

PALOMAR COLLEGE
COURSE OUTLINE OF RECORD FOR
DEGREE CREDIT COURSE

 X Transfer course X A.A. degree applicable course
(check all that apply)

COURSE NUMBER AND TITLE: French 115 - Elementary French

UNIT VALUE: 3

MINIMUM NUMBER OF SEMESTER HOURS: 48

BASIC SKILLS REQUIREMENTS:

Appropriate language skills.

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS:

PREREQUISITE: French 101 or French 106 or two years of high-school French.

COREQUISITE: None

RECOMMENDED PREPARATION: None

SCOPE OF COURSE:

Pronunciation, essentials of grammar, reading, speaking and writing.
Covers first half of French 110.

SPECIFIC COURSE OBJECTIVES:

Successful students will continue to:

1. identify basic characteristics of French verbs, nouns, pronouns, adjectives and adverbs.
2. formulate basic French sentences.
3. read and interpret elementary passages of French literature.
4. apply principles of grammar orally.

5. become familiar with important aspects of French history and culture.

CONTENT IN TERMS OF SPECIFIC BODY OF KNOWLEDGE:

- I. The imperfect tense
- II. Ordinal numbers
- III. Time expressions with depuis
- IV. Interrogative pronouns
- V. Irregular verbs savoir, devoir, mettre, and venir

REQUIRED READING:

Bragger, Jeanette D. and Donald B. Rice. Allons-y!. 4th edition. Boston: Heinle and Heinle, 1996. 298-421.

Bragger, Jeanette D. and Donald B. rice. Allons-y! Cahier de laboratoire et de travaux pratiques. 4th edition. Boston: Heinle and Heinle, 1996. 165-298.

SUGGESTED READING:

Capretz, Pierre J. and Barry Lydgate. French in Action. New Haven: Yale University Press, 1987. 58-95.

REQUIRED WRITING:

Weekly French-French exercises; total approximately 10 pages.

OUTSIDE ASSIGNMENTS:

Students are expected to spend a minimum of three hours per unit per week in class and on outside assignments, prorated for short term classes.

Taken from the required readings and from the required writings. Students will read short passages in French and write out grammar exercises.

INSTRUCTIONAL METHODOLOGY:

Check all that apply:

- lecture
- laboratory
- lecture-laboratory combination
- directed study

This course may be offered as a distance education course and meets Title 5 regulations 55370, 55372, 55374, 55376, 55378, and 55380.

Yes No

If yes, check all that apply. (See guidelines for preparation for definitions.)

- telecourse
- mediated instruction
- computer assisted instruction

GRADING POLICY AND STANDARDS (include methods of determining whether the stated objectives have been met by students):

Regular examinations - 50%
Final examination - 40%
Writing and Class Participation - 10%

IS COURSE REPEATABLE FOR REASON(S) OTHER THAN DEFICIENT GRADE?

Yes No Number of times course may be taken for credit: 1

If yes, identify specific provision of Title 5 Division 2 section(s) 55761-55763 and 58161 which qualifies course as repeatable:

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