

Cooking with Chef Valérie

No French experience required, classes are led in English and French as appropriate for students.

Cooking classes are offered on Monday mornings, Tuesday evenings and Thursday afternoons. Register for individual classes or a series of four.

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/h) + \$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.

- Detailed information on all classes can be found at afmsp.org.
- Not sure of your level? Take a placement test online or in our office.
- We ask that all students become members of the Alliance Française Mpls/St Paul.

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 Dec 21

Topics

French for Travelers (A1.1)

Take this crash course if you have never studied French before.
Jan 7 to Feb 4: Mon - 10 am to 12 pm OR **Feb 13 to Mar 13:**
Wed 6 to 8 pm OR **Feb 17 to Mar 17:** Sun - 12 to 2 pm. Cost: \$185.

Théâtre du XVIIIème siècle (B2)

Read three classic 17th century plays with Konrad: *Phèdre* de Racine, *Andromaque* de Racine, *Polyeucte* de Corneille et *L'Ecole des femmes* de Molière. Place these stories in their historical and cultural context.

Feb 16 to Mar 16: Sat 10 am to 12 pm. Level: Av 1 and above.

La France d'aujourd'hui (B1)

Practice your French with Michel, back from 5 months in Paris, while discussing current events and news from France. **Jan 9 to Feb 6:** Wed 6 to 8 pm. Level: Int 4 and above. Cost: \$185.

Écriture: Raconter une histoire à l'écrit (B2)

Interested in working on your writing skills in French? Manon will use *des contes* to help students write their own stories *en français*. **Feb 13 to Mar 13:** Wed 6 to 8 pm. Level: Av 1 and above. Cost: \$185.

Le Cinéma: lecture de l'image (A2)

Learn to better appreciate elements of *l'art cinématographique*. Abdel, avid *cinéophile*, will help you put French terms to ideas through a variety of films. **Jan 13 to Feb 10:** Sun - 12 to 2 pm OR **Feb 11 to Mar 11:** Mon - 12 to 2 pm. Level: Be 5 and above. Cost: \$185.

Les contes de Perrault: Rewritten fairy tales (B2)

Rediscover fairy tales with Anne-Sophie while reading *Barbe-bleue* or *Le petit chaperon rouge*, and their modern adaptations with a focus on Moroccan author, Tahar Ben Jelloun. **Jan 12 to Feb 9:** Sat 10 am to 12 pm. Level: Av 1 and above. Cost: \$185.

Destination Bourgogne (A2)

Join Damien, former *Auxerrois*, to learn about the area's history, culture, gastronomy and wines before the AFMSP trip in May!
Jan 9 to Feb 6: Wed 1 to 3 pm. Level: Int 1 and above. Cost: \$185.

One-Day Workshops

Articles and Prepositions (A2)

Let us guide you through a review of all those pesky little words! Check your use of definite, indefinite and partitive articles. Find out which French verbs and expressions use prepositions and which do not. **Sat, Jan 26** 1 to 4 pm. Level: Be 5 and above. Cost: \$60.

La Saint-Valentin (A2)

French is the language of love! Learn idiomatic expressions and discover music and visual artwork around this theme close to our heart. **Sat, Feb 9** 1 to 4 pm. Level: Be 5 and above. Cost: \$60.

Les fromages de France (A2.1)

Join Anne-Sophie to talk about the ultimate French delicacy, *le fromage*. Learn about the many varieties and how to properly serve them. **Sat, Feb 23** 1 to 4 pm. Level: Be 3 and above. Cost: \$60.

Simone Veil (A2)

To celebrate *la Journée internationale des femmes*, join Manon to learn more about Simone Veil. Holocaust survivor, judge, and first female minister of the French government, she leaves a legacy of advancing human and women's rights in France and worldwide. **Sat, Mar 2** 1 to 4 pm. Level: Int 2 and above. Cost: \$60.



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Winter 2019 Adult Classes

Monday Jan 7 - Sunday Mar 17



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Register online or by phone!

Level A1

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

Foundation

Be 1	Be 2	Be 3
Mon - 9 am to 12 pm Wed - 6 to 9 pm Sun - 12 to 3 pm	Mon - 6 to 9 pm Wed - 9 am to 12 pm Sat - 9 am to 12 pm	Mon - 6 to 9 pm Thurs - 9 am to 12 pm Sat - 9 am to 12 pm

5-week Be 1

Feb 12 to Mar 14
Tues & Thurs - 6 to 9 pm
OR Feb 13 to Mar 15
Wed & Fri - 9 am to 12 pm

5-week Be 2

Jan 7 to Feb 6
Mon & Wed - 6 to 9 pm

Intensive

5-week Beginner Intensive (A1)

4 days a week, 11 hours per week, \$650
Jan 7 to Feb 7: Mon/Tues/Thurs - 6 to 9 pm + Wed - 6 to 8 pm
OR Feb 12 to Mar 14: Tues/Thurs/Fri - 9 am to 12 pm + Wed 10 am to 12 pm

