

One-Day Workshops

Des chiffres et des nombres (A2)

Does using numbers in French stress you out?? Learn the rules to using numbers in different situations and get some practice! Saturday, February 10, 1 to 2:30 pm **FTF** Beginner 5 and above, Cost \$40.

Découvrons le Togo (A2)

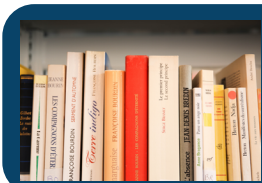
Join Ama to learn more about this Francophone country we'll be spotlighting during our *mois de la francophonie*. Saturday, March 2, 12:30 to 3:30 pm **FTF** Beginner 5 and above, Cost \$75.

Le Québec Aujourd'hui (A2)

What's Québec really like? Francine will share an up-to-date vision of our neighbor to the north! Saturday, March 9, 1 to 4 pm **FTF** Beginner 5 and above, Cost \$75.

Subjonctif et conditionnel (B1)

Learn the secrets to using *subjonctif et conditionnel* when speaking and writing, or to recognize it when reading! This workshop will help you make sense of these seemingly complex tenses! Saturday, January 27, 1 to 4 pm **FTF** Advanced 1 and above, Cost \$75.



We ask that all students join our non-profit organization. Membership benefits include access to our library, discounts to local businesses and more!



NEW!

French For Business Classes

Find details at afmsp.org!

Withdrawal Policy

Withdrawal requests must be submitted in writing to the Education Director 2 weeks before classes begin to receive a refund. A \$50 administrative fee will be deducted for all cancellations.

A tuition credit valid for use within a year, 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.

Topics Classes

Découvrir Annie Ernaux: Prix Nobel (B2)

Annie Ernaux was the winner of the 2022 Nobel Prize for Literature! Our resident literary expert, Martine, will introduce you to the author's seemingly simple style and her "*écriture plate*", while discovering the layers of her stories. The novels *La place* and *Une femme* will be used for this class. 5-weeks: Wednesdays, January 24 to February 21, 6 to 7:30 pm **FTF** Expert 1 & above, Cost \$160.

Fred Vargas vs Louise Penny (B2)

Compare and contrast the detective stories of French author Fred Vargas and Canadian author Louise Penny with Francine this winter. Read *Sur la dalle* by Vargas and *Révélation brutale* by Penny and discover the stories of Adamsberg and Gamache! 10-weeks: Thursdays, 10 am to 12 pm **V** Expert 1 & above, Cost \$410.

Reading Cyrano de Bergerac (B1)

Join Sarah Giddens in reading one of the most popular French-language plays. Celebrate gallantry, bravery, self-doubt and love in this classic by Edmond Rostand. 5-weeks: Tuesdays, February 20 to March 19, 6 to 8 pm **FTF** Intermediate 4 & above, Cost \$215.

Everyday Situational French (B2)

Practice and improve your French in daily life. 10-weeks: Tuesdays, 10 am to 12 pm **FTF** (start chapter 16) OR Wednesdays, 10 am to 12 pm **FTF** (start chapter 30) OR Thursdays, 6 to 8 pm **FTF** (start chapter 17). Expert 1 and above. Cost \$360. Uses *Advanced Communication Progressive* book.

Les communautés francophones (A2)

Join Meriem to discover and celebrate the French-speaking communities who live in the Twin Cities. 5-weeks: Fridays, February 23 to March 22, 10 am to 12 pm **FTF** Beginner 5 & above, Cost \$215.

Brassens et ses copains (B1)

(Re)discover the poetry of Georges Brassens' songs and texts. Garance will guide you through the life and art of this rebellious icon of *la chanson française* and his heritage and legacy. 5-weeks: Tuesdays, January 16 to February 13, 6 to 8 pm **FTF** Intermediate 4 & above, Cost \$215.

Books are not included in class price and can be purchased in La Boutique or at reception.



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Winter 2024 Adult Classes

January 16 to March 25, 2024

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Level A1 - Introduction

Understand basic phrases & expressions. Learn introductions & ask simple questions.

French for Travelers (A1.1) \$215 for 5 weeks

Take this crash course if you have never studied French. Mondays, January 22 to February 19, 6 to 8 pm **V** OR Thursdays, February 22 to March 21, 6 to 8 pm **FTF**

Foundation \$480 for 10 weeks (\$16/hr)

Beginner 1: Monday, 6 to 9 pm **FTF**
Saturday, 9 am to 12 pm **FTF**

Beginner 2: Monday, 6 to 9 pm **FTF**
Monday, 9 am to 12 pm **FTF**

Beginner 3: Tuesday, 6 to 9 pm **FTF**
Wednesday, 9 am to 12 pm **FTF**

Intensive

Beginner 1 through 5 (A1 - A2.1)
10 weeks, 12 hours/week, Cost \$1450 (\$12/hr)
Tuesday to Friday, 9 am to 12 pm **FTF**

5 Week Review \$215 for 5 weeks (\$21.50/hr)

Beginning Review I: Beginner 1 to 2

Thursday, Jan 18 to Feb 15, 10 am to 12 pm **FTF**
Wednesday, Feb 21 to March 20, 6 to 8 pm **V**

Face-to-Face, Hybrid & Virtual Classes

Face-to-Face (FTF) : Classes will meet in an AFMSP classroom in our building at 227 Colfax Ave N.

