

World Language and Cultures

Course Name: French 2

Course Number: WLC 5010

Brief Course Overview

French 2 : The level II course is designed to develop more confident speakers of the modern languages who can manipulate increasingly more complex grammatical structures in their speech. French 2 reviews most grammar structures seen in the prior year of study as well as extends vocabulary and introduces more extensive grammatical structures. While grammar is taught, the principle goal is for students to communicate in the target language. Cultural components are presented in the target language with emphasis placed on longer readings (newspaper articles and short literary works) than in Level I. Structured learning activities will provide specific steps to guide the student to meet desired objectives. French is taught in the target language. Students will leave French 2 with a strong understanding of the nuances of French pronunciation and a strong understanding of French and francophone cultures.

Main Topics of Study

- Ma famille et mes copains
 - ◆ Review: être and avoir, adjective agreement, ER, IR, RE Verbs and verbs like dormir
 - ◆ Describing people
 - ◆ After school activities
 - ◆ Review futur proche and passé récent
 - ◆ Le monde francophone - Paris
- On fait la fête
 - ◆ Celebrations
 - ◆ The verb offrir
 - ◆ Direct object pronouns and indirect object pronouns
 - ◆ Review passé composé
 - ◆ Musician Project
 - ◆ Movie les Choristes
- Le Quebec
 - ◆ Quebec City
 - ◆ Watch la Grande Séduction
- Faisons les courses
 - ◆ Fruits, vegetables and cooking
 - ◆ Question formation
 - ◆ Pronouns y and en
 - ◆ Placement of object pronouns

- ◆ Food project
- Au lycée
 - ◆ School places and events
 - ◆ Suivre and ouvrir
- Une journée typique
 - ◆ Reflexive verbs
 - ◆ Morning routine
 - ◆ Project on daily routine
- Le bon vieux temps
 - ◆ Childhood activities
 - ◆ Imparfait and passé composé

What are the Enduring Understandings of the course?

Students will be able to:

- write invitations
- express emotions
- Use direct and indirect object pronouns
- make comparisons
- express what happened in the past using passé composé and beginning imparfait tense
- Use reflexive verbs
- give orders
- express concern, astonishment and disbelief
- describe daily routines
- express need and necessity

Prerequisites :

90% for two trimesters in Middle School French 1B or in French 1 and teacher recommendation.

Other:

Course Length:	Year	Included in NBPS GPA?	Yes
Meets NBPS Graduation Requirement?	World Language	NCAA Core Class ?	Yes
Included in Bright Futures GPA calculation?	Yes	State University Core Class?	Yes