

FRENCH 10-9Y (5 Credits)

Prerequisite: French 9

This course is designed for you if you have elementary and junior high background in French. You will engage in various language activities in structured contexts to develop fundamental written and oral skills. Knowledge of the concepts presented in grades 4 to 9 will be further enhanced. Emphasis is on vocabulary building and accurate usage of the present and past tenses, as well as an introduction to the direct object pronouns. Topics of study include activities, shopping, vacations, and fine arts.

FRENCH 20-9Y (5 Credits)

Prerequisite: French 10-9y

You will continue to use a multidimensional approach to develop your knowledge of French vocabulary, grammar, and culture. Engaging in grade level specific language activities in structured contexts will allow you to develop more advanced written and oral skills. Themes include the world of work, fads and fashions, close friends, and conservation and the environment. You will study the following linguistic elements: direct and indirect object pronouns, emphatic pronouns, the imparfait and the distinction between the passe compose and the imparfait, comparisons, and relative pronouns.

French 30-9y (5 credits)

Prerequisite: French 20-9y or completion of Grade 10 if Junior High French Immersion Program completed.

You will continue to develop the four language skills. Oral and written communication advances from quite-structured to less-structured situations. You will master more complex verb tenses and other grammar elements, and enjoy cultural themes. The principal units include childhood, media, senses and feelings, and travel and tourism. Grammar introduced at this level comprises simple future and present conditional tenses, the past tense with infinitives, direct and indirect object pronouns with all tenses, y and en, and all types of agreement of the past participle. French 30 could be used as one requirement for university admission and/or for scholarship opportunities.