

# FRENCH PK-12 EDUCATION -BA

WITH AREAS IN LITERATURE, CIVILIZATION, AND GLOBAL COMPETENCE

THIS IS A **GENERAL** CURRICULUM GUIDE AND IS NOT APPLICABLE TO EVERY STUDENT. IT IS IMPORTANT TO MEET WITH YOUR ADVISOR.

**Please Note: Students interested in majoring in a language, who have taken high school courses in that language, are strongly recommended to take the appropriate Language Placement Evaluation (LPE). Contact the Modern Languages and Literatures Department at (616) 331-3203.**

## Sample Plan

This plan assumes students will begin in FRE 201 – please consult an advisor if your initial placement is different.

Year One			
<sup>1</sup> WRT 120 or General Education (Philosophy & Literature)	3	<sup>1</sup> WRT 130 or WRT 150	3/4
FRE 201	4	FRE 202 (Global Perspectives)	4
General Education (Physical Science <u>OR</u> Life Science w/Lab)	4	PSY 101 (Social & Beh Sciences #1)	3
<sup>2</sup> MTH 110 or MTH 108	4/3	MTH 109 or Gen Ed/Elective	3
<i>Total</i>	<i>14/15</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>13/14</i>
Year Two			
FRE 315	3	FRE 317	3
FRE Elective	3	FRE 318	3
EDF 115 (Social & Beh Sciences #2)	3	General Education (Math Sci)	3
EDR 225	3	EDF 315 (US Diversity)	3
General Education (Historical Analysis)	3		
<i>Total</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>12</i>
Year Three			
MLL 313	1	<b>Study Abroad (12-15 credits in French)</b>	
FRE Elective	3		
General Education (The ARTS)	3		
PSY 301 or PSY 331	3		
EDF 260 (SWS #1)	3		
<i>Total</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>12/15</i>
Year Four			
FRE 400-Level Elective	3	FRE 495	3
MLL 314	3	FRE 332	3
General Education (SWS #2)	3	General Education (Physical Science <u>OR</u> Life Science w/Lab)	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
<i>Total</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>12</i>
Year Five			
EDI 335	4	EDI 435	7
EDI 332	2	EDI 432	2
EDR 321 (SWS) or EDR 320)	3	EDF 495	3
EDS 319 or EDS 318	3	<b>Teaching Internship</b>	
EDT 477 or EDT 476	3		
<b>Teacher Apprenticeship</b>			
<i>Total</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>12</i>

**See page 2 for full breakdown of major requirements and prerequisites**

<sup>1 1</sup> Students who self-place into WRT 120 should take this course in the fall semester and then take WRT 130 in the winter semester of their first year. Students who self-place into WRT 150 should normally take this course in the winter semester of their first year.

Students will not need to take WRT 120/130 or WRT 150 if they have earned credit for the course through AP/Dual Enrollment. A grade of C or better is required in WRT 130 or 150 in order to satisfy the WRT requirement at GVSU.

<sup>2</sup> Based on initial math placement, see advisor for specific details/recommendations

## General Education Overlap

### General Education Categories fulfilled by the German major:

Global Perspectives: FRE 202 if student places in FRE 202 or below and student completes FRE 202; students that test into 300 level will satisfy category after completion of 300 level FRE course; can also be met through study abroad

Issue: Can be met through study abroad, please see the Padnos International Center for details

## French Major – PK-12 Education (34 credits)

### Core Curriculum (15 credits)

**\_\_\_\_ FRE 315 French Conversation (3)**

Prerequisites: C (not C-) or better in FRE 202 or instructor permission; may be taken concurrently with FRE 316.

**\_\_\_\_ FRE 332 French Unfiltered (3)**

Prerequisite: C (not C-) or better in FRE 202 or instructor permission; may be taken concurrently with FRE 315.

**\_\_\_\_ FRE 495 Advanced Topics in French - Capstone (3) SWS**

Prerequisites for all courses: C (not C-) or better in all Core courses (FRE 315-316-317 and 318) or permission of instructor and senior standing

**\_\_\_\_ FRE 317 French Writing Through Stories and Digital Media (3)**

Prerequisite: C (not C-) or better in FRE 202 or instructor permission; Recommended after FRE 315 and FRE 316.

