

French

1/French film review

We would like you to watch a French film to build up your listening skills and cultural awareness. You will find some of these on Netflix, Amazon, YouTube and/or Channel 4. Or you may be able to order the DVDs – in which case, make sure you get the subtitled version.

If you can get hold of it, a good film to watch in preparation for our A level course would be 'Bande de filles' ('Girlhood'), which is available on Amazon. Some other suggestions are here, but you may want to choose others.

Entre les murs (called 'The Class' in English)

Délicatessen

Amélie

Jean de Florette'

Manon des Sources

Please watch your films in French **with the English subtitles turned on.**

NB Please **do not** watch 'La Haine', as we will be studying this in Lower Sixth lessons!

Write some notes in English about the film. Write a short plot summary, say what the key themes are, and give your opinions on the film. Note down any key information you can find out about the director, background to the film, or how the film was received by the public. Melissa will discuss this film with you.

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