#### **DOCUMENT 1**

# **Wakefield Rhubarb Festival**

Where:	Wakefield, Yorkshire at the Cathedral Precinct
When:	Weekend in late February
Time:	10am - 4pm



Wakefield was traditionally a centre of rhubarb growing and the modern <u>foodie</u> festival celebrates this heritage each February. Rhubarb has been grown for over 150 years. The conditions here were <u>ideal</u> with suitable <u>soil</u>, <u>plenty</u> of local fuel from the mines and <u>large</u> numbers of market gardeners. Much of it is grown in dark forcing <u>sheds</u>, which are <u>a feature</u> of the local landscape and bring in an early crop. <u>Tours</u> of the sheds are arranged as part of the festival and the <u>main</u> event is the Yorkshire Market which includes <u>cookery</u> demonstrations, street <u>entertainment</u> and of course plenty of rhubarb!

## **Helpful Hints**

There are plenty of food options for rhubarb—rhubarb consumption is not **compulsory** (but the Rhuby cheese is delicious!!)

In 2015 the festival ran from Friday 20th to Sunday 22nd February – 2016 dates are yet to be announced.

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#### COMPREHENSION

1°) Find synonyms in the document for the following words or expression

a- A lot of:	g- important:
b- Cuisine:	h- a specificity:
c- Principle:	i- Show:
d- Earth/ground:	j- Wooden houses:
e- Gastronomic:	k- perfect
f- Visits:	

# LINGUISTIC

2°) Put these words in the right column

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-	Qu'est-ce qu'un adjectif (définition ou utilisation)?
-	Trouvez dans le document un nom utilisé comme un adjectif?
-	Où trouve-t-on l'adjectif en Anglais ?

#### **ORAL EXPRESSION**

#### Pair work

- → Following the example of the document Wakefield Rhubarb Festival, imagine a short **scene** describing a **professional** special event, experience or place... you will play in front of your classmates.
- →The 2 students <u>must speak</u> about the same subject but there will be **NO QUESTIONS** in you small scene (.....except 1 to begin your work if it is easier for you).

#### You <u>can</u>:

• <u>Improvise</u> completely with your partner

### OR

• <u>Write</u> entirely your scene and <u>learn</u> it by heart ..... but remember <u>you will play.</u>

You <u>must use</u> all the following adjectives in your work + extra ones of your choice.

Important – principle – gastronomic – perfect - professional