



**JOHN F. KENNEDY HIGH SCHOOL**

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HOME OF THE COUGARS

**2020-2021**

## **1. COURSE: FRENCH 1**

### **2. GENERAL INFORMATION**

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### **3. TEXTBOOK**

*Discovering French, BLUE Level 1*, McDougal Littell, 2001

Text and workbook provided

### **4. GENERAL OVERVIEW**

**Course Description:** Students will begin the study of French through total communication: speaking, listening, reading, writing, singing and doing projects. Class participation, which is very important, takes the form of drills, skits, songs, group work, conversation, and games. Homework will be assigned to re-enforce new material. There will be written and oral assessments.

### **5. COURSE OBJECTIVES**

In French 1 we develop your ability and competency to read, write, speak and understand French. Students develop an awareness and appreciation of French culture: music, art, literature, film, food.

### **6. COURSE REQUIREMENTS, ATTENDANCE AND SPECIFIC GRADING POLICY**

1. **Come to class every day ... even when it's online!**
2. **Participate** actively.
3. Speak up & **speak French** as frequently as possible, with the teacher and your classmates.
4. **Complete ALL** class work, homework, and projects.
5. Keep a **French binder** with **four sections: ORAL, GRAMMAR, VOCABULARY, and CULTURE.**
6. **Bring French binder, French book, a pencil and a pen EVERY DAY.**
7. Respect and **follow the class rules:**

**RESPECT (yourself, others, the classroom: no food or drinks, just water), RESPONSIBILITY (attend class, focus, no electronics), PARTICIPATION (no electronics)**

### **CLASS MATERIALS NEEDED**

1. Discovering French Blue, (Text Book) provided.
2. Student Activity Book, provided.
3. 10 Pencils and 3 or 4 pens, YOU PROVIDE
4. 1 small/medium three ring Binder with 4 dividers, YOU PROVIDE
5. Binder paper, YOU PROVIDE
6. 3 Dry Erase Markers (if you can)
7. 100 Index cards (if you can)

**THIS PART OF THE SYLLABUS HAS BEEN MODIFIED FOR DISTANCE LEARNING. IT WILL CHANGE WHEN WE GO BACK TO SCHOOL OR AS DISTANCE LEARNING REQUIREMENTS EVOLVE.**

**TESTS:** There will be both written and oral quizzes / exams. All tests, big or small, will be announced in advance.

**HOMEWORK / ASSIGNMENTS:** Homework will be assigned daily, that is **EVERY CLASS DAY**. It will be checked at the beginning of each class. Homework is due no later than 7 am on its due date. **Late homework will not be accepted** and will receive a Missing grade.

**Your Grade: All homework, quizzes, finals, projects, and class activities are counted towards your grade. YOU CAN CHECK YOUR GRADES ON INFINITE CAMPUS.**

**Grading Breakdown:**

Assessments (Quizzes, Tests)	= 20 %
Final Exams (Oral and written)	= 20 %
Projects	= 30 %
Daily Assignments (homework, classwork)	= 30 %

**Distance Learning Grading Scale:**

89.5 - 100 %	= A
79.5 - 89 %	= B
69.5 - 79 %	= C
59.5 - 69 %	= D
50 - 59 %	= F
Missing / late work	= M (0%)

**7. OUTLINE OF CLASS SESSIONS**

Unit 1: Lessons 1-4	Greetings and Time (numbers, geography, pronunciation)
Unit 2: Lessons 5-8	People and Family (nouns, articles)
Unit 3: Lessons 9-12	Food and Weather (asking for what you want)
Unit 4: Lessons 13-16	Daily Activities / Preferences (pronouns, verbs, question words)
Unit 5: Lessons 17-20	Appearances (adjectives, colors)
Unit 6: Lessons 21-22	Places (verb tenses, possession)

# French 1 Syllabus

Course Title: **French 1**

Teacher: **Madame Duperron** – Room C214

I have read the syllabus and agree to abide by its contents:

Date \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student First and Last Name – PRINT please

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student signature

I have read the syllabus and acknowledge that my student will abide by its contents.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Parent/Guardian First and Last Name – PRINT please

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Parent/Guardian email

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian phone number

Comments. Something you would like Madame Duperron to know about your student: