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MFL WEBSITES 2015-2016

▪ For French, German and Spanish

Linguascope has a range of interactive resources for introducing key topical vocabulary to KS 3 students.

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<http://conf.cactus2000.de/index.en.php>

<http://www.languagesonline.org.uk/Hotpotatoes/Index.htm>

www.wordreference.com

▪ For French

Frenchteacher.net – Excellent A level resources and all other years too. (mainly higher ability, but can be adapted).

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Zut (www.zut.org.uk) provides a wide range of power points, quizzes, grammar exercises and much more for KS 3 – 5.

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▪ For German

Gut (gut.languageskills.co.uk) is the German equivalent to Zut and provides an increasing range of resources, including authentic materials.

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▪ For Spanish

Oye! (oye.languageskills.co.uk) is the Spanish equivalent to Zut & Gut and offers similar interactive learning opportunities.

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How to learn vocabulary and then make it stick!

The more words you know, the easier you will find it!

Visual tips

- Copy word lists over and over until the whole list can be written from memory.
- S A C A W A C
- Take a “virtual tour” – visualise yourself in your bedroom, assign words to objects, and visualise yourself looking at each object in turn.

Auditory tips

- Repeat word lists over and over until they can be chanted from memory.
- Record word lists onto mobile phone, mp3 file, etc., then play them on loop.
- Ask friends/siblings/parents/your dog to listen as you say the words out loud.

Kinaesthetic tips

- Devise actions for vocabulary in a word list, and repeat these actions over and over;
- Cut up word lists, jumble vocabulary up, then try to match it all together;
- Use realia to reinforce the touch and feel of concrete items of vocabulary.



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