

Caroline Haslett Primary School - French

Topic: Monsters using colours and body parts

Year 4 Spring 1

Descriptive writing

Knowledge

- Basic greetings
- Numbers to 20
- Days of the week
- Months of the year
- Basic body parts
- Colours of the rainbow

Activities

- Reinforce colours using cognates and near cognates and sing “Je connais les couleurs” (I know the colours) to the tune of “I can sing a rainbow”
- Learn body parts and sing ‘head, shoulders, knees and toes’
- Categorise body parts into gender groups
- Match body parts to colours
- Understand grammar structure of sentence building using colour and number
- Match description to monster and draw it
- Describe own monster and draw it



Useful daily phrases/words:

- **Montrez-moi** - show me
- **Qu'est-ce qui manque?** - Which one is missing?
- “ **Qu'est-ce que c'est?**” – “**la tête**” - “**c'est de quelle couleur?**” – “**c'est marron.**”
- **Trouve quelque chose ...bleu!** - find something.... blue
- **Vite !** - quickly!
- **On va jouer morpion** - let's play noughts and crosses

Skills

- Read out familiar words and phrases
- To write imaginatively
- To write a few short sentences using familiar expressions

Vocabulary

Verb to learn:

- Avoir** - to have
- J'ai** - I have
- Tu as** - you have
- Il/elle a** - he/she has
- Nous avons** - we have
- Vous avez** - you have
- Ils/elles ont** - they have

Language Required:

- orange** - orange
- rose** - pink
- violet** - purple
- bleu** - blue
- rouge** - red
- jaune** - yellow
- vert** - green
- marron** - brown
- noir** - black
- gris** - grey
- blanc** - white

le corps

- le nez** - nose
- le bras** - arm
- la tête** - head
- la bouche** - mouth
- la jambe** - leg
- la main** - hand
- les épaules** - shoulders
- les genoux** - knees
- les pieds** - feet
- les yeux** - eyes
- les oreilles** - ears
- les cheveux** - hair
- un nez bleu** - a blue nose
- une bouche bleue** - a blue mouth
- les yeux/cheveux bleus** - blue eyes/hair

Song ‘head, shoulders, knees and toes’

Tête, épaules, genoux, pied genoux, pied
tête, épaules, genoux, pied genoux, pied
les yeux, les oreilles, la bouche, le nez
tête, épaules, genoux, pied genoux, pied

Chanson

(to the tune of “I can sing a rainbow”)
Rouge et orange et jaune et bleu
Violet, rose et vert
Je connais les couleurs
Toutes les couleurs
De mon arc en ciel