GCSE Modern Foreign Languages

Listening (25%)

Try to follow this strategy for each question:

Topic

Read question

Example

Predict

Annotate

Key words

Twist and Turn

Don't forget This skill

- Quizlet for vocabs
- Revision guide for listening exercises
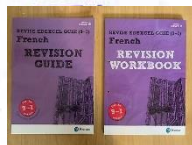- Practise making notes when listening - **this is the best skill you can practise for revision!**

Foundation	Higher
Paper 1 Listening (50 marks) *5 mins reading time in addition to times noted below*	
30 mins	40 mins
Paper 2 Speaking (70 marks) *12 mins preparation time in addition to times noted below*	
7–9 mins	10–12 mins
Paper 3 Reading (50 marks)	
45 mins	1 hr
Paper 4 Writing (60 marks)	
1 hr 10 mins	1 hr 20 mins

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Quizlet

Reading (25%)

Highlighter Procedure

Topic

Read question

Example

Marks

Predict

Identify

Twist and turn

Order

- Highlight your evidence—ALWAYS!
- **Target Language Questions**—find key words; look for similarities between..... and text. Can you lift it or do you need to reword it in a simple way?

HOW TO REVISE

- Quizlet for vocab learning.
- Practise translation TL to English. Don't leave work out.
- No English words.

- Practise questions
- Revision guides and workbook.
- Past paper questions.
- Past Mocks.

Speaking (25%)

ROLE PLAY - Keep it simple, no need to expand.

PHOTOCARD - Remember

3 bullet points
Remember for each one give:

- OPINION
- REASON
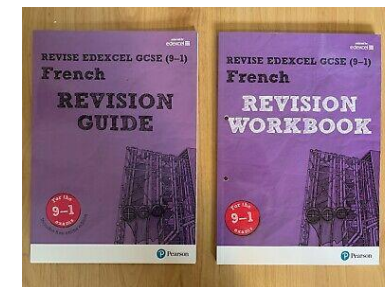- CONNECTIVE
- OPINION
- REASON

CONVERSATION

Practise your cards/questions!

Get someone to test you!

Writing (25%)

Remember to develop and show off what you can do:

T R A C T O R

- ADJECTIVE
- VERB
- OPINION
- CONNECTIVE
- ADVERB
- DESCRIPTION
- ORIGINALITY

A C T I O N J A C S

Remember:

Opinion

Reason

Connective

Opinion

Reason

- PLAN before you write.
- Break task down.

- Practise translation English - German
- Reword any words you don't know to give long sentences.
- Each sentence is testing a specific grammar point— what are they testing?