

一、課程名稱 (Name of the Course) : A Taste of France—Introduction to French Language and Culture (品味法蘭西—法國語言文化概論)

二、學分數 (Credit) : 2

三、授課教師 (Instructor) : Dr Edward Lindon

四、教學目標 (Course Objectives) :

A Taste of France—Exploring French Language and Culture aims to introduce the absolute beginner to the French language and culture. By the end of this course, students should have an elementary understanding of French cultural life. They should also be able to perform basic functions in French, such as introducing themselves, expressing simple likes and dislikes, spelling and using numbers.

五、授課進度 (Course Schedule) :

Week	Date	Topics
1	20 th Feb	Introduction; Numbers & Alphabet
2	27 th Feb	Verbs <i>avoir, être, s'appeler</i>
3	5 th Mar	Unit 1—Discovering the French language 1. <i>Introduce yourself</i> 2. <i>Do you understand?</i> 3. <i>Describing other people</i> 4. <i>Talking about objects</i> 5. <i>Meetings</i> 6. <i>Grammar is easy!</i>
4	12 th Mar	
5	19 th Mar	
6	26 th Mar	Unit 1 revision and test

—————2nd April—Inter-school Activities—————

7	9 th April	Unit 2—Getting to know you 1. <i>Personal Information</i>
8	16 th April	2. <i>Colleagues</i> 3. <i>Preferences</i>

9	23rd April	4. <i>Work</i> 5. <i>Leisure</i> 6. <i>Your Hometown</i>
10	30th April	Unit 2 revision and test
11	7th May	Unit 3—Organising your time 1. <i>Dates</i>
12	14th May	2. <i>Times</i> 3. <i>Timetables</i>
13	21st May	4. <i>Invitations</i> 5. <i>Making Suggestions</i> 6. <i>Day-tripping</i>

—————28th May—Sports Day—————

14	4th June	Unit 3 revision and test
15	11th June	Global revision
16	18th June	Final Examination

六、授課方式 (Course Description: How is the Course conducted) :

The main focus will be on listening and reading, with lesser emphasis on writing and speaking. Classes will be conducted in English and French. Students are encouraged to practice pronunciation drills on their own at home.

Students will be expected to complete weekly homeworks using the workbook, as well as revising all materials covered in class.

七、指定閱讀及參考書目 (Required Textbooks & Supplementary Materials) :

Required Texts

Campus 1 by Jacky Girardet and Jacques Pécheur, published by Clé International
Students should buy the student book and the exercise book; the others are optional.

Student book (ISBN 978-2-09-033308-4)

Exercise book (ISBN 978-2-09-033243-8)

CD audio set no. 3799

八、成績考核 (Grading)

The course will cover the first three units of *Campus 1*. Assessment will comprise three end-of-unit tests (20% each) and one final exam (40%).