

FRENCH I **FO2541/FO2542** **GRADE 9 - 12** **FULL YEAR**

Discover another world. The purpose of this elective is to achieve some efficiency in understanding, speaking, and reading the French language. This process involves work with dialogues and grammar exercises, the presentation of skits, and other oral classroom activities. Some simple writing is done, and the culture of some French-speaking areas is introduced. It is recommended for the college-bound student who maintains an overall academic record of "C".

PREREQUISITE: An overall average of "C" or better

FRENCH II **FO2531/FO2532** **GRADE 10 - 12** **FULL YEAR**

Emphasis is given to developing more efficiency in conversation, reading a variety of simple French literature (poems, skits, stories), and writing some basic sentences and paragraphs. A workbook is used for the study of grammar. Every effort should be made in attempting to speak the language both in class and outside of class. Students are encouraged to purchase a good French - English dictionary.

PREREQUISITE: Successful completion of French I

FRENCH III **FO2521/FO2522** **GRADE 11 - 12** **FULL YEAR**

French III should be selected by those students who are interested in further developing the fundamental skills studied in the first two levels. Both a text and a workbook will be used, along with other supplementary readers. The object of the course is to get involved with the French language and culture. To achieve this goal, the student must possess a genuine desire to speak the language, as well as initiate independent projects which will aid development. Students will also be instructing elementary students in simple French lessons. A good French-English dictionary is required.

PREREQUISITE: Successful completion of French II

FRENCH IV **FO2511/FO2512** **GRADE 12** **FULL YEAR**

Students will be able to study French literature and various readings, as well as improve their basic skills in grammar. Students will also be instructing elementary students in simple French lessons. A French-English dictionary is required.

PREREQUISITE: Successful completion of French III

SPANISH I **FO2641/FO2642** **GRADE 9 - 12** **FULL YEAR**

This course provides instruction in the pronunciation, basic grammar, and sentence structure of the Spanish language, introduces the students to the history and culture of some of the Spanish-speaking areas of the world, and attempts to foster the understanding that the values of all people are worthy of consideration and respect. In order to develop an ability for meaningful oral and written communication in the language, the student must be prepared to spend considerable time in home study and to maintain active participation in regular class activities. Success will be measured on a cumulative basis.

PREREQUISITE: Overall average of "C" or better

SPANISH II **FO2631/FO2632** **GRADE 10 - 12** **FULL YEAR**

Spanish II is a continuation of Spanish I. The student is introduced to more complex grammatical patterns and an increased emphasis is placed on enhancing the student's skills in oral and written communication. Desirable qualities for a second-year language student include the recognition that there may be more than one acceptable style of living, the ability to listen to others respectfully, a willingness to participate in group activities, and pleasure found in demonstrating appropriate skills. The student is encouraged to purchase a good Spanish-English dictionary.

PREREQUISITE: Successful completion of Spanish I

SPANISH III **FO2621/FO2622** **GRADE 11 - 12** **FULL YEAR**

The instructional activities of this course are similar in nature to those of the first two levels, although at an advanced level of difficulty. The student is expected to practice the rules of good grammar and pronunciation, show a desire to obtain maximum proficiency in the development of language skills, assume an active role in the classroom and related activities, and be able to work independently. The use of English is discouraged in this class. A good Spanish - English dictionary is required.

PREREQUISITE: Successful completion of Spanish II

SPANISH IV **FO2611/FO2612** **GRADE 12** **FULL YEAR**

This course is for students who desire to continue their study of the Spanish language, but do not necessarily plan to take the AP examination. Students who enroll should already have a basic knowledge of language and culture. They should also have attained a reasonable proficiency in listening comprehension, speaking, reading, and writing.

PREREQUISITE: Successful completion of Spanish III

AP SPANISH **FO2651/FO2652** **GRADE 11 - 12** **FULL YEAR**

The **Advanced Placement Program** in Spanish Language is intended for those who have chosen to develop their proficiency in Spanish with no specific emphasis on literary analysis. Students who enroll should already have basic knowledge of language and culture. They also should have attained a reasonable proficiency in listening comprehension, speaking, reading, and writing. Summer study will be recommended for those who enroll in this course. Each student is encouraged to take the AP Spanish Language exam given in May.

PREREQUISITE: Successful completion of Spanish III