

Title: French Communication Skills – Part II

Prerequisite: French Communication Skills – Part I

Objectives:

The course is aimed at students who wish to continue studying French in order to enhance the communication skills. Following are the objectives of the course:

- To Enhance and elaborate on general subjects e.g. one's family, living conditions, hobbies, daily activities, routine conversations in office, hospital, post office, bank, railway station, airport, library etc.
- To teach the use of connectors/expressions/ proverbs in writing and speaking.
- To develop and enhance the use of French in given contexts.

Syllabus

The following topics will be covered in class.

- ✓ Informal letters/emails on topics like: describe your vacations, talk about your daily routine/activities.
- ✓ Narrative texts: My country/France, My favorite city, hobbies, My favorite authors, My favorite books, My favourite films, an unforgettable day, My favourite festivals.
- ✓ Messages: Greetings/Good Wishes/Obituary
- ✓ Invitation: Acceptance, Refusal.
- ✓ Connectors/proverbs/expressions used in day to day writing/speaking
- ✓ Sociocultural knowledge of India and France.

Suggested Book:

Latitudes 2 , Méthode de français A2/B1, Regine Merieux, Yves Loiseau, Didier, Paris, 2017.

Scheme of Examination

Written Exam

40 marks

- Write an informal letter/email on the given topic. (180 words). 15 marks
- Write one narrative text out of 3 given topics. (180-200 words). 15 marks
- Describe an event or personal experience. (120 words). 10 marks

Viva Voce

60 marks

- Brief monologue on one of the given topics (4-5 minutes). 15 marks
- Dialogue/Role Play between two students/student & examiner on one of the two given topics (5-6 minutes). 15 marks
- Describe one of the two given photos based on day to day activity (5-6 Minutes) 15 marks
- Answer the questions posed by the examiners (8-10 minutes) 15 marks

Learning Outcome

At the completion of the course, the student:

- Can write informal letters/ emails to friends or family.
 - Can conduct official correspondence.
 - Will have ability to write and speak in French on general subjects.
 - Can understand the use of connectors/expressions/proverbs in writing.
 - Will have better intercultural understanding.
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