SU26-Course outline

AP/FR 1003 3.00 (S1) A	**French Foundations (CEFR A2)**
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Time:	M-W 10:30-14:30
Delivery Format:	◯ **ONLINE** SYNCHRONOUS
Description:	This course enables students to acquire a strong foundation in writing and grammar skills, and to a lesser degree of oral proficiency, progressing from the CEFR A1 to A2 level. Students build confidence while discovering Francophone culture. This course does not count towards the degree requirements for students majoring or minoring in French Studies.
Requirements:	Attendance during listed class times is required
Required Reading List:	*See syllabus for bibliographic details. Library Support Statement • Library Statement - French Studies Courses APFR.pdf
Prerequisites:	AP/FR 0120 6.00 (with a minimum grade of C, or C- under the new grading scheme) or AP/FR 1002 3.00 (with a minimum grade of C, or C- under the new grading scheme) or GL/FRAN 1820 3.00 (with a minimum grade of C, or C- under the new grading scheme), or through a language placement test. placement test
Weighting of Course	*See syllabus for details.
Organization of the course	*See syllabus for details.
Course Learning Objectives	This course helps students to gain proficiency in French by discussing and applying the strategies and methods of language learning. While learning to relate experiences as well as future aspirations, students gain a technical grasp of French grammar through study of different tenses, agreement and placement of adjectives, and correct use of determiners. They compose brief texts and use simple connectors to underscore relationships between ideas. They also start to build their fluency, gaining confidence in their ability to understand spoken French through face-to-face interaction, and developing familiarity with the phonetic particularities of French. Overall, this course

	offers a technical grounding on which to build fluency going forward.
Additional Information/Notes	*There will be no participation grade for this course. Participation will be evaluated indirectly through in-class group assignments and other in-class evaluations.