A **hybrid** option is available for all Face-to-Face classes using a 360° camera and high quality microphone. Students who live a great distance or who are traveling can periodically connect to in-person classes via Zoom upon request. This offers ultimate flexibility to those needing to tune in a distance from time-to-time.

Virtual classes (V): These classes will be offered exclusively online via Zoom, students and instructors can connect wherever they may be! Due to the technology costs associated, virtual classes have an additional \$25 fee for 5-week and \$50 fee for 10-week classes.

Level A2 - Basic Use

Communicate on everyday topics. Be comfortable with simple interactions.

Foundation \$480 for 10-weeks (\$16/hr)

Beginner 4:

Thursday, 6 to 9 pm **FTF**
Saturday, 9 am to 12 pm **FTF**

Beginner 5:

Wednesday, 6 to 9 pm **FTF**
Saturday, 1:30 to 4:30 pm **FTF**

Intermediate 1:

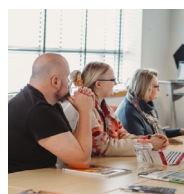
Tuesday, 6 to 9 pm **FTF**
Wednesday, 6 to 9 pm **V**

Intermediate 2:

Monday, 6 to 9 pm **FTF**

Intermediate 3:

Tuesday, 9 am to 12 pm **V**



Intensive

Intermediate 1 through 4 (A2 - B1.1)

10 weeks, 10 hours/week, Cost \$1,325 (\$13.25/hr)
Monday to Thursday, 9:30 am to 12 pm
OR 6 to 8:30 pm **FTF**

5 Week Review \$215 for 5 weeks (\$21.50/hr)

Beginning Review II: Beginner 3 to 5

Tuesday, Jan 16 to Feb 13, 6 to 8 pm **V**
Thursday, Feb 22 to March 21, 10 am to 12 pm **FTF**

Intermediate Review I: Intermediate 1 to 2

Tuesday, Jan 16 to Feb 13, 10 am to 12 pm **V**
Tuesday, Feb 20 to March 19, 6 to 8 pm **FTF**

Conversation \$360 for 10 weeks (\$18/hr)

Beginner Conversation (A2.1) Conversation 1 (A2.2)

Monday, 6 to 8 pm **FTF** Mon, 10 am to 12 pm **FTF**
Thurs, 12:30 to 2:30 pm **V** Wed, 6 to 8 pm **FTF**
Thurs, 10 am to 12 pm **V**

Prorate a Class

Going to miss 3 or more classes of a 10-week class?
Only pay for the sessions you attend! Contact
education@afmsp.org for details.

Level B1 - Independent

Interact in most situations. Describe experiences & explain ideas.

Foundation \$480 for 10-weeks (\$16/hr)

Intermediate 4: Monday, 9 am to 12 pm **V**

Advanced 1: Wednesday, 6 to 9 pm **FTF**

Advanced 2: Friday, 9 am to 12 pm **FTF**

5 Week Review \$215 for 5 weeks (\$21.50/hr)

Intermediate Review II: Int 3 to 4 (B1)

Thursday, Jan 18 to Feb 15, 6 to 8 pm **FTF**
Tuesday, Feb 20 to March 19, 10 am to 12 pm **V**

Advanced Review (B1.2/B2)

Wednesday, Jan 17 to Feb 14, 6 to 8 pm **FTF**
Wednesday, Feb 21 to March 20, 10 am to 12 pm **V**

Conversation \$360 for 10 weeks (\$18/hr)

Conversation 2

Tuesday, 6 to 8 pm **FTF**
Wednesday,
12:30 to 2:30 pm **V**

Conversation 3

Monday, 6 to 8 pm **FTF**
Thursday, 6 to 8 pm **V**

Level B2 - Advanced

Understand the main ideas of complex texts, produce clear and detailed explanations.

Foundation \$480 for 10-weeks (\$16/hr)

Expert 1: Thursday, 6 to 9 pm **V**

Expert 3: Thursday, 6 to 9 pm **FTF**

Level C1/C2 - Proficient

Understand a wide range of longer texts, recognize implicit meaning. Use language fluently.

Foundation \$480 for 10 weeks (\$16/hr)

Maitre Partie I:

Monday, 6 to 9 pm **V**

Perfectionnement

Tuesday, 9 am to 12 pm **FTF**
Wednesday, 9 am to 12 pm **V**

Conversation \$360 for 10 weeks (\$18/hr)

Conversation 4

Thursday, 10 am to 12 pm **FTF**