

Class Types

Foundation | Courses include grammar, vocabulary and practice! Once a week for 3 hours. Uses the Alter Ego + method. Cost: \$425 for 10 weeks (\$14/hr) + \$80 materials.

Intensive | Courses meet several times a week to cover foundation materials at a faster pace. Duration and prices vary.

Conversation | Classes improve your speaking skills. Once a week for 2 hours. Cost: \$315 for 10 weeks (\$15.60/hr), \$185 for 5 weeks (\$18.50/hr).

Review | Classes are ideal for brushing up after a break or consolidating points learned. Once a week for 2 hours. Cost: \$185 for 5 weeks (\$18.50/hr).

Workshops & Topics | Classes allow students to focus on specialized themes related to Francophone culture. Duration and prices vary.

Cooking Classes | Our classes are on summer break. Check in later in the year!



We ask that all students be members of our non-profit organization. The membership gives access to many privileges.

Withdrawal policy

Withdrawal requests must be submitted in writing to the Education Director two weeks before classes begin to receive a refund. A \$15 administrative fee will be deducted for all cancellations.

A tuition credit may be issued for withdrawals requested before the end of the second week of classes, for a maximum of 75% of tuition paid minus elapsed classes.

Membership, registration fees, and materials are nonrefundable. No credits, discounts or refunds for missed classes.

Save \$30

On adult 10-week classes when you register by June 2

New!

Payment plan for our 10-week intensive classes First half upfront followed by 1/4 and 1/4

Topics

French for travelers (A1.1)

Take this crash course if you have never studied French before. **June 18 to July 16:** Tues, 10 am to 12 pm **OR July 25 to Aug 22:** Thurs, 6 to 8 pm. Cost: \$185.

Exploring Rues des Boutiques Obscures with Denis (B2)

Follow Denis in the steps of a mysterious narrator in Patrick Modiano's *Rues des Boutiques Obscures*. As we read, explore maps and look at images of an ever changing landscape, you may lose yourself in one of the darker corners of Paris. **July 9 to 23:** Tues, 10 am to 12 pm **OR July 13 to 27:** Sat, 10 am to 12 pm. Level: Expert 1 and above. Cost: \$95. Level: Exp 1 and above.

Celebrating Balzac (B2)

Minneapolis' sister city, Tours, celebrates the 220th anniversary of Honoré de Balzac's birth there this year. Take a few weeks to (re)discover the French author, one of the founders of realism in European literature. Damien will introduce you to his work through *L'illustre Gaudissart*. **June 18 to July 2:** Tues, 1 to 3 pm. Level: Av 1 and above. Cost: \$95

La France en vacances! (A2)

Are you a *juilletiste* or an *aoûtien*? Learn about the history of summer vacation in France through elements of history and popular culture with Damien. **July 30 to Aug 13:** Tues, 1 to 3 pm Level: Int 1 and above. Cost: \$95

Découvrons l'Anjou (A2)

Anne-Sophie is a proud angevine! (an inhabitant of Angers). She will introduce students to her historical region, l'Anjou, this summer. Travel back to a time when this area was the center of royal dynasties with monarchs such as Eleanor of Aquitaine and Richard the Lionhearted and an array of castles and artwork. **June 17 to July 15:** Mon, 6 to 8 pm. Level: Int 1 and above. Cost: \$185.

Le cinéma: lecture de l'image (A2)

Learn to better appreciate elements of *l'art cinématographique*. Abdel, avid *cinéphile*, will help you put French terms to ideas through a variety of films. **July 27 to Aug 24:** Sat, 10 to 12 pm. Level: Beg 5 and above. Cost: \$185.

Transition to Intermediate (A2)

Review a few key points from our Beginner 5 class and get a sneak peek of what you'll learn in Intermediate 1! Practice in this three-week class before moving on. **August 3 to 17:** Sat, 10 am to 12 pm. Cost: \$95.

