

French Conversation and Culture T1

Course Code R12-43A



Venue: Room 1

Tothill Community Centre
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Start Date: 26 September 2019
End Date: 12 December 2019
Sessions: 11
Day(s): Thursday

Start Time: 19:00
End Time: 21:00

Cost of course: Fee £187

Can I enrol online? Yes - Please visit www.oncoursesouthwest.co.uk

Before you enrol on this course To see if this is the correct level course for you, a self-assessment of your language ability is on our website:
http://www.oncoursesouthwest.co.uk/File_download/56/
A printed version is available on request.

Entry requirements This course is suitable for people who have either completed a French Advanced course with us or are near-fluent in the French language including colloquial phrases, politeness rituals and irregular verb usage based on the context.

Tell me about the course. You will consolidate, practice and develop your language skills to communicate with French native speakers in a variety of situations and on a wide range of topics, using more complex French structures.
You will extend your vocabulary and knowledge of complex grammar structures, your reading and listening skills by various means including researching current affairs and preparing presentations in French.
You will extend your knowledge of a range of colloquial phrases and how to use them in the correct context.

How will I learn? During the first session you will complete an informal initial assessment and make an individual learning plan, to identify your targets for the course, with your tutor.

Your tutor will provide a range of activities to help you enjoy the course and make progress, such as tutor-led demonstrations, instruction and repetition. This will help improve your fluency and extend your vocabulary. Grammar explanations and practice of tenses will be integrated into sessions. You will be encouraged to prepare for and participate in group discussions on topics to develop your conversation skills.

How will I know I'm making progress? You will review your individual learning plan with your tutor who will give you written feedback and support to achieve your targets. Informal assessments will be integrated into sessions with group and one to one feedback being given regularly. This will enable you to identify any additional support requirements or areas to practise and revise.

Will I need to study or practise outside the classroom? It is always useful to practise your skills between sessions, so optional homework tasks will be set. Tutors may email work out between sessions. There are lots of excellent resources for students of the French language available on sites such as YouTube, so access to the internet would be an advantage.

What will I need to take to the course? Please bring a pen, notepad and a file for your hand-outs. Your tutor may ask you to purchase a text book. A dictionary may also be useful.

What can I learn next/ Your tutor will give you information about French Conversation & Culture courses terms II and III. Please call us on 01752 660713 or visit our website: www.oncoursesouthwest.co.uk.

Please Note: Most courses attract a subsidy from the Education and Skills Funding Agency and can be used to match funding for ESF. It is a requirement of the ESFA that you complete various forms at different stages of your course, further information is available on request. Courses are subject to a minimum number of enrolments and could be cancelled if recruitment is low. In some cases, an alternative class at a different location may be offered. Room numbers are subject to change - please check when you arrive at the venue.



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