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

4 days a week, 3 hours a day, \$1,300
Tues to Fri - 9 am to 12 pm OR Mon to Thurs 6 to 9 pm

Review

Beginning Review I: Levels Beginner 1 - 2

Jan 10 to Feb 7: Thurs - 6 to 8 pm
Feb 11 to Mar 11: Mon - 10 am to 12 pm

Level A2

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

Foundation

Be 4	Be 5	Int 1
Mon - 9 am to 12 pm Tues - 6 to 9 pm Sat - 9 am to 12 pm	Mon - 6 to 9 pm Thurs - 6 to 9 pm Fri - 9 am to 12 pm	Mon - 9 am to 12 pm Thurs - 6 to 9 pm Sat 9 am to 12 pm

Int 2

Tues 9 am to 12 pm
Wed 6 to 9 pm
Sat 9 am to 12 pm

Int 3

Tues - 6 to 9 pm
Wed - 9 am to 12 pm

Intensive

5-week Advanced Beginner Intensive (A2.1)

4 days a week, 11 hours per week, \$650
Jan 8 to Feb 8: Tues/Thurs/Fri - 9 am to 12 pm + Wed - 9 to 11 am OR
Feb 12 to March 18: Mon/Tues/Thurs - 6 to 9 pm + Wed - 6 to 8 pm

10-week Intermediate Levels 1 to 4 (A2 - B1.1)

4 days a week, 2.5 hours a day, \$1,100
Mon to Thurs - 9 to 11:30 am OR 6 to 8:30 pm

Level A2

Review

Beginning Review II: Levels Beginner 3 - 5

Jan 8 to Feb 5: Tues - 6 to 8 pm
Feb 13 to Mar 13: Wed - 10 am to 12 pm

Intermediate Review I: Levels Intermediate 1 - 2

Jan 10 to Feb 7: Thurs - 10 am to 12 pm
Feb 11 to Mar 11: Mon - 6 to 8 pm

Conversation

Beg Conversation (A2.1)

Tues - 6 to 8 pm

5-week Beg Conversation

Jan 7 to Feb 4
Mon - 10 am to 12 pm

Conversation 1 (A2.2)

Mon - 6 to 8 pm

5-week Conversation 1

Jan 12 to Feb 9
Sat - 12:30 to 2:30 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	Av 1	Av 2
Tues - 9 am to 12 pm Thurs - 6 to 9 pm	Wed - 6 to 9 pm	Wed - 9 am to 12 pm
Av 3	Av 4	Av 5
Fri - 9 am to 12 pm	Mon - 6 to 9 pm	Tues - 6 to 9 pm

Intensive

10-week Advanced 1 and 2 Semi-Intensive (B1)

2 days a week, 3 hours a day, \$750
Tues & Thurs - 6 to 9 pm

Review

Intermediate Review II: Intermediate Levels 3 - 4 (B1)

Jan 9 to Feb 6: Wed - 6 to 8 pm
Feb 15 to Mar 15: Fri - 10 am to 12 pm

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

Jan 7 to Feb 4: Mon - 6 to 8 pm
Feb 12 to Mar 12: Tues - 10 am to 12 pm

Conversation

Conversation 2 (B1.1)

Thurs - 6 to 8 pm

5-week Conversation 2

Jan 8 to Feb 5
Tues - 10 am to 12 pm

Conversation 3 (B1.2/B2)

Wed - 6 to 8 pm

5-week Conversation 3

Feb 14 to Mar 14
Thurs - 10 am to 12 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

Ex 1	Ex 2	Ex 3
Thurs - 9 am to 12 pm	Sat - 9 am to 12 pm	Mon - 9 am to 12 pm

Ex 4

Thurs - 6 to 9 pm

B2 Capstone

Tues - 9 am to 12 pm

Intensive

10-week Expert 2 and Conversation Semi-Intensive (B2)

2 days a week, 3 hours a day \$750
Tues & Thurs - 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 (C1/C2)

Thurs - 10 am to 12 pm

We are delighted to offer certain classes for adults at our new building, **227 Colfax Ave N in Minneapolis**, which offers ample free parking and an elevator, among other features. Location of each class will be confirmed based on registration numbers.

AF near you!

Bloomington

Take a family cooking class on Jan 31 and learn how to make crêpes with your little ones. Information and registration online at <https://bloomington.ce.eleyo.com/>

Edina

Take Beginner 1 or 2, a conversation class, French for Travelers or a cooking class this winter in partnership with Edina Community Education. Information and registration online at <https://edina.ce.eleyo.com/>

Osseo

Take French for Travelers, a conversation class or a cooking class this winter in partnership with Osseo Community Education. Information and registration online at <https://osseo.ce.eleyo.com/>