One-Day Workshops

Un Vendredi au marché (A2.1)

Bring your shopping list for fresh weekend meals! Join Anne-Sophie to learn how to navigate a market *en français*. Then head over the neighboring Minneapolis Farmer's Market to find what you need while you practice your French. **June 28:** Fri, 9 am to 12 pm. Level: Beg 3 and above. Cost: \$60

Le subjonctif et le conditionnel (B1)

Make sense of these seemingly complex tenses. You will leave the workshop speaking a little more like the pros! Intermediate 3 and above. **July 24:** Wed, 9 am to 2 pm **OR August 13:** Tues, 9 am to 12 pm. Cost: \$60.

Savoir-vivre (A2.1)

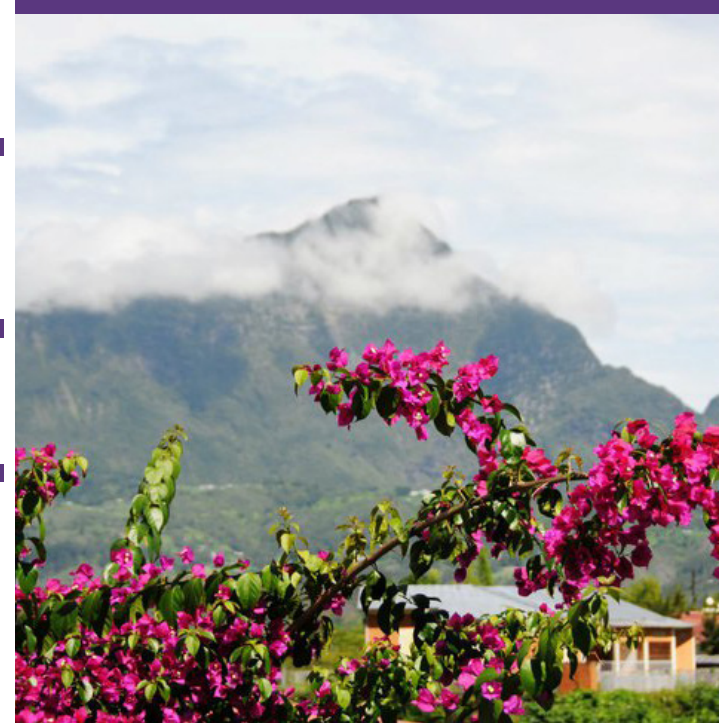
Learn the unwritten rules of etiquette and interaction with Anne-Sophie and never feel like an awkward American again! **July 29:** Mond, 6 to 9 pm. Level: Intermediate 1 and above. Cost: \$60



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Summer 2019 Adult Classes

Monday June 17 - Saturday August 24



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**TAKE A FREE
 PLACEMENT TEST**
 To find out your level!

Level A1

Introduction - Understand and use familiar everyday expressions and basic phrases. Learn introductions and how to ask simple questions.

Foundation

Beg 1: Thurs - 6 to 9 pm **OR**
Sat - 9 am to 12 pm

Beg 2: Tues - 6 to 9 pm **OR**
Fri - 9 am to 12 pm

Beg 3: Mon - 9 am to 12 pm **OR**
Wed - 6 to 9 pm

5-week

Beginner 1

July 22 to Aug 21

Mon & Wed - 6 to 9 pm

Beginner 2

June 17 to July 17

Mon & Wed - 6 to 9 pm

Intensive

5-week Beginner Intensive (A1)

11 hours/week. Cost: \$650
 July 22 to August 22

Mon/Tues/Thurs - 9 am to 12 pm
Wed - 10 am to 12 pm

10-week Beginner 1 to 5 (A1 - A2.1)

12 hours/week. Cost: \$1,300
 Tues to Fri - 9 am to 12 pm

OR
Mon to Thurs - 6 to 9 pm

Review

Beginning Review I: Beginner 1 to 2

June 17 to July 15
Mon - 10 am to 12 pm

July 23 to August 20
Tues - 6 to 8 pm

Level A2

Basic use - Communicate on everyday topics. Become comfortable with simple interactions in French!

