

Canterbury High School

Ottawa-Carleton District School Board

Languages Department

Semester I – 2010 / 2011 – Course Outline

Course Title: Grade 10 Extended French Academic
Course Code: FEF 2D
Prerequisite: Extended French, Grade 9 Academic

Grade Level: 10
Credit Value: 1.0

Teachers: Mme Adams et M. Laplante

Course Overview: 110 hours

This course emphasizes the continued development and refinement of students' oral communication, reading, and writing skills as they explore a variety of themes. Students will expand their knowledge and appreciation of francophone culture through the study and interpretation of novels, poems, and plays intended for a French-speaking audience.

Oral Communication

Overall Expectations

By the end of this course, students will:

- listen and respond to a broad range of spoken texts intended for a French-speaking audience;
- express ideas and opinions arising from class discussions, individual research, and personal interests;
- understand extended dialogues or other spoken texts (e.g., news reports) from various French-speaking regions;
- use appropriate language conventions during oral communication activities.

Reading

Overall Expectations

By the end of this course, students will:

- read and demonstrate an understanding of a variety of materials intended for a French-speaking audience;
- read a variety of authentic texts and apply their interpretations to relevant, everyday situations;

- read literary works and other authentic texts to acquire an understanding of the cultures of French-speaking people in Canada and the world;
- identify and understand language conventions used in their reading materials.

Writing

Overall Expectations

By the end of this course, students will:

- create texts based on class discussions, individual research, or topics of personal interest;
- communicate ideas and opinions, using a variety of written forms;
- identify and use appropriate language conventions in their written work.

**In this course, each strand will be covered through units of study.
The units of study are:**

1 – Le débat

2 – La poésie

3 – Le roman (L'Alchimiste)

4 – La lettre (personnelle et officielle) et la dissertation

5 – L'art oratoire

La grammaire sera intégrée à l'intérieur de chaque unité.

Teaching Strategies

teacher demonstrations
student-teacher conferencing
written assignments
reader's theatre

small group work
multimedia
peer evaluations
four corners activity

Assessment and Evaluation Strategies

written tests
oral presentation
listening comprehension
homework checks and quizzes
summative assignment
film analysis

rubrics
group presentations
discussion
research projects
exam

Evaluation Summary

Knowledge and Understanding	21%
Thinking, Inquiry	14%
Communication	17.5%
Application	17.5%
Summative Evaluation	10%
Final Examination	20%

Please refer to the achievement chart for French as a Second Language in the ministry curriculum documents for more information.

References

<http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/eng/curriculum/secondary/fs1910curr.txt>

Student Resources / Texts

French / English dictionary
Bescherelle
L'Alchimiste
Divers matériel audio-visuel.