

FRANCAIS 105
Introductory French II
Fall 2013

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Office Hours: Wednesday 8:00-10:00, Thursday 1:00- 3:00, and by appointment.

I encourage you to make use of my **office hours** if you need any help. If you cannot come during my official hours, feel free to stop by at other times, e-mail me or call the office.

Required Materials:

Horizons. Fifth Edition, 2012. Manley, Smith, McMinn and Prévost.

-Texte

-Cahier d'activités écrites et orales

-Audio CDs

- DVD – *Les Stagiaires* - Fifth Edition – not for purchase by students

Please note: The text, workbook and cds are REQUIRED. Students missing any of these materials should not take the course.

Course Objectives:

-To continue to develop facility with the French language in all four skill areas of writing, reading, listening and speaking

-To become familiarized with aspects of Francophone culture, specifically in Louisiana, Normandy, and especially Paris.

- To watch and discuss French film *Paris, Je t'aime*, especially as it relates to our program

- To watch and discuss French film *Joyeux Noel*

Grade Breakdown:

- Exams (3)	35%
- MiniQuizes (4/5)	20%
-Attendance and Participation	10%
-Homework	20%
-Final Exam	15%

Course Academic Honor Policy: When preparing for graded assessments (miniquizes, exams) you are prohibited from *studying from work done by other students in this or previous semesters*. You may collaborate on all homework assignments except for the *Journal* sections of the workbook. Collaboration consists of mutual assistance, not copying. Use of electronic translation services for anything other than single word inquiries is prohibited. Any of these actions could be plagiarism and will result in a sanction commensurate with the violation. If I suspect a student has used a translation device I will ask the student to rewrite the assignment in my presence with approved tools only. If you are ever unsure about how you are using an electronic source, you should discuss the situation with the professor. You may consult the *Student Handbook* for a full description of Moravian's *Academic Honesty Policy*.

Course Policies:

- There are **no make-ups for Exams** except in the most serious of situations which I will evaluate on a case by case basis. **Contact me** by phone or by e-mail **BEFORE the test** to inform me of the reasons for your absence. Please note that the oral section of each exam is done first. **If a late arrival results in missing any part of this section, that part cannot be redone.**
- There are **no make-ups for MiniQuizes**. (The lowest grade—or one missed quiz—is dropped.)
- I fully expect all students **to attend class and to participate in work done in class**. To emphasize the importance of attendance and participation I have allotted 10% of the final grade to this aspect of the course. In order to participate well **homework assignments must be completed carefully before coming to class, even after an absence**. This work, including lab activities, constitutes 20% of the final grade.) Please note that **homework submitted late, regardless of the reason, will be corrected but not graded**. A small percentage of the homework grades will be dropped. Students can expect to prepare for between 6-10 hours per week outside of class.

E-mail or phone number of two classmates to contact for work in case of absence:

Name: _____ Contact info: _____
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- Absences are counted, regardless of the reason for them or of your presentation of a doctor's note. Please inform me (or the *Office of Learning Services*) if you have a chronic health problem which may result in repeated absences. **Your final attendance grade (5 points) is computed as follows:** 0-1 absence = - 0 // 2 absences = - 1 // 3 absences = - 2 // 4 absences = - 3 // 5 absences = - 4 // 6 absences = - 5. Please note your participation grade (10%) and homework grade (15%) will likely also be adversely affected by excessive absenteeism.
- In order to have a **class-room environment** that is conducive to learning I ask that the following conditions be respected:
 - ◆ **Arrive in class on time** in order to begin work on time. Repeated late arrivals will be reflected in a lowered class participation grade. Late arrivals of more than 15 minutes will be counted as an absence.
 - ◆ **Plan to stay in class of the full 70 minutes without taking a break** to use the bathroom, check messages, and so forth. Leaving class, or walking around during class to sharpen pencils or throw out garbage, is disruptive; both should be avoided except for emergencies.
 - ◆ **Participate fully in class work**. Unsatisfactory classroom behavior, such as little or no verbal response, uncooperative interaction with others for group work and/or a disrespectful attitude will be reflected in a lowered class participation grade.
 - ◆ **Cell phones may not be used during class for any reason. A penalty of 5 points on an exam may be applied for noncompliance with this rule.**