Foundation

Beg 4: Mon - 6 to 9 pm **OR**
Sat - 9 am to 12 pm

Beg 5: Mon - 6 to 9 pm **OR**
Tues - 9 am to 12 pm

Int 1: Tues - 6 to 9 pm **OR**
Thurs - 9 to 12 pm

Int 2: Wed - 9 to 12 pm **OR**
Wed - 6 to 9 am

Int 3: Mon - 9 to 12 pm **OR**
Thurs - 9 to 12 pm

Intensive

5-week Adv Beg Intensive (A2.1)

11 hours/week. Cost: \$650
 June 17 to July 18

Mon/Tues/Thurs - 6 to 9 pm
Wed - 6 to 8 pm

10-week Int 1 to 4 (A2 - B1.1)

10 hours/week. Cost: \$1,100
Mon to Thurs - 6 to 8:30 pm

OR
Tues to Fri - 9 to 11:30 am

Level A2

Basic use - Communicate on everyday topics. Become comfortable with simple interactions in French!

Review

Beginning Review II: Beg 3 to 5

June 18 to July 16
Tues - 6 to 8 pm **OR**
 July 24 to Aug 21
Wed - 10 am to 12 pm

Int Review I: Int 1 to 2

June 20 to July 18
Thurs - 6 to 8 pm **OR**
 July 22 to Aug 19
Mon - 1 to 3 pm

Conversation

Beg Conversation (A2.1)

Tues - 10 am to 12 pm

Conversation 1 (A2.1)

Mon - 6 to 8 pm

5-week

Beg Conversation

July 25 to August 22

Thurs - 6 to 8 pm

Conversation 1

June 22 to July 20

Sat - 10 am to 12 pm

Level B1

Independent - Interact in familiar environments. Learn to handle most situations likely to arise travelling in a French-speaking country. Describe experiences and explain ideas.

Foundation

Int 4: Mon - 6 to 9 pm **OR**
Tues - 9 am to 12 pm

Av 1: Mon - 9 am to 12 pm

Av 2: Tues - 6 to 9 pm

Av 3: Wed - 6 to 9 pm

Av 4: Wed - 9 am to 12 pm

Av 5: Thurs - 6 to 9 pm

Review

Intermediate Review II Int 3 to 4 (B1)

June 18 to July 16
Tues - 1 to 3 pm **OR**
 July 22 to Aug 19
Mon - 6 to 8 pm

Advanced Review and Current Events (B1.2/B2)

June 19 to July 17
Wed - 10 am to 12 pm **OR**
 July 23 to Aug 20
Tues - 6 to 8 pm

Conversation

Conversation 2 (B1.1)

Tues - 6 to 8 pm

Conversation 3 (B2.1)

Wed - 6 to 8 pm

5-week

Conversation 2

July 22 to Aug 19

Mon - 10 am to 12 pm

Conversation 3

July 23 to Aug 20

Tues - 1 to 3 pm

Level B2

Advanced - Understand the main ideas of complex texts, produce clear and detailed explanations on a wide range of subjects. Interact with a degree of fluency and spontaneity.

Foundation

Exp 1: Mon - 9 am to 12 pm

Exp 3: Tues - 9 am to 12 pm

Exp 2: Thurs - 6 to 9 pm

Exp 4: Fri - 9 am to 12 pm

Level C1/C2

Proficient - Understand a wide range of longer texts and recognize implicit meaning. Express yourself fluently and spontaneously. Use language flexibly and effectively.

Foundation

Perfectionnement

Wed - 9 am to 12 pm

Conversation

Conversation 4

Thurs - 10 am to 12 pm

5-week

Conversation 4

June 17 to July 15

Mon - 1 to 3 pm

NEW CLASS

Déjeunons en français

This drop-in, mixed level conversation class is a great way to increase vocabulary and practice French in a casual and relaxing environment over the lunch hour.

Class led by AF instructor. Thurs - 1 to 2 pm
 Cost: \$5/meeting (lunch not included).
Registration required by each Tuesday, 12 pm, online or by phone at 612 332 0436.



All classes take place at
 227 Colfax Avenue North, with
 free off-street parking
 and an elevator.

AF near you!

Edina

Take Beginner classes, a conversation class, or French for Travelers this summer in partnership with Edina Community Education. Information and registration at <https://edina.ce.eleyo.com/>

Rochester

We are pleased to offer classes in Rochester this summer. Details at afmsp.org/rochester/rochester-education/