincennes	le Parc Montsouris	le Parc Monceau	le Parc de la Villette

Language Learning Skills

Using a **speaking frame** can help to create sentences with accurate syntax.

Using a **writing frame** can help to create sentences with accurate spelling, syntax and punctuation.