

Syllabus

FRN 204 French VI

General Information

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Course Prefix

FRN

Course Number

204

Course Title

French VI

Course Information

Credit Hours

3

Lecture Contact Hours

3

Lab Contact Hours

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Catalog Description

FRN 204 further develops French speaking, listening, reading, and writing skills at the advanced intermediate level. The course includes continuing study of representative literary works of the French-speaking world and a review of key and complex grammatical structures to support increased focus on reading and composition. Deepening awareness of cultural themes will be reinforced by a variety of activities designed to enhance and stimulate speaking skills.

Key Assessment

This course does not contain a Key Assessment for any programs

Prerequisites

FRN 203 or an equivalent skill level in the language as recommended by the World Languages @ FLCC Language Placement Guide

Co-requisites

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None

Grading Scheme

Letter

First Year Experience/Capstone Designation

This course DOES NOT satisfy the outcomes applicable for status as a FYE or Capstone.

SUNY General Education

This course is designated as satisfying a requirement in the following SUNY Gen Ed category

Foreign Language

FLCC Values

Institutional Learning Outcomes Addressed by the Course

Vitality

Inquiry

Perseverance

Interconnectedness

Course Learning Outcomes

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- 1. Students will communicate orally in a variety of social settings at a second semester advanced intermediate level.
- 2. Students will demonstrate aural comprehension in a variety of settings through appropriate response at a second semester advanced intermediate level.
- 3. Students will craft written text for a variety of practical purposes at a second semester advanced intermediate level.
- 4. Students will read and interpret text of varying types, lengths, and purposes at a second semester advanced intermediate level.
- 5. Students will identify both salient and more nuanced components of the target language culture at a second semester advanced intermediate level. Students will also demonstrate conscious understanding of significant cultural differences by using cultural knowledge at a second semester advanced intermediate level to conform linguistically and behaviorally in many social and work-related interactions.

Outline of Topics Covered

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1. Grammar

- a. Nouns
- b. Adjectives
 - i. Adjective agreement
 - ii. Adjective placement
- c. Verb conjugation
- d. Adverbs
- e. Reflexive and reciprocal verbs
- f. Negation
- g. Asking questions
 - i. Yes/No
 - ii. Interrogatives
 - iii. Inversion
- h. Imperatives (commands)
- i. Object pronouns
 - i. Direct object pronouns
 - ii. Indirect object pronouns
 - iii. Double object pronouns
 - iv. Commands with object pronouns
- j. Expressing duration of time
- 2. Verb tenses and moods
 - a. Present tense
 - i. Regular verbs
 - ii. Irregular verbs
 - b. Present indicative tense and future events
 - C. Present continuous: "ÊTRE EN TRAIN DE" + infinitive
 - d. Near future tense
 - e. Recent past: "VENIR DE" + infinitive
 - f. Passé composé (Past tense)
 - i. With "AVOIR"
 - ii. With "ÊTRE"
 - g. Imperfect past tense

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- i. Regular verbs
- ii. Irregular verbs
- h. Preterite past tense vs. Imperfect past tense
- i. Future tense
 - i. Regular verbs
 - ii. Irregular verbs
- j. Conditional mood
 - i. Regular verbs
 - ii. Irregular verbs
- k. Perfect tenses
 - i. Future perfect
 - ii. Past perfect (Pluperfect)
- I. Past conditional mood
- m. Present subjunctive mood
- n. Past subjunctive mood
- 3. Vocabulary
 - a. Common regular verbs
 - b. Common irregular verbs
 - C. Common reflexive verbs
 - d. Common reciprocal verbs
- 4. Culture
 - a. Authentic literature excerpts from the Francophone world
 - b. Cultural values and practices in the French-speaking world
 - ^{C.} Current events in the French-speaking world
 - d. Social and environmental issues in the French-speaking world
 - e. Social phenomena in the French-speaking world

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