

IMPERIAL VALLEY COLLEGE
FRENCH 201/211: INTERMEDIATE FRENCH I (II)
SPRING SEMESTER 2016 SYLLABUS

I. COURSE AND CONTACT INFORMATION

Division: Arts and Letters. CRN: 20434/204435 Room: 205 Days: MTWR Time: 11:30 a.m. -12:40 p.m. Units: 5.

Instructor: Glenn Swiadon, Ph. D. Office: 206: MTWR: 1:00-2:00 p.m. Email: glenn.swiadon@imperial.edu Telephone: 760 355 6230. Holidays: May 30.

II. REQUIRED COURSE MATERIALS:

1. Bissière, Michèle. *Séquences. Intermediate French Through Film. Second Edition.* Boston: Heinle, 2013. 2. Bissière, Michèle. *Student Activities Manual. Séquences. Intermediate French Through Film. Second Edition.* Boston: Heinle, 2013.

III. COURSE DESCRIPTION AND PROCEDURES: French 201/211 presents intermediate concepts of French and Francophone language and civilization contextualized mainly through discussion and French films, including L'Auberge espagnole, Persepolis, Rue case nègres, Chaos, Indochine, Le Placard and Entre les murs. Students should plan to dedicate two hours to study outside of class for each class session. Please type or use blue or black ink only. Successful completion of French 110 or the equivalent is required for enrollment.

IV. SELECTED LEARNING OUTCOMES

1. Students will be able to discuss student life as it relates to growth, change and transition.
2. Students will be able to analyse French colonization and immigration in the context of social class.
3. Students will be able articulate ideas about real or hypothetical events in the past, present and future.

V. ASSESSMENT: The course grade is calculated using the following percentages:

Homework 15%: Must be handed in on time.

Compositions 15%.

Midterm 25%: written midterm: April 14. There is no make-up.

Final exam 30%: written final: June 9. There is no make-up.

Participation 15%: The participation grade is based on preparation and performance of class activities. Please turn off electronic devices and stow them away before class to avoid grades being lowered.

VI. ACCENT MARKS FOR FRENCH WITH MICROSOFT WORD

1. **ACCENT AIGU** (as in *café*): Hold down control-key and type an apostrophe ('). Release keys. You will see nothing. Then type an *e*. You will see *é*.

2. ACCENT GRAVE (as in *synthèse*): Hold down control-key and type a grave accent (´), under the ~ (tilde). Release keys. You will see nothing. Then type an *e*. You will see è.
3. ACCENT CIRCONFLEXE (as in *forêt*): Hold down the control-key and type a carat (^), that is, type CNTRL+SHIFT+6. Release keys. You will see nothing. Then type the vowel (*a, e, i, o* or *u*). You will then see â, ê, î, ô or û.
4. CÉDILLE (as in *français*): Hold down control-key and type a comma (,). Release keys. You will see nothing. Then type a *c*. You will then see ç.

VII. ATTENDANCE AND PARTICIPATION: Regular and punctual class attendance is essential for success in this course. No food or drink allowed in the classroom. Water is permitted.

VII. ACADEMIC MISCONDUCT: No sharing your work, copying or getting help from or doing homework with other students or using any online source or software for assignments. All students involved will receive an “F” on the assignment. For repeats, they will also be referred to the Associate Dean of Students. Information about student rights and responsibilities is available at (<http://www.imperial.edu/index.php?pid=460>).

IX. DISABILITY: Students with a documented disability of any kind who may need educational accommodations should notify the instructor and the Disabled Student Programs and Services office as soon as possible. The DSPS office is located in the Health Sciences Building, room 2117. The telephone number is 355-6312.

