

ST. MARY'S COLLEGE (Autonomous)

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Thoothukudi-628001, Tamil Nadu

(Affiliated to Manonmaniam Sundaranar University)



Syllabus

Part I French

School of Language & Culture

Outcome Based Curriculum

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Preamble

Acquisition of a foreign language and exposure to a different culture enhances the quality of a person. An understanding of a different civilisation opens vistas in the perception of the learner. Learning a new language is an additional skill and it widens the employability scope of the students, considering the large number of international collaborations in the global market.

Vision:

To impart knowledge and skill in French to enhance employment opportunities of the students

Mission :

To promote an understanding and appreciation of the French language and literature

Part-I Course in French is set to equip the students with an additional qualification, of acquisition of a foreign language, French. Two-year course in French creates

- Ability to act and respond in specific life-time situations of communication
- Ability to understand and translate sentences into target language
- Capability to compare and evaluate the life style of the French in contrast with Indians
- Capability to create a text of her own, narrating her day to day life
- Capability to summarize a poem or a dialogue in her own words
- Capability to use the knowledge and skill in diverse professions such as translator, interpreter , editor etc in multinational companies

Criteria of eligibility

Part-I French course is offered to students who have studied French in schools and also to students who have no knowledge of French, beginners.

Programme Outcome

PO No.	After completion of the Undergraduate programme the students of St. Mary's College will be able to
PO 1	acquire an in-depth domain knowledge and a comprehensive knowledge of various disciplines to become skilled professionals
PO 2	enrich their communicative skills, and enhance their creative, numerical, analytical and problem solving skills
PO 3	gain potential skills to excel in digital literacy, team management, scientific reasoning, research and self-directed life-long learning to emerge as entrepreneurs
PO 4	be aware of the environment with a social responsibility for the well-being of humanity and the planet at large
PO 5	be an empowered, economically independent woman with a global perspective to emerge holistically in the egalitarian society

Programme Specific Outcome

PSO No.	After completion of the course the Part I French students of St. Mary's College will be able to
PSO 1	understand and practice the grammar rules to frame grammatically correct writings.
PSO 2	enhance their communicative skills both oral and written through role plays, letter, email, and report writing.
PSO 3	comprehend the history, civilization, culture, and literature of France and francophone countries.
PSO 4	revive creative thinking and problem-solving skills to gear them up for the professional life.
PSO 5	apply the skills acquired in the French language to make correlative comparisons with their own language and culture and thus demonstrate a critical understanding of the nature and function of both.

SEMESTER – I			
Part I French	Fundamental French Course		
Course Code: 24ULFA11	Hrs / Week: 6	Hrs / Semester: 90	Credits:3

Learning Objectives:

- Examine the basic syntax in the French language
- Comprehend various grammatical tenses and use them to communicate in French
- Review various documents and discuss them to understand the vocabulary
- Analyze and interpret expressions used to convey the cause, the effect, the purpose, and the opposition in French
- Explore the French culture and system.

Course Outcomes		
Course Outcomes	On completion of this course, students will be able to	Cognitive Level
CO-1	Recall the usage of grammatical tenses in constructing sentences.	K1
CO-2	Illustrate the grammar rules and vocabulary to produce grammatically correct sentences.	K2
CO-3	Relate the French culture and civilization with her own.	K3
CO-4	Distinguish various expressions used to express in French	K4
CO-5	Evaluate and summarize with thorough understanding through authentic documents.	K5

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- 1.2 - Se présenter
- 1.3 - Entrer en contact avec quelqu'un
- 1.4 - Les pronoms sujets
- 1.5 - En France et ailleurs

Unit II –Enchante

- 2.1 - Demander de se présenter
- 2.2 - Présenter quelqu'un
- 2.3 - La négation
- 2.4 - Les adjectifs possessifs
- 2.5 - L'Europe

Unit III – J'adore

- 3.1 - Exprimer ses goûts
- 3.2 - Echanger sur ses projets
- 3.3 - Compléter une fiche d'inscription
- 3.4 – La futur proche
- 3.5 - La famille en France

Unit IV – Tu veux bien ?

- 4.1 - Demander à quelqu'un poliment
- 4.2 - Parler des actions passées
- 4.3 - Comprendre le récit d'actions passées
- 4.4 – Le passe compose
- 4.5 - Animaux et compagnie

Unit V – On se voit quand ?

- 5.1 - Proposer, accepter ou refuser une invitation
- 5.2 - Indiquer l'heure et la date
- 5.3 - Fixer un rendez-vous
- 5.4 – Les pronoms compléments directs
- 5.5 - Les français cultivent leur temps libre

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Books, Journals and Learning Resources

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	PO-1	PO-2	PO-3	PO-4	PO-5	PSO-1	PSO-2	PSO-3	PSO-4	PSO-5
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CO-2	3	2	2	2	2	3	3	2	3	3
CO-3	3	3	1	3	3	2	3	2	3	3
CO-4	3	2	1	1	3	2	3	3	3	3
CO-5	3	3	2	2	2	2	3	2	2	3
Ave.	3	2.4	1.6	2	2.4	2.4	3	2.2	2.8	3

Mapping	<40%	≥ 40% and < 70%	≥ 70%
Relation	Low Level	Medium Level	High Level
Scale	1	2	3

SEMESTER - II			
Part I French	Proficient French Course		
Course Code: 24ULFA21	Hrs / Week: 6	Hrs / Semester : 90	Credits:3

Learning Objectives:

- To express basic French sentence structure and vocabulary.
- To compile the various grammatical tenses and use them to communicate better in French.
- To develop the language proficiency of the learners by practising all for competencies: Reading, writing, listening, and speaking.
- To analyse and interpret verbal expressions of cause, effect, purpose, and opposition in French
- To comprehend text passages and use them to express their opinions.

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CO-1	Retrieve various tenses and effectively employ them in speaking and writing	K1
CO-2	Explain a French document such as posters, bulletins, and infographics	K2
CO-3	Demonstrate knowledge of various expressions used to convey opinion, emotions, cause, effect, purpose, and hypothesis in French	K3
CO-4	Analyse and utilize the grammatical concepts in drafting sentences and paragraphs	K4
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- 2.5 - Architecture et nature

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Unit V – Les compétences communicatives

- 5.1 - Lettre de motivation
- 5.2 - Lettre pour postuler à un stage
- 5.3 - Lettre pour ouvrir un compte
- 5.4 - Lettre entre amis (discuter quel cadeau offrir)
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