

**ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL
COURSE OUTLINE**



Name of Course/Course Code: Grade 9 Academic Core French, FSF1D

Course Prerequisite: Minimum of 600 hours of French instruction, or equivalent

Course Description: This course provides opportunities for students to communicate and interact in French with increasing independence, with a focus on familiar topics related to their daily lives. Students will develop their skills in listening, speaking, reading, and writing by using language learning strategies introduced in the elementary Core French program, and will apply creative and critical thinking skills in various ways. They will also enhance their understanding and appreciation of diverse French-speaking communities, and will develop skills necessary for lifelong language learning.

Catholic Graduate Expectations: The French Immersion Program fosters an appreciation of cultures and creates meaningful communication as students learn the structure and functioning of language. The study of language provides abundant opportunities for future career and educational planning. In this way, students become responsible citizens, respectful of the Catholic teaching. This program enables students to develop holistic and analytical thinking skills, sensitivity to other cultures and peoples and critical awareness of one's own culture in light of the Gospel values.

Units of Study

Unit 1	Moi-même.com
Unit 2	Cris et frissons
Unit 3	Les grands monsters
Unit 4	Sur la piste de la tomate carrée
Unit 5	Aventure en tempomobile
Unit 6	Soirée des étoiles
Unit 7	Canal animal

Evaluation

70%	30%
Knowledge/Understanding	Culminating Task and Exam
Thinking/Inquiry	
Communication	
Application	

Course Resources Required:

- Sans frontieres. Addison-Wesley/Pearson. Toronto. 2000

For a detailed course description of this course, please visit
<https://www.edu.gov.on.ca/eng/curriculum/secondary/subjects.htm>