



FRCH 202D: Français intermédiaire

*“A different language is a different vision of life. –Federico Fellini
“To have another language is to possess a second soul”. Charlemagne
“Those who know nothing of foreign languages know nothing of their own”. Goethe*



Heures de cours : lundi, mercredi, vendredi de 10h à 10h50

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Textbook: Cherie Mitschke, *Imaginez: Le français sans frontières* (Third Edition) with SuperSite access
Please note that if you purchase the book new it will include access to the SuperSite. If you purchase it used, you will have to pay extra for the supersite and this last option will cost you more money.

Course description: In this fourth-semester French course you will increase your language skills and your knowledge of francophone cultures by studying intermediate level French grammar and literary texts, as well as watching and discussing films and other visual media. In this class you will be listening, speaking, reading and writing in French.

Course Learning Outcomes: Intermediate Mid on the ACTFL proficiency scale.

This course fulfills the core requirement for Diversity core. It will provide you with ample opportunities to participate in discussions and dialogue so that you may actively engage in issues of diversity specific to various francophone countries and compare them to issues of diversity in your native country. In this class, you will examine the concept and meaning of difference, and the social, political, and economic issues that result from it. Moreover, you will develop sensitivity to *different cultural perspectives through your increased ability to engage peoples from other culture in their own language and on their own terms.*

Method of study:

1. Study of grammar: After class, you should study the grammar section of *Imaginez* that we have discussed in class. Review the grammar structures and the vocabulary before doing your assignments. On the following day, I will answer questions you may have on any of the material.

2. Study of culture/literature/film: On the days we plan to discuss a cultural text or film, you **must come to class prepared for discussion**. This means that prior to our class meeting, you should read the text or view the film at least 3 times, and write down your answers to the discussion questions.

3. Spend time viewing actively francophone movies, sites, etc. The following will provide you with opportunities to view short films, music clips, news and more:

<http://www.tv5.org/index.php> ; <http://www.tv5mondeplusafrique.com/#> ; <http://www.conte-moi.net/>

4. Expect to study at least 4 hours a week to keep up with the course material and to immerse yourself.

5. If you have any problems or questions with any aspect of this course, please come see me in my office (located in Gaines 118). My office hours are on Mondays 2pm-4pm and/or by appointment on Thursdays or any other days.

Your grade will be determined as follow:

- **Attendance & participation in French: 20%.** Active (high) participation and regular attendance is a requirement in this course. Please note that 2 unexcused (you may still let me know about it) absences are accepted. For any other absence, 2 points will be taken off towards your final attendance grade.
- Devoirs, rédactions : 25 %
- Présentation: 5%
- 4 contrôles: 40 %
- Examen final: 10 % (le 12 décembre de 8h00 à 9h50): **le**

12 décembre de 8h00 à 9h50

Semaine	Lundi	Mercredi	Vendredi
<u>28 août au 1er sept, 2017</u>	Introduction	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 1	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 1
<u>Du 4 au 8 septembre</u>	Jour férié	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 1	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 1
<u>Du 11 au 15 septembre</u>	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 1	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 1	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 1
<u>Du 18 au 22 septembre</u>	Contrôle # 1	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 2	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 2
<u>Du 25 au 29 septembre</u>	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 2	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 2	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 2
<u>Du 2 au 6 octobre</u>	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 2	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 2	Contrôle # 2
<u>Du 9 au 13 octobre</u>	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 3	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 3	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 3
<u>Du 16 au 20 octobre</u>	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 3	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 3	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 3
<u>Du 23 au 27 octobre</u>	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 3	Contrôle # 3	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 4
<u>Du 30/10 au 3 novembre</u>	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 4	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 4	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 4
<u>Du 6 au 10 novembre</u>	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 4	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 4	Jour férié
<u>Du 13 au 17 novembre</u>	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 4	Contrôle # 4	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 5
<u>Du 20 au 24 novembre</u>	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 5	Jour férié	Jour férié
<u>Du 27/11 au 1er décembre</u>	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 5	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 5	<i>Imaginez:</i> Chapitre 5
<u>Du 4 au 8 décembre</u> Examen final le 12/12/17	<i>Présentation des affiches</i>	<i>Présentation des affiches</i>	<i>Révision</i>



One language sets you in a corridor for life. Two languages open every door along the way.–F. Smith

