

Martine -> Linguascope -> MFL teachers

'Hard Times' MFL resources

Martine Pillette – mjppillette@aol.com

Dear MFL teachers,

First of all, I hope you are keeping well. On *Linguascope's* suggestion I have decided to write three weekly sequences of activities doable from home to help you during school closures due to COVID-19. The activities will be re. y7-8 French (y7-8 trickier to cater for in the current circumstances?) but easily adaptable to other languages. Some of the activities might not be as 'polished' as they would be in ordinary circumstances, but I hope they will help.

Very best wishes in these difficult times,

Martine

Resource 33

Teachers' Notes

Authentic reading – 'Maïa a participé à un orchestre virtuel'

The activity makes this 100% authentic text suitable for pupils with limited knowledge of French. It acts as a guide and focusses on information easy to spot in the text.

Answers (identical for both levels of challenge)

1. FAUX Maya is 12.
2. FAUX The trumpet.
3. FAUX She took part in her school's virtual orchestra.
4. VRAI
5. FAUX She/They played music from 'Pirates of the Caribbean'.
6. FAUX Mid-March/on 16th March.
7. FAUX Video tuition.
8. VRAI
9. VRAI
10. FAUX To video themselves playing (their musical instrument).
11. FAUX Playing – not rewriting
12. FAUX It is good/great/ideal/well suited to the trumpet.
13. FAUX 24.
14. VRAI
15. FAUX A month.
