

Sydney Academy
Communication Plan/ Course Outline 2010

Teacher: Mme. H. Pierre

Course: French IB 11

Course Description:

Students in French IB 11 should be able to communicate at a more advanced level. The reading program includes both current topics and literary selections. This course is designed to facilitate the acquisition of French communication skills in the areas of speaking, reading, writing, and listening at a more advanced level. A strong emphasis is placed on oral and written communication, and French is the operative language in the classroom.

Students absent from class, for any reason are **still held responsible** for the work missed during that time. Regular, on time attendance is not only encouraged but is essential to student's success. Our school has an automated dialer program, which sends a phone message that a student has missed a class. As well, regular phone calls will be made if a student has continuous unexcused absences.

It is important to note that as a school policy, there will be no make-up tests or assignments due to unexcused absences. Students who miss assessment practices due to an unexcused absence will be given a mark of zero. All work that students are responsible for submitting will be posted on the homework website.

Student Expectations:

- Students will participate in all activities such as discussion, group work and presentations.
- Students will respect deadlines and due dates. **
- Students will be quiet and attentive during instruction and/or presentations.
- Students will seek extra help when necessary.

****IF YOU ARE GOING TO MISS A FRENCH CLASS, PROJECTS/ASSIGNMENTS ARE STILL DUE UNLESS PRIOR ARRANGEMENTS ARE MADE WITH ME. THEY CAN BE PASSED IN VIA EMAIL OR VIA A CLASSMATE. LATE ASSIGNMENTS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

Student Assessment:

Participation	Written Assignments	Homework/classwork
Individual/group projects	Oral Presentations	Tests/final exam

Evaluation: Students will be evaluated on the following for their final mark

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Comprehensive Test | 20% |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Unit Tests/Projects/Assignments/Presentations | 50% |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Final Exam | 30% |

Students and Parent/Guardians should note that a progress report will be sent home in April. The first scheduled parent teacher meetings are for April 22 and 23.

If you have any additional questions or comments, please feel free to contact me at Sydney Academy at 562-5464 or via email at hlblanc5@staff.ednet.ns.ca