X. COURSE SCHEDULE (subject to change)

Semaine 1	lundi	mardi	mercredi	jeudi
16-18 février	Jour férié	Introduction au cours	Chapitre préliminaire	Chapitre préliminaire
			Le présent de l'indicatif	Le présent de l'indicatif
Semaine 2	lundi	mardi	mercredi	jeudi
22-25 février	Chapitre préliminaire	Chapitre 1	Chapitre 1	Chapitre 1
	Le présent de l'indicatif	<i>L'Auberge espagnole</i>	<i>L'Auberge espagnole</i>	<i>L'Auberge espagnole</i>
Semaine 3	lundi	mardi	mercredi	jeudi
29 février-3 mars	Chapitre 1	Chapitre 1	Chapitre 1	Chapitre 1

	<i>L'Auberge espagnole</i>	<i>L'Auberge espagnole</i>	<i>L'Auberge espagnole</i>	<i>L'Auberge espagnole</i>
Semaine 4	lundi	Mardi	mercredi	jeudi
7-10 mars	Chapitre 1	Chapitre 3	Chapitre 3	Chapitre 3
	<i>L'Auberge espagnole</i>	<i>Persepolis</i>	<i>Persepolis</i>	<i>Persepolis</i>
Semaine 5	lundi	mardi	mercredi	jeudi
14-17 mars	Chapitre 3	Chapitre 3	Chapitre 3	Chapitre 3
	<i>Persepolis</i>	<i>Persepolis</i>	<i>Persepolis</i>	<i>Persepolis</i>
Semaine 6	lundi	mardi	mercredi	jeudi
21-24 mars	Chapitre 3	Chapitre 2	Chapitre 2	Chapitre 2
	<i>Persepolis</i>	<i>Rue cases nègres</i>	<i>Rue cases nègres</i>	<i>Rue cases nègres</i>
Semaine 7	lundi	mardi	mercredi	jeudi
4-7 avril	Chapitre 2	Chapitre 2	Chapitre 2	Chapitre 2
	<i>Rue cases nègres</i>	<i>Rue cases nègres</i>	<i>Rue cases nègres</i>	<i>Rue cases nègres</i>
Semaine 8	lundi	mardi	mercredi	jeudi
11-14 avril	Chapitre 2	Chapitre 6	Examen partiel d'entraînement	Examen partiel
	<i>Rue cases nègres</i>	<i>Chaos</i>		
Semaine 9	lundi	mardi	mercredi	jeudi
18-21 avril	Chapitre 6	Chapitre 6	Chapitre 6	Chapitre 6

	<i>Chaos</i>	<i>Chaos</i>	<i>Chaos</i>	<i>Chaos</i>
Semaine 10	lundi	mardi	mercredi	jeudi
25-28 avril	Chapitre 6	Chapitre 6	Chapitre 5	Chapitre 5
	<i>Chaos</i>	<i>Chaos</i>	<i>Indochine</i>	<i>Indochine</i>
Semaine 11	lundi	mardi	mercredi	jeudi
2-5 mai	Chapitre 5	Chapitre 5	Chapitre 5	Chapitre 5
	<i>Indochine</i>	<i>Indochine</i>	<i>Indochine</i>	<i>Indochine</i>
Semaine 12	lundi	mardi	mercredi	jeudi
9-12 mai	Chapitre 6	Chapitre 5	Chapitre 4	Chapitre 4
	<i>Indochine</i>	<i>Indochine</i>	<i>Le Placard</i>	<i>Le Placard</i>
Semaine 13	lundi	mardi	mercredi	jeudi
19 mai	Chapitre 4	Chapitre 4	Chapitre 4	Chapitre 4
	<i>Le Placard</i>	<i>Le Placard</i>	<i>Le Placard</i>	<i>Le Placard</i>
Semaine 14	lundi	mardi	mercredi	jeudi
23-26 mai	Chapitre 4	Chapitre 7	Chapitre 7	Chapitre 7

	<i>Le Placard</i>	<i>Entre les murs</i>	<i>Entre les murs</i>	<i>Entre les murs</i>
Semaine 15	lundi	mardi	mercredi	jeudi
30 mai-2 juin	Jour férié	Chapitre 7	Chapitre 7	Chapitre 7
Semaine 16 6-9 juin	<hr/> <u>Lundi</u> Chapitre 7 <hr/> <i>Entre les murs</i>	<hr/> <u>mardi</u> Chapitre 7 <hr/> <i>Entre les murs</i>	<hr/> <u>mercredi</u> examen final d'entraînement	<hr/> <u>jeudi</u> examen final