



Year 13 French FRE333 2009

AIMS: Personal Independence

- extend to an advanced level the skills of listening, reading, speaking and writing
- further develop the student's appreciation of French life and culture and that of French-speaking countries
- provide a foundation for further study of the French language and culture.

Students will be able to apply previous knowledge in a more generalised way and in a wider range of situations.

The **LEARNING OUTCOMES** relate to the four skills of listening, speaking, reading and writing.

LISTENING AND READING:

understand much of what is spoken or written by other speakers of French about a wide range of topics; distinguish between facts, opinions, and hypotheses and recognise intentions to persuade and influence in different contexts.

SPEAKING:

initiate and sustain conversations;
give talks on a wide range of topics in a wide range of contexts;
use appropriate pronunciation, intonation, rhythm and stress;
use language to entertain and persuade as well as inform.

WRITING:

use resources (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries) to experiment with new language and review their writing for accuracy;
write about a range of topics, selecting words and expressions that are appropriate for their purpose and intended audience;
use language to entertain and persuade as well as inform.

CULTURAL ASPECTS:

Gain a deeper knowledge of, and insight into the cultural life of French-speaking people. These aspects will be integrated into the language programme and will be determined by the interests of the students and teacher and the material available.

Course Content

Environmental issues. Getting a job. A region of France. The creative arts. France/New Zealand. Social cohesion in France. Media.

Scholarship

The Scholarship examination (external) will involve extra work out of normal class time. The examination is based on the same curriculum material as French Level 3, but the examination is very different.

Outcome description

The scholarship student in French will respond in speech and writing in French to complex written and spoken stimulus material in French.

Appeals

Any queries about an assessment decision should be made to your class teacher when the assessment is handed back. Any formal appeals should be made, within one week of the assessed work being returned to the HoD Languages, Mrs. Gray, who will investigate it further or by the Principal's Nominee, Mrs Butler. Work done in pencil or which has 'white-out' corrections cannot be reconsidered for appeals. *Appeals need to be made within one school week of receiving a result.*

Assessment Details

Standard Number and version	Title	No of Credits	Assessment Type	Timing
AS90559 V2	Give a prepared speech in French using complex language	3	Speaking: Internal	Term 3, week 8 2-3 minutes
AS90563 V2	Write crafted text in French, using complex language, with the support of resources	3	Writing: Internal	Term 4, week 2,3 3 periods
AS90558 V2	Listen to and understand complex spoken French in less familiar contexts	6	Listening: External	50 minutes
AS90561 V2	Read and understand written French, containing complex language, in less familiar contexts	6	Reading: External	60 minutes
AS90562 V2	Write text in French using complex language on a less familiar topic	3	Writing: External	60 minutes

Further assessment opportunities

There will be an opportunity for reassessment for AS 90559 on a different topic later in the year. There will be *no further assessment opportunities* for AS 90563. Where a reassessment opportunity is offered it will be available to all eligible students regardless of the level of achievement in the first assessment.

Assessment Record Sheet

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