French as a Second Language Curriculum

■ Beginner Level (A1–A2)

Goal: Understand and use everyday expressions and simple sentences. Introduce oneself and interact in basic situations.

■ Unit 1: Bonjour! (Greetings & Introductions)

Vocabulary: Greetings, names, nationalities, classroom objects

Grammar: Definite/indefinite articles, present tense of être, subject pronouns

Activities: Role-plays, greeting games, self-intro videos

Assessment: Oral introduction, vocabulary quiz

■ Unit 2: Ma Famille et Moi

Vocabulary: Family members, numbers, basic adjectives

Grammar: Possessive adjectives (mon, ma, mes), gender agreement

Activities: Family tree, describing family members

Assessment: Write about family, short oral presentation

■ Unit 3: À l'école

Vocabulary: School subjects, time, days of the week Grammar: Avoir, telling time, question formation Activities: Schedule making, classroom dialogue Assessment: Create a school timetable in French

■ Unit 4: J'aime/J'adore – Hobbies & Likes

Vocabulary: Hobbies, sports, verbs like aimer, jouer, faire

Grammar: Regular -er verbs, negation (ne...pas)

Activities: Opinion polls, class survey

Assessment: Write a short paragraph about hobbies

■ Unit 5: En Ville

Vocabulary: Places in town, directions, transportation

Grammar: Aller, prepositions (à, au, à la)

Activities: Map games, direction-giving role plays

Assessment: Dialogue - asking for and giving directions

■ Intermediate Level (B1–B2)

Goal: Handle travel and daily conversations. Understand the main ideas of written and spoken French.

■ Unit 1: La Vie Quotidienne (Daily Life)

Vocabulary: Routines, chores, meals

Grammar: Reflexive verbs, passé composé with avoir/être

Activities: Daily routine diary, time capsules

Assessment: Oral presentation about a typical day

■ Unit 2: À Table!

Vocabulary: Food, meals, ordering in a restaurant Grammar: Partitive articles, imperative mood Activities: Cooking videos, restaurant role-play Assessment: Menu creation and ordering skit

■ Unit 3: Voyages & Vacances

Vocabulary: Travel destinations, packing, weather Grammar: Futur proche, expressions with il faut Activities: Travel blog post, mock travel agency Assessment: Plan and present a trip in French

■ Unit 4: La Santé

Vocabulary: Body parts, health problems, advice Grammar: Devoir, impersonal expressions Activities: Doctor/patient skits, wellness posters Assessment: Health brochure or dialogue

■ Unit 5: Le Monde Francophone

Vocabulary: Francophone countries, culture

Grammar: Review of past tenses

Activities: Country projects, cultural festivals

Assessment: Research and present a Francophone country

■ Advanced Level (C1–C2)

Goal: Express opinions, understand abstract topics, engage in fluent conversations, and produce formal writing.

■ Unit 1: Identité et Diversité

Vocabulary: Themes: Cultural identity, values, discrimination

Grammar: Subjunctive mood, relative pronouns **Activities:** Debates, interviews, opinion writing

Assessment: Write a personal essay

■ Unit 2: Médias et Technologie

Vocabulary: Themes: Social media, news, digital life

Grammar: Passive voice, indirect speech

Activities: News report, social media campaign **Assessment:** Create a blog or podcast in French

■ Unit 3: L'Environnement et l'Avenir

Vocabulary: Themes: Climate change, sustainability, future world

Grammar: Future and conditional tenses, si clauses **Activities:** Environmental proposals, debates **Assessment:** Write a persuasive letter or speech

■ Unit 4: L'Art et la Littérature

Vocabulary: Themes: French literature, film, visual art

Grammar: Advanced narrative tenses

Activities: Film analysis, poetry recitation, book clubs **Assessment:** Write a review or literary analysis

■ Unit 5: Préparer l'Avenir

Vocabulary: Themes: Education, work, goals **Grammar:** Hypothetical structures, formal writing **Activities:** CV writing, mock interviews, life planning

Assessment: Personal portfolio or project