

FW 2025-26 (W)

AP/FR 4222 M 3.0 (W)	The Francophone World: Contemporary Issues
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Time:	W 14:30-17:30
Delivery Format:	<input type="radio"/> LECTURE/TUTORIALS
Description:	This course explores the Francophone world (la Francophonie) from a linguistic, cultural, political and economic point of view. The course will cover topics related to language and identity, language status, cultural assimilation etc. in French-speaking countries in Asia, Africa and the West-Indies. It will introduce students to the historical circumstances of the establishment of the OIF and have them reflect on the political future of the OIF in a context of internationalization. It examines the issues currently confronting French-speaking communities and countries as well as the actions taken by various government and international organizations (e.g. l'Organisation internationale de la francophonie) in response to these issues.
Required Reading List:	<i>APPROX. based on previous offering of the course; see W26 syllabus distributed on first day of class for exact requirements</i> (1974). Bibliographie sur la francophonie. <i>Études internationales</i> , 5 (2), 399–42 https://www.erudit.org/fr/revues/ei/1974-v5-n2-ei2977/700453ar.pdf Le Clézio, JMG (2020). <i>Francophonie: Pour l'amour d'une langue</i> . Collection L'âme des peuples. Éditions Nevicata OIF (2019). <u>La langue française dans le monde</u> . Gallimard (en ligne également) Phan T. et Guillou M. (2011). <u>Francophonie et Mondialisation</u> . AUF et Belin. Tétu, M. (1988). <u>La Francophonie</u> . Guérin Universitaire. Montréal
Prerequisites:	Prerequisite: AP/FR 2100 6.00 with a minimum grade of C and AP/FR 2082.

Weighting of Course	APPROX. based on previous offering of course: -Attendance 5% -Engagement 10% -Written test 20% -Research 20% -Presentation of research 10% -Presentation on francophone organization 10% -Written resume of oral document 15% -Experiential Activities 10%
Organization of the course	LECT in person throughout the W26 term at location indicated in course timetable
Course Learning Objectives	*Details on course syllabus
Additional Information/Notes	