

# MFL AT CHARLTON

**'To learn a language is to have one more window from which to look at the world.'**

Chinese Proverb

## VISION

Our vision is to build firm foundations in language learning; enabling all pupils to broaden their horizons, converse with people from other countries and appreciate cultural diversity. We aim to foster an interest in languages and create enthusiastic learners who have positive attitudes to future language learning.

## INTENT

The teaching of MFL at Charlton provides excitement, enjoyment and challenge for all children, helping to create enthusiastic learners and develop positive attitudes to language learning through life. Our MFL curriculum is designed to progressively develop children's acquisition of skills, and their ability to use and apply a growing bank of vocabulary organised around particular themes.

We use **Primary Languages Network**, we teach French to all children in Key Stage 2, providing learning opportunities that all children can access.

Children are encouraged and supported to develop their speaking and listening skills through conversational work, singing activities and games and then, as their confidence and skills grow, children are exposed to written French and start writing phrases, sentences and paragraphs in their books.