## La francophonie project

We have been learning about French-speaking countries around the world (known collectively as "la francophonie"). We discovered that there are 42 French-speaking countries across 5 continents. We talked about French-speaking countries in Europe (e.g. Belgium, France, Switzerland), Africa (e.g. Morocco, Madagascar and Ivory Coast) and North America (Canada). We then studied cultural maps of Morocco, Madagascar and Switzerland.

Students chose one thing from each country (e.g. a famous building, a native animal or plant, or something that is produced in the country), and created an original design. They also described the inspiration for their design, and found a "francophone fact" (a fact about a French-speaking country).

