



**Subject:** Français, langue seconde (programme de base)

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**Number of periods per cycle:** 6

General information regarding courses may be found in *The Student Handbook* issued to the students at the beginning of the year. If you have not yet had an opportunity to read this general outline, please do so.

This course is project- and writing-oriented, but constantly reviews acquired concepts from the previous four years in the *French second language* course. Emphasis is put on written exercises, creative writing, presentations and class projects. Hence, effort and participation are the key to success. Participation is encouraged and evaluated. The language of exchange in class must always be “la langue de Molière”, in order to create a stimulating and learning French environment.

### Homework policy +/- 20 minutes after each class

Can be: reading, studying, writing, listening to specific French radio or television programs, reading French newspapers and/or magazines, researching for projects, preparing for oral presentations, etc.

### Late penalties

Assignments remitted late are penalized up to 10% per day (maximum 2 days). After two days, the student receives a 0 but still must complete the work.

### Breakdown of grade according to competencies

<b>Interagir en français</b> <i>Oral</i>	<b>Produire des textes variés</b> <i>Written</i>	<b>Lire des textes variés</b> <i>Reading</i>
Presentations, group work, level of interaction, listening comprehension	Compositions, grammar concepts, verb conjugation	Novels, articles, texts, listening comprehension
40%	30%	30%

## Weighting of terms

1st term <b>40%</b>	2nd term <b>60%</b>
June exams	

### \*\*\*IMPORTANT NOTES

- Students may have to perform exams during the exam week in December 2021. **(TBD)**
- Students may have to perform *Provincial* exams this year for each competency.
- Term 1 to 2 work may account for 80% of the final grade and Provincial exams account for 20% of the final grade.

## Materials

- Software Studyo and Google Classroom
- Textbook: Accès 5 (Les Éditions CEC)
- French-English Dictionary – **Mandatory for every class**
- French Dictionary – **Mandatory for every class**
- Bescherelle (verb conjugation) – **Mandatory for every class**
- Novels (paper only):
  - *L'enfant de Noé*, Éric-Emmanuel Schmitt, ISBN : 9782253123576
  - *Le Passager*, Patrick Senécal, ISBN : 9782922145731
- 2 Canada exercise books (Hilroy)
- 1 Binder (1.5 inch) with loose leaf paper (50)

Although the novels are available at any bookstores, we strongly recommend you to visit the following website to purchase the books: [www.leslibraires.ca](http://www.leslibraires.ca) . The students must have both novels **by Tuesday, September 28, 2021**.

## Extra help

Extra help will be offered daily from 8:00 to 8:15, and every day 3 and 7 from 3:15-4:00.