



FRENCH POLYNESIA EDUCATION

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EDUCATION SYSTEM

Children begin at a primary school at the age of five and stay there for six years. They then move to secondary education which lasts seven years. Tertiary education (university) is next. The University of French Polynesia is the main university people attend to. There are many training institutions and private colleges as well.







MANDATORY OR NOT?

French Polynesian schools require education up until the age of 14.





University of French Polynesia





HIGHER EDUCATION

The give on France and French Polynesia support the University of French Polynesia. This university is a public institution and acts like a collage or university in America. Many undergraduate and graduate degrees are available here.



LANGUAGE TAUGHT

French is the language taught in education facilities in French Polynesia. This is because French is the official language of French Polynesia.



A stylized yellow sun with a smiling face and rosy cheeks is partially obscured by a white cloud. Another white cloud is to its right. The background is a light blue sky with a small white star and another cloud in the upper right.

AN AVERAGE DAY

An average day at a French Polynesian public school is much similar to America though schools in French Polynesia are more engaged with their culture and values.





AMERICA VS. FRENCH POLYNESIA EDUCATION

America

Can't end
school career
until 16-19

Have to pay for a
majority of you
education

Less empathic
on
extracurriculars

French Polynesia

Can end
school carrier
at the age of
14

Free school

Centers more
academic
achievement

