

## **EFFECTIVE: SEPTEMBER 2004** CURRICULUM GUIDELINES

A. Division: INSTRUCTIONAL

Effective Date:

September 2004

B. Department / D Program Area:

LANGUAGE, LITERATURE AND PERFORMING ARTS COMMUNICATIONS Revision

New Course

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If Revision, Section(s) Revi

<b>M:</b>	Course Objectives / Learning Outcomes
	The student will be expected to demonstrate proficiency in French (present tense only) at the basic level in:
	<ol> <li>Aural comprehension of simple discourse</li> <li>Reading comprehension of simplified texts</li> </ol>
	<ol> <li>Reading comprehension of simplified texts</li> <li>Speech delivery: extend greetings, express needs, ask questions and give replies</li> </ol>
	<ol> <li>Speech derivery: extend greenings, express needs, ask questions and give reprises</li> <li>Written expression: simple sentences and short dialogues</li> </ol>
	5. Understanding target cultures
N:	Course Content:
	1. Basic syntactic structures
	2. Basic lexicon
	3. The phonological system of French
	4. The culture of the Francophone world.
0:	Methods of Instruction
	The functional and communicative approach will be used.
	Classroom activities include: presentation of material by the instructor, practice in pairs, listening comprehension, audio-visual presentations, and conversation practice in small groups with a Native Language Assistant.
P:	Textbooks and Materials to be Purchased by Students
	Terrell, et al. Deux mondes: A Communicative Approach. 4 <sup>th</sup> edition. McGraw Hill.
	Terrell, et al. Deux mondes: A Communicative Approach. Cahier d'exercices.
	Cassettes to accompany the cahier d'exercices.
Q:	Means of Assessment

The evaluation system includes continuous testing to assess mastery at each step and a comprehensive final exam to assess proficiency at the end of the course.

Tests include listening, speaking, reading, writing and cultural knowledge.

**R:** Prior Learning Assessment and Recognition: specify whether course is open for PLAR

Yes, if student is registered in a higher level French course at Douglas College.