



# LASALLE SECONDARY SCHOOL

## Course Outline FSF 1D

### Grade 9 Academic Core French

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**Google Classroom Code: x71q3l**

### 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. They 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. (The Ontario Curriculum, Ministry of Education)

### CLASS REQUIREMENT

**\*\*\*One set of inexpensive ear phones or ear buds to be kept in class.\*\*\***

### LEARNING SKILLS

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|-------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Responsibility | 2. Independent Work | 3. Initiative      |
| 4. Organization   | 5. Collaboration    | 6. Self-Regulation |

### STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES

- Be punctual and ready with your materials for class.
- Complete and hand in all assignments and homework on time.
- Upon missing a class, it is the student's responsibility to make up missed work. If a student is absent during an evaluation, it must be made up during a lunch period. Students will not have the chance to make up evaluations during class time.

### ASSESSMENT AND EVALUATION:

Achievement Chart Category	Weighting
K Knowledge	25%
T Thinking	25%
C Communication	25%
A Application	25%

### ASSESSMENT STRATEGIES:

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|--------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| * oral and listening tests     | * open-book tests    | * cultural assignments |
| * student portfolios           | * group assignments  | * unit projects        |
| * short compositions           | * oral presentations | * conversations        |
| * dialogues and dramatizations |                      |                        |

### FINAL GRADE:

1. Term Work 70%
2. Final exams 30% ((Written exam 10%, oral exam 10%, listening exam 10%)

### WRITTEN EXAM RECOMMENDATIONS:

Students can earn the recommendation to not write the final written exam if the following two conditions are met:

1. Student has earned an average mark of 75% or higher on her or his term work.
2. Student has missed fewer than 10 classes AND been late fewer than 10 times throughout the semester.