Draft Modern Foreign Languages JCSP Statements

The following pages contain draft JCSP statements developed with input from a number of practicing Modern Foreign Languages teachers in JCSP schools. They are offered as one possible model that teachers may use to approach the teaching, learning and assessment of the learning outcomes in the Curriculum Specification for Junior Cycle Modern Foreign Languages. They will be adjusted over time based on feedback from teachers in JCSP schools.

The Modern Foreign Languages specification may be accessed in full at www.curriculumonline.ie In addition, professional supports for teaching Junior Cycle Modern Foreign Language may be accessed through the Modern Foreign Languages section of the Junior Cycle for Teachers (JCT) website, at https://www.jct.ie/modern_foreign_languages/modern_foreign_languages

It is important to note that the statements below offer a sample approach for the creation of Junior Cycle Modern Foreign Languages statements. They do not cover all of the learning outcomes which are expected to be taught in the new Junior Cycle course. It is envisaged that students would be given opportunities to experience rich learning through engaging with all of the learning outcomes in all of their classes.

Teachers are encouraged to engage with these statements as a possible approach to creating Modern Foreign Languages statements for their own students. Students’ teachers are best placed to develop statements which will support their own students in their own particular class and school context.

May 2019
Area of Experience: Modern Foreign Language

At Junior Certificate Level the student can:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>MLJC1</th>
<th>I can learn and use a language by myself - Draft</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>MLJC2</td>
<td>I can use a language to communicate to others - Draft</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>MLJC3</td>
<td>I can improve how I learn and use the language in several different ways - Draft</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

1. **Listening and Speaking**
   - Understanding and use a basic Modern European Language in a variety of common social situations.

2. **Reading and Writing**
   - Read and write a Modern European Language in specified situations.

3. **French Cultural Studies**
   - Examine a range of cultural traditional of historical, social and artistic interest.

4. **English as an Additional Language**
   - Understand and use English Language in a variety of social situations.