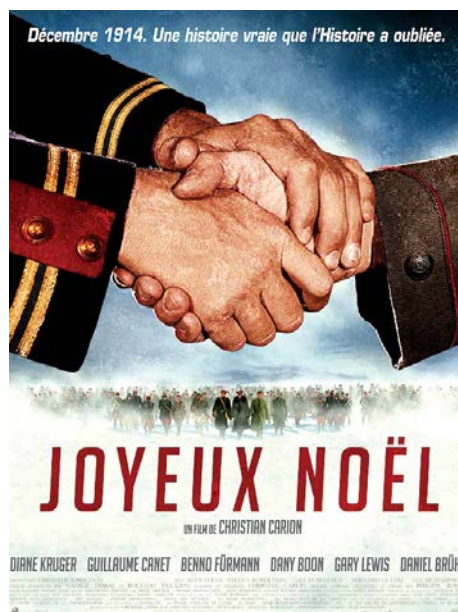
CALENDRIER

This calendar outline is subject to change. Significant changes will be made in writing. Please note that all assignments will be given in class. Work with the film “Paris, Je t’aime” will be incorporated into chapters 5 & 6; the final full-length film will be incorporated into chapter 7.

Aug	26	M	Introduction au cours / Chapitre 4 <i>En Amérique et en Louisiane</i>
	28	W	Compétence 1 “Ma famille”
	30	F	
Sept	2	M	congé
	4	W	Compétence 2 “Le temps libre”
	6	F	
	9	M	Compétence 3 “Le week-end prochain”
	11	W	
	13	F	Compétence 4 “Les moyens de transport”
	16	M	DVD - <i>Les Stagiaires</i>
	18	W	Examen
	20	F	Chapitre 5 <i>A Paris</i>
	23	M	Compétence 1 « Le week-end dernier »
	25	W	
	27	F	Compétence 2 « Je suis parti/e en voyage »
	30	M	
Oct	2	W	Compétence 3 « Le temps et les projets »
	4	F	

	7	M	Compétence 4 « Les vêtements »
	9	W	DVD – <i>Les Stagiaires</i>
	11	F	Examen
	14	M	congé
	16	W	Chapitre 6
	18	F	Compétence 1: « Les invitations »
	21	M	
	23	W	Compétence 2 « Aujourd’hui et dans le passé »
	25	F	
	28	M	Compétence 3 « Une sortie »
	30	W	
Nov	1	F	Compétence 4 « Les contes »
	4	M	
	6	W	DVD – <i>Les Stagiaires</i>
	8	F	Examen
	11	M	Chapitre 7 et <i>Joyeux Noel</i>
	13	W	Compétence 1 “La vie de tous les jours”
	15	F	

	18	M	Compétence 2 “La vie sentimentale”
	20	W	
	22	F	Compétence 3 “Les activités d’hier”
	25	M	
	27	W	congé de Thanksgiving
	29	F	congé de Thanksgiving
Dec	2	M	Compétence 4 “Le caractère”
	4	W	DVD - <i>Les Stagiaires</i>
	6	F	



IMPORTANT DATES

Final Day for Course Changes:	Tuesday, Sept. 3
Mid-term grades due:	Friday, Oct. 4
Registration for Spring:	Late October, early November
Last Day for Withdrawal with W:	Friday, Nov. 1
Final Exam Date:	Tuesday, Dec. 10: 1:30 a.m.

The Department sponsors **a tutoring program** which provides help to you free of charge. You will hear more about this during the early weeks of the semester.

Please note: Students with disabilities who believe that they may need accommodations in this class are encouraged to contact the Learning Services Office (X1510) as soon as possible to enhance the likelihood that such accommodations are implemented in a timely fashion.



Stay-tuned for announcements about activities of the French Club, organized by upper-class French students

Vous serez les bien venus aux activités du club