

# COURSE DETAIL

## FRENCH 1

**Country**

France

**Host Institution**

Sciences Po Reims

**Program(s)**

Sciences Po Reims

**UCEAP Course Level**

Lower Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

French

**UCEAP Course Number**

11

**UCEAP Course Suffix**

A

**UCEAP Official Title**

FRENCH 1

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

FRENCH 1

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

2.70

### **Course Description**

This is a beginner level French language course. First semester French- A1. This course is for students who have never had the opportunity to study French. Students have no real or functional knowledge of francophone contexts. At the end of this semester-long course, students are expected to understand and use simple sentences concerning daily life, saluting, spelling, becoming familiar with pronunciation, knowing the numbers and telling time, introducing oneself or someone else, and using basic formulas of politeness. The student is able to understand simple statements, salutations, forms of address, directions, re-stated press headlines, and simplified press articles. Depending on the interlocutor and the communicative setting in situ (repetition or reformulation), the student is able to answer simple questions and know how to ask them, to speak about him or herself, his or her tastes, successfully conducting a communication event in formal and/or familiar situations (purchases, restaurants, banks, doctors' offices, post office, traveling) and make plans. The student should be able to complete a form or answer a questionnaire. He/she can compose a short postcard, email or formulate a proposal for a concrete plan. The student has a solid understanding of nouns and noun groups, nouns and determiners, and descriptive, possessive, and demonstrative adjectives. Students understand first group verbs, irregular/auxiliary verbs, *être* and *avoir*, the semi-auxiliaries *pouvoir*, *vouloir*, *faire*, and *devoir* in addition to verb tenses such as indicative present, near future, recent past, and past perfect. At the end of semester an oral and written test assess the acquisition of these skills. Students are required to take both the French lecture and the French workshop.

### **Language(s) of Instruction**

French

### **Host Institution Course Number**

12369

### **Host Institution Course Title**

FRENCH LEVEL A1

## Host Institution Course Details

### Host Institution Campus

Language Course

### Host Institution Faculty

### Host Institution Degree

### Host Institution Department

French Language

### Course Last Reviewed

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