**\_\_\_\_ FRE 318 Literary Voyage: A French Exploration (3)**

Prerequisites: C (not C-) or better in FRE 202 or instructor permission; Recommended after FRE 315, FRE 316 and FRE 317.

### PK-12 Education Requirements for French (4 credits)

**\_\_\_\_ MLL 313 Foundations of World Language Teaching (1)**

**\_\_\_\_ MLL 314 Foreign Language Acquisition and Pedagogy (3)**

#### IMPORTANT!

1. Study Abroad is **REQUIRED** for the French PK-12 Major. [See page 3 for more information.](#)
2. [Oral Proficiency Interview](#) (OPI) – Students must achieve **Advanced Low** before student teaching) → Take official OPI as soon as possible after study abroad. Please see Professor Pettes-Guikema for information and a **practice interview** [before](#) you go abroad.
3. The **Michigan Test for Teacher Certification** (MTTC) must be taken **after** all or most of major coursework is completed. Please see Professor Pettes-Guikema prior to registering for the test.

### Elective Requirement (12 credits)

Four elective courses. One must be 400 level.

**\_\_\_\_ Elective FRE \_\_\_\_\_ (3)**

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**\_\_\_\_ Elective FRE 4xx \_\_\_\_\_ (3)**

- FRE 321 Medieval Encounters and Big Ideas
- FRE 322 Radical French Literature
- FRE 323 (Post-) Revolutionary Literatures
- FRE 331 French Phonetics
- FRE 333 Theory and Practice of Translation
- FRE 341 French History and Civilization
- FRE 342 Contemporary French Culture and Society
- FRE 343 Francophone Civilization
- FRE 351 Business French
- FRE 380 Special Topics in French
- FRE 385 French language Study Abroad
- FRE 386 French Culture Abroad
- FRE 388 EUSA Paris-France- (Internship)
- FRE 395 The Power of Words: Advanced French Speaking
- FRE 399 Independent Reading
- FRE 421 Medieval Knights, Monsters and Ladies who misbehave.
- FRE 422 Bold Humanism in French Literature
- FRE 423 French Fables, Fairy tales and Farce.
- FRE 424 Scandalous Literature
- FRE 425 Romantics vs. Realists
- FRE 426 French Literature today
- FRE 427 Francophone Literatures and Cultures
- FRE 480 Special Topics in French
- FRE 499 Independent Study and Research

Certain courses may be taken twice with different course content (i.e. FRE 380, 480)

## Second Major in Education (42 credits)

### Education Major Prerequisites (15 credits)

A 2.7 cumulative GPA in the Education Major Prerequisites is required with no grade lower than a C

**— EDF 115 Introduction to Education: An Exploration of Schooling in America (3)**

**— EDF 315 Diverse Perspectives on Education (3)**

**— EDF 260 Educational Research and Assessment: Foundations of Practice (3)**

**— PSY 331 Adolescent Development (3) or PSY 301 Child Development (3).** Prerequisite: PSY 101

**— EDR 225 Introduction to Teaching Multilingual Learners (3)**

#### Teacher Apprenticeship (15 credits)

No grade lower than a B-

#### Student Internship (13 credits)

No grade lower than a B-

**— EDI 335 PK-12 Teacher Apprenticeship and Seminar (4)**

**— EDI 332 Secondary Apprenticeship: Disciplinary Content Seminar (2)**

**— EDR 321 Disciplinary Literacies (3) or EDR 320 Language and Literacy: Development, Assessment, & Instruction (3)**

**— EDS 319 Universal Design for Learning: Secondary (3) or EDS 318 Teaching Students with Learning and Behavior Difficulties (3)**

**— EDT 477 Teaching with Technology: Secondary (3) or EDT 476 Teaching with Technology (3)**

**— EDI 435 PK-12 Teaching Internship and Seminar (7)**

**— EDI 432 Secondary Internship: Disciplinary Content Seminar (2)**

**— EDF 495 The Context of Education Issues (3)**