



Rangi Ruru
Girls' School

Level 2 French



Course Outline 2022

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Achievement Objectives

Students will demonstrate their ability, against the background of French culture to:

- Comprehend detail and summarise meaning in spoken and written French.
- Initiate and maintain a conversation that may have some unpredictable content.
- Write extended passages, presenting ideas and information logically and demonstrating their expanding knowledge of French vocabulary and language features.

Course of Study

By the end of this course students should have an understanding of and ability to use all the communication functions up to the end of Level 7 French in the New Zealand Curriculum.

A list of the Level 2 NCEA vocabulary and grammar structures is available in the NCEA Level 2 Renash guide.

The Content

The themes studied this year are:

- La mode et l'image
- La musique
- Le sport
- La santé et le bien-être
- Les vacances
- La famille et les relations personnelles

The main resources will be provided in class during the course of each topic. Other resources, including online resources, will be used as appropriate. The two internal assessments (spoken presentation and writing portfolios) will be based on these resources.

Study Hints for Level 2 French

- Keep your folder (or digital notes) well-organised (using subject dividers) and up-to-date.
- Complete all writing tasks/assignments on time and file these in your Writing Portfolio folder on Teams.
- Learn vocabulary, structures and grammar rules regularly. Make study cards and notes throughout the course and refer back to them regularly. You will usually have a weekly test. We will use the Language Perfect and in class written vocabulary assessments.
- Be methodical and conscientious about learning vocabulary and grammar structures (especially Level 7).
- Regularly work on improving your spoken language. Practise conversations in and out of class (eg on your phone, Skype etc). Use spoken French as much as possible!

Level 2 French Curriculum Level Eight Proficiency Descriptor

Students can use language variably and effectively to express and justify their own ideas and opinions and support or challenge those of others. They are able to use and identify the linguistic and cultural forms that guide interpretation and enable them to respond critically to texts.

Communication

In selected linguistic and sociocultural contexts, students will:

Selecting and using language, symbols and texts to communicate

- Communicate information, ideas, and opinions through increasingly complex and varied texts.

Managing self and relating to others

- Explore the views of others, developing and sharing personal perspectives.

Participating and contributing in communities

- Engage in sustained interaction and produce extended text.

Language Knowledge

Students will:

- Analyse ways in which the target language is organised in different texts and for different purposes.
- Explore how linguistic meaning is conveyed across languages.

Cultural Knowledge

Students will:

- Analyse ways in which the target culture(s) is (are) organised for different purposes and for different audiences.
- Analyse how the use of the target language expresses cultural meanings.

Languages Skills and Dispositions 2022

Well-rounded	Prepared to give things a go. Demonstrates varied skills, capabilities and knowledge
Empathy	Being able to understand the thoughts, feelings and emotions of others. Put empathy into action by understanding and supporting others
Compassion	Able to recognize the suffering of others and then take action to help.
Connectedness	A sense of belonging; being part of something and having affinity with a particularly person or group.

NCEA Assessment 202 - Level Two

There will be **4** different assessment tasks for which you can gain a total of **20 credits**.

Here is an overview of the standards.

91118	2.1	3	Listening	External	5	N/A
91120	2.2	2	Speaking (Spoken presentation)	Internal	5	N/A
91121	2.4	3	Reading	External	5	N/A
91122	2.5	2	Writing	Internal	5	N/A

The **internally** assessed tasks are:

Speaking	Writing
5 Credits	5 Credits
<p>AS 91120 Version 2 2.2 Spoken Presentation</p> <p>Give a spoken presentation in French that communicates information, ideas and opinions</p>	<p>AS 91122 Version 2 2.5 Writing Portfolio</p> <p>Write a variety of text types in French to convey information, ideas and opinions in genuine contexts.</p>

The **externally** assessed tasks are:

Listening	Reading
5 Credits	5 Credits
<p>AS 91118 Version 3 2.1</p> <p>Demonstrate understanding of a variety of spoken French texts on familiar matters.</p>	<p>AS 91121 Version 3 2.4</p> <p>Demonstrate understanding of a variety of written and/or visual French text(s) on familiar matters.</p>

Spoken Presentation (2.2)

- You will give a spoken presentation in French that communicates information, ideas and opinions
- If you do not achieve this standard, you may be given a second assessment opportunity on a different topic.
- You will be allowed to refer to cue cards for this assessment, but you must not just “read” from the cards. You should speak for between two and three minutes.
- You will create a folder in the Year 12 French Team page to store your recording. It is your responsibility to manage this and to ensure that on completion of your recording you ask your teacher for feedback.

Writing Portfolio (2.5)

- Your writing portfolio is to be compiled during the year and will show that you are able to write a variety of text types.
- You will submit your final selection of at least 2 texts (totalling a minimum of 400 words) by the end of Week 9, Term 3.
- You will create a page in your French Team to store your texts. It is your responsibility to manage this and to ensure that on completion of each text you ask your teacher for feedback.

The External Achievement Standards will be assessed in the NZQA examination in November/December.

Topic Tests and the end of year school examinations will serve as formative tests to check on student progress and to identify learning needs. There will also be regular testing of vocabulary and grammar.

Signing Off

After each assessment you will be able to look through your work. If you agree that the mark is accurate, you will sign the acceptance form.

Storage of Student Work

Both Achievement Standards 2.2 and 2.5 will be recorded and/or stored in your Team pages.

Course Completion Requirements

You must attend class regularly and be present at all assessments. It is essential that students who miss an NCEA Assessment follow the correct procedure.

Please refer to Rangī Life for information on assessment policy, authenticity, appeals etc.

Level 2 French - Student Record Sheet

Language _____

Name _____

Class: _____

Internal Achievement Standards

Achievement Standard	Credits	Summative/Final
2.2 Spoken Presentation	5	
2.5 Writing Portfolio	5	

External Achievement Standards

Achievement Standard	Credits	Formative Assessment	
		Test 1	School Exam
2.1 Listening	5		
2.4 Reading	5		

Formative assessments are used to show progress.

They are not the final result.

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Year Plan 2012

Term 1

Theme 1 – La mode et l'image	Weeks 1 – 4
Theme 2 – La musique	Weeks 5 – 8
Theme 3 – Le sport	Weeks 9 – 10

Term 2

Theme 1 – La santé et le bien-être	Weeks 1 – 3
Theme 2 – Les vacances	Weeks 4 – 7
Theme 3 – En famille	Weeks 8 – 10

Term 3

Theme 1 – Bons copains	Weeks 1 – 4
Theme 2 – Entre nous	Weeks 6 – 9

Term 4

Revision and final task selection for portfolios	Weeks 1 – 2
Revision in preparation for External Examinations	Weeks 3 - 4