FREN 2 Course Outline as of Summer 2022

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: FREN 2 Title: ELEMENTARY FRENCH-2 Full Title: Elementary French-Part 2 Last Reviewed: 11/25/2019

Units		Course Hours per Week		Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours Total	
Maximum	4.00	Lecture Scheduled	4.00	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	70.00
Minimum	4.00	Lab Scheduled	0	6	Lab Scheduled	0
		Contact DHR	0		Contact DHR	0
		Contact Total	4.00		Contact Total	70.00
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 140.00

Total Student Learning Hours: 210.00

Title 5 Category:	AA Degree Applicable
Grading:	Grade or P/NP
Repeatability:	00 - Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP
Also Listed As:	
Formerly:	

Catalog Description:

Elementary listening, speaking, reading, and writing in French. Exploration of France and French-speaking cultures worldwide. Continuation and expansion of French 1.

Prerequisites/Corequisites: FREN 1 or two years of high school French

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 1A or equivalent or equivalent

Limits on Enrollment:

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ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:

AS Degree: CSU GE:	Area E Transfer Area C2	Humanities Humanities		Effective: Fall 1981 Effective: Fall 1981	Inactive: Inactive:
IGETC:	Transfer Area 3B 6A	Humanities	er Than English	Effective: Fall 1981	Inactive:
CSU Transfer	: Transferable	Effective:	Fall 1981	Inactive:	
UC Transfer:	Transferable	Effective:	Fall 1981	Inactive:	

CID:

Certificate/Major Applicable:

Major Applicable Course

COURSE CONTENT

Student Learning Outcomes:

At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:

1. Speak, ask, answer, read, and comprehend French at moderate speed regarding most everyday topics.

- 2. Conduct a simple conversation about every day topics in French.
- 3. Describe in simple French basic facts of current life, past experience, and basic cultural information regarding the French speaking world.
- 4. Follow and give directions in French.

Objectives:

At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:

- 1. Use and demonstrate comprehension of others' use of French vocabulary related to most common personal and commercial topics.
- 2. Formulate questions and declarative sentences and improvise brief paragraph length statements on the most common topics, all in French.
- 3. Read and react in French to simplified passages on a range of cultural topics.
- 4. Write what the student can say in French.
- 5. Correctly pronounce all French words that follow the regular phonological patterns and most that do not.
- 6. Control with relative ease the following: subject, object and disjunctive pronouns, present, past, imperfect and future tenses of all regular and most common irregular verbs.
- 7. Identify the future and conditional of irregular and most irregular verbs.
- 8. Produce compound and complex sentences involving the most common conjunctions.
- 9. Demonstrate comprehension of the main idea when listening to French spoken carefully.
- 10. Discuss aspects of French-speaking cultures.

Topics and Scope:

- I. French vocabulary related to common personal and societal topics
- II. French conversational formulas and the most common idioms
- III. Improvising paragraph-length personal statements
- IV. Reading and analyzing readings in French
- V. Grammatical terminology
- VI. Complexities of French sentence construction and its difference from English syntax
- VII. Creating sentences containing more than one verb tense
- VIII. Listening to French spoken at a natural speed
- IX. French cultural aspects contrasted to American culture
- X. History and culture of French-speaking countries around the world

Assignment:

- 1. Read and study lesson(s) from the textbook (averaging 15 pages per week)
- 2. Memorize vocabulary and verb conjugations (averaging 75 words per week)
- 3. Exercises in textbook and workbook (averaging 10 exercises per week)
- 4. Bi-weekly quizzes and tests
- 5. Written compositions
- 6. Oral participation, group activities and projects
- 7. Final exam

Online Assignments:

- 1. Complete online exercises (2 hours per week)
- 2. View and interpret text-integrated video programs in French (1 hour per week)

Methods of Evaluation/Basis of Grade:

Writing: Assessment tools that demonstrate writing skills and/or require students to select, organize and explain ideas in writing.

Written homework, Exercise workbook, Compositions

Problem Solving: Assessment tools, other than exams, that demonstrate competence in computational or non-computational problem solving skills.

Group activities, projects

Skill Demonstrations: All skill-based and physical demonstrations used for assessment purposes including skill performance exams.

In-class oral participation

Exams: All forms of formal testing, other than skill performance exams.

Quizzes, Tests, and Final Exam

Writing 10 - 20%

Problem solving 10 - 20%

Skill Demonstrations 20 - 30%



Online assignments

Other Category 5 - 20%

Representative Textbooks and Materials:

Promenades. 3rd ed. Mitschke, Cherie and Tano, Cheryl. Vista Higher Learning. 2018 Instructor prepared materials