



## **French IV Honors**

### **Course Description**

This fourth year of French is a continuation of the first three years. The student will continue to sharpen listening, speaking, reading and writing skills through activities that are based on pedagogically proven methods of foreign language instruction. Throughout the ten instructional units, students learn to express themselves using an ever increasing vocabulary, present-tense verbs, past-tense verbs, future tense, conditional tense, subjunctive mood, articles, and adjectives. Grammar is introduced and practiced in innovative and interesting ways with a variety of learning styles in mind. The course is rich in authentic text reading material and authentic, native-speaker recordings and presentations to enrich culture, grammar and vocabulary presentations.

Culture is sprinkled throughout the course in an attempt to help the learner focus on the French speaking world and their culture, people, geographical locations and histories.

The course is aligned to the national Foreign Language standards and provides a way to focus on the five important aspects of foreign language instruction: communication, culture, connections, comparisons and community. These are the "Five C's of the Foreign Language Education" as outlined in Standards for Foreign Language Learning: Preparing for the 21st Century.

### **Prerequisites**

Successful completion of French I, French II and French III Honors

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