

Supporting teachers and students within the Junior Certificate School Programme

## **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 <u>www.curriculumonline.ie</u> 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 <u>https://www.jct.ie/modern\_foreign\_languages/modern\_foreign\_languages</u>

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.

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## I can use a language to communicate with others

MFL	MFL Statement code no. MLJC2			
		Student:	Class:	
can:				
I have begun				
This has been demonstrated by your ability to:   1. Introduce yourself, say 'hello', 'goodbye' and reply				
2. State how I feel and ask how someone else is feeling			000	
3. Ask for basic personal information from someone else, such as name, age, address, family				
4. Ask someone about their likes and dislikes			$\bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc$	
5. Understand and use the language in a variety of common social situations such				
<ul><li>as shopping, exchanging information, eating together</li><li>6. Take part in pair and group work asking for help or repetition when I need it</li></ul>				
	hnology to communicate oral		$\bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc$	
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## Reflecting on my learning...

What I did well...

1.

2.

What I did to improve...

1.

2.

I really enjoyed.... because...

1.

2.