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## Français 201

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Jours de classe : lundi, mercredi, vendredi du 10h40 à 11h30 Language Hall 204B

**Livres obligatoires à acheter à la librairie d'Oxford.** Chaque étudiant(e) doit acheter ses propres livres dès que possible. All books will be returned to the vendors during the second week of September!

- 1). *En bonne forme* 8th édition de Renaud et van Hoof. John Wiley & Sons, 2007.
  - 2). *501 French verbs* de Kendris.
  - 3). *Au Contraire! Figuring Out the French* d'Asselin et Mastron. Intercultural Press, 2001.
  - 4). *Collins Robert French/English Dictionary* (Complete & Unabridged). *Recommandé*
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Marcel Pagnol



Michel Tournier



Geneviève  
Dormann



Françoise  
Giroud

## French 201 Intermediate I

### Course Description and Structure

French 201 will emphasize the development of oral proficiency, vocabulary, written communication, and the reading of short literary texts. Grammatical components will stem from the literary readings, comprising the beginning of each chapter of *En bonne forme*. This course will be conducted in French and French is the official language of 201. Students will receive a thorough understanding of French grammar and will communicate this knowledge in the form of class discussions/participation, quizzes and compositions. French culture will also compose a great part of this course as you will read, at your own pace, *Au Contraire! Figuring Out the French*. Essay questions relating to the differences between France and the United States will appear on your final exam, so please highlight what shocks you in the book. **Prerequisites:** students may enroll in French 201 after taking the French 101/102 sequence at Oxford, or 3 years of high school French.

- 1) **Class conference on Learnlink:** You will all receive on your desktop for Learnlink an icon for French 201. I will be communicating with you outside of class through this medium and assign internet-based homework here. You must check this conference every day and you can pose questions to me or your classmates here. You can also contact me privately via email.
- 2) **Absences:** You are allowed a total of 3 absences in French 201 for the semester. For religious holidays, you must notify me at least 3 weeks in advance if you will be absent. There are no “excused” absences. If you know that you will be out sick, please contact me to let me know via email. Please plan out your absences if you will be going out of town and leave room in case you are sick. After 3 absences, your final grade will be reduced by one letter grade.
- 3) **French Tutor:** Students of French at Oxford can get help with concepts in French from our tutor in French. However, she cannot write, revise or review any of the work that you turn in. If you are having difficulty in French, it is your responsibility to seek out help from the French tutor or me. More information on the French tutor will be announced along with her office hours.
- 4) **Academic Honor Code and Plagiarism:** For Oxford’s policy, please visit:  
[http://oxford.emory.edu/audiences/current\\_students/academics/academic\\_success/honor\\_code.dot](http://oxford.emory.edu/audiences/current_students/academics/academic_success/honor_code.dot)

*Using Internet or other translation sources will be immediately detectable and are a violation of these policies.*

- 5) **You must arrive to class on time. No cell phones permitted in class.**

#### **Grading**

6) **A/A-    B+/B/B-    C+/C/C-    D+/D/D- etc.**

**\*\*There will be no makeup exams/quizzes and no late work will be accepted\*\***

#### **Les Notes:**

**Les quizzes/examen final: 40%** For each chapter, you will have a quiz. I will drop your lowest quiz grade when calculating your final grade.

**Les rédactions: 20%** There will be three compositions. The first draft (*première version*) will not be graded; the final version (*version finale*) will receive a grade.

**La participation: 20%** Your participation in this class is obligatory. Plus, French is fun!

**Les devoirs: 20%** This category includes all homework assigned in class for the next class, internet-based homework posted to our conference, vocabulary. If you do not understand a word in French, please look it up in your dictionary. You are responsible for studying the vocabulary for every chapter as it will appear on each quiz.

#### **Le programme :**

**Août/septembre**

**Chapitre**

26

Introduction au cours

Devoirs: Lire le chapitre préliminaire

28-2

Révision : chapitre 1 : le présent et l'impératif  
Devoirs: étudier le vocabulaire dans chapitre 1  
Lire « Français en couleurs » p. 16 et p. 17-18

## Septembre

4-14

Quiz : chapitre 1  
Chapitre 2 : le passé composé  
Devoirs : étudier le vocabulaire dans chapitre 2  
Lire p. 41-42

16-21

Quiz : chapitre 2  
chapitre 3 : l'imparfait  
Devoirs : vocabulaire chapitre 3  
Lire p. 62-65  
**Rédaction I (première version)**

23-28

Quiz chapitre 3  
chapitre 6 : le nom et l'adjectif  
Devoirs : vocabulaire chapitre 6  
Lire p. 118-121  
**Rédaction II (version finale)**

## Septembre/octobre

28-2

Quiz : chapitre 6  
chapitre 7 : l'article  
Devoirs : vocabulaire chapitre 7  
Lire p. 146 et 149-151

5-9

Quiz : chapitre 7  
chapitre 8 : le comparatif et le superlatif  
Devoirs : vocabulaire chapitre 8  
Lire p. 172-175

14-19

Quiz : chapitre 8  
chapitre 9 : la négation  
Devoirs : vocabulaire chapitre 9  
Lire p. 194-197  
**Rédaction II (première version)**

21-26

Quiz : chapitre 9  
chapitre 10 : l'interrogation  
Devoirs : vocabulaire chapitre 10  
Lire p. 216-219  
**Rédaction II (version finale)**

## Octobre/novembre

28-2	<p>Quiz : Chapitre 10  chapitre 11 : les pronoms personnels  Devoirs : vocabulaire chapitre 11  Lire p. 238-241</p>
6-11	<p>Quiz : Chapitre 11  chapitre 12 : le verbe pronominal  Devoirs : vocabulaire chapitre 12  Lire p. 266-268</p>
13-18	<p>chapitre 14 : le futur  Devoirs : vocabulaire chapitre 14  Lire p. 311-314  <b>Rédaction III (première version à rendre en classe)</b></p>
20-30	<p>chapitre 15 : le conditionnel  Devoirs : vocabulaire chapitre 15  Lire p. 330-332  <b>Rédaction III (version finale)</b></p>
<b>Décembre</b>	
2-7	<p>chapitre 16 : le subjonctif  Devoirs : vocabulaire chapitre 16  Lire p. 353-356  <b>Evaluations du cours</b></p>
10 de 7 à 10h	<p><u>examen final chapitres 12, 14, 15, 16</u> + <i><b>Au Contraire! Figuring Out the French</b></i></p>

N.B. This syllabus is subject to change.