## Les monstres – Astérix Reading

In the story, we read about Afnor la grande loutre de mer- a giant sea otter. Do you think this matches up with the picture of Afnor ?

Who do you think the descendant of Afnor in Scotland might be ?

One of Afnor’s friends was spotted off the coast of Gaul by Agecanonix the oldest man in the village. Since he tends to tell tall tales, no-one believes him.

What did he see? Read and listen to his story. Can you complete the sentences? Use the help box below.

J’ai vu un grand monstre vert. Il avait

une tête énorme avec trois yeux jaunes et quatre pattes comme un éléphant. Sur son dos il avait des écailles triangulaires noires.

Il avait un nez rouge et il me montrait ses dents super grandes et orange. Il était féroce et faisait un bruit terrifiant!

I saw a large monster. He had an enormous with three yellow and four like an . On his he had \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ scales.

 He had a red \_\_\_\_\_ and he showed me his really

 big, orange \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .He was \_\_\_\_\_\_ and made a

 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ noise.

*terrifying*

*nose*

*fierce*

*elephant*

*black*

*green*

*teeth*

*paws*

*back*

*head*

*eyes*

*triangular*

### Activité 7

Now using some of the vocabulary from Agecanonix’s story, can you create your own monster? What is it called? What does it look like? What characteristics does it have? Where does it live ? What does it eat?

\* Remember you could give it an Asterix style name for example: Gorgonagrix; Terrorafix; Eataweetabix!

Draw your monster and then write a short paragraph in French describing it and share this with a partner or in a group. Remember that the phrases you used in the 'Wanted poster' in activity 3 can be used again. There is a quick reminder of some of them in the box below.

*Mon monstre*

*Mon monstre s’appelle….*

*My monster is called*

*Il est..*

*Il habite*

*Il a les yeux*

*des cornes – horns*

*He is*

*He lives*

*He has… eyes*

*Il a He has*

*Il mange He eats*

*Il a les cheveux He has ……hair*

*des écailles … scales*

*une queue.. a tail des*

*dents .. teeth*