

Sample Family Letter – French Immersion Day

Dear Families,

We are excited to share a wonderful opportunity for your student to use their French skills beyond the classroom!

On **Saturday, February 28**, students in **French Level 3 and above** are invited to attend a **French Immersion Day** with other French learners from across the Chicagoland area. This full-day event encourages students to speak French while enjoying engaging cultural experiences.

This event is organized by local **French teachers, university professors, the AATF Chicago Chapter**, and is proudly **sponsored by the American Association of Teachers of French (AATF) National**.

Throughout the day, students will participate in:

- Live performances by French-speaking musicians, dancers, and comedians
- Interactive cultural workshops (such as French food tastings and cultural presentations)
- Breakfast, lunch, and an afternoon snack — all included

This event helps students build confidence speaking French in a real-world setting and deepens their understanding of Francophone cultures. It is also a valuable experience to include on college applications and can inspire future travel, exchange programs, or study abroad opportunities. Because the event is hosted at the **University of Chicago**, students will also get a chance to experience a college campus environment.

Teachers from participating schools will also attend, so students will have familiar adults there while meeting new friends who are also studying French.

Registration and full event details are available here:

[Insert Registration Link]

If you have any questions, please contact your student's French teacher.

Merci,

[Teacher Name / School Name]