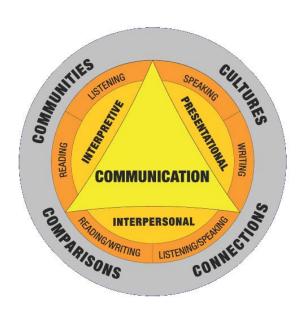
Windham School District French Curriculum



World Language Philosophy Statement

Learn a Language Share a Culture Be a Part of the World!

Students communicate at level in the target language in both oral and written forms: listening, speaking, reading, and writing.

Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationships between the products, practices, and perspectives of the target culture and participate in multilingual communities (within the school settings and beyond).

Students engage in interdisciplinary activities and demonstrate understanding of the target language and culture through comparisons with their own. Students learn to respect the many global similarities and differences!



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World Language Standards

(Derived from the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages)

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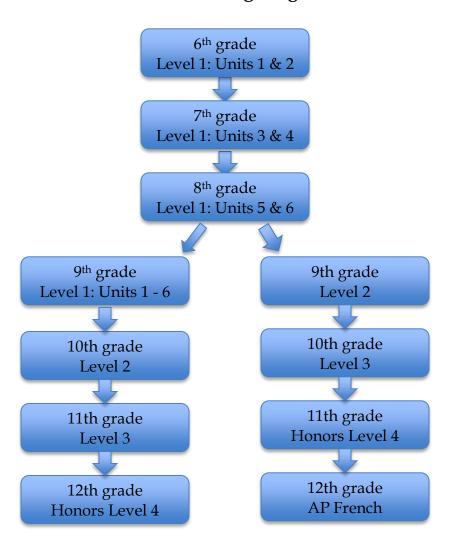
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Essential Questions

- 1. What is the value of learning another language?
- 2. Why is it important to communicate effectively?
- 3. How do history, literature, and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture?
- 4. How do other cultures influence our lives?

World Languages Curriculum French Learning Progression



Curriculum Overview SAU 95

Title of Curriculum: French 1

Unit Name	Why Enduring Understandings	How Skills	What Content
Unit 1: Introduction: Faisons connaissance	 Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, listening, reading, writing) Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the curriculum Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture 	 Greet and respond Introduce yourself, family, and others Use the French alphabet Talk about age Use basic classroom phrases 	 State one's nationality and where one is from Point out people and find out who they are Numbers
Unit 2: La Vie Courante		 Use formal and informal address Express hunger and thirst Use definite and indefinite articles Tell time, date, and weather 	 Offer and ask for food Order something to drink Vocabulary for time, days, dates, weather, and seasons
Unit 3: Qu'est-ce qu'on fait?		 Express wishes Form questions Conjugate "-er" verbs and être 	 Describe daily activities Offer and receive invitations Find out where people are Finding out information (interrogative expressions)
Unit 4: Le monde personnel et familier		 Demonstrate use of noun / adjective agreement Make articles, nouns, and adjectives plural 	 Describe people and things Talk about possessions and preferences Describe objects by color and size

		Overview of Haiti
Unit 5: En Ville	 Give directions Use <i>aller</i> and <i>venir</i> to express near future and recent past Use stress and possessive pronouns 	 Get around in a French city Describe homes Go to places, talk about future plans Find out what people are talking about Talk about one's family
Unit 6: Le Shopping	 Use adjectives to describe and compare clothing Conjugate and use regular "-ir" and "re" verbs 	 Talk about clothing and accessories Shopping Comparisons Discover what stores are selling Give suggestions and commands

<u>Title of Curriculum</u>: French 2

Unit Name	Why Enduring understandings	How Skills	What Content
Reprise (Note: This unit reviews concept and vocabulary from Level 1)	 Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, listening, reading, writing) Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the curriculum Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture 	Reactivate basic communication skills	Everyday expressionsAsk and answer questionsSimple description
Unit 1: Qui suis-je?		 Demonstrate adjective agreement and position Use idiomatic expressions with avoir and faire Use recent past and immediate future Form questions using inversion 	 Present oneself, make introductions Describe people Talk about people and their activities Go to places around town
Unit 2: Le weekend, enfin!		Use passé composé with avoir and être	 Talk about weekend activities Vocabulary to show past or present Vocabulary for the countryside
Unit 3: Bon Appétit!		 Use vouloir, pouvoir, devoir to express want, to request, and to accept Understanding and apply the "partitif" Conjugate and use stemchanging verbs 	 Talk about food and meals Shop at the supermarket Discuss food preferences Expressions of quantity

Unit 4: Loisirs et Spectacles	 Use direct and indirect object pronouns Understand and apply the verbs connaître and savoir (to know) Conjugate and use irregular verbs: dire, lire, écrire 	Talk about entertainment activities, friends and acquaintances, other people, and possessions
Unit 5: Vive le Sport!	 Understand and apply pronouns: y and en Conjugate and use the verb croire Conjugate and use reflexive verbs in the past and present tenses 	 Talk about sports and health, activities Discuss the daily routine Expressions of time to indicate completed or habitual actions in the past Vocabulary for expressing opinions
Unit 6: Chez nous	 Use imperfect tense to show habitual and progressive actions in the past Use imperfect tense to show supporting details and background information for past events Use relative pronouns qui and que Understand when to use passé composé vs. imperfect 	 Describe where one lives Make clarifications Vocabulary for turning on and off appliances

Title of Curriculum: French 3

Unit Name	Why Enduring understandings	How Skills	What Content
Reprise (Note: this unit reviews core material from Discovering French – Bleu and Blanc)	 Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, listening, reading, writing) Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the curriculum Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture 	 Reactivate skills for introductions Review the use of passé composé and imperfect Review direct and indirect object pronouns 	Talk about daily activities and food
Unit 1: Au jour le jour		 Use reflexive verbs to discuss daily routine in past and present tenses Use reflexive verbs in idiomatic expressions 	 Vocabulary for physical appearance and daily routine Vocabulary for physical condition and feelings French art
Unit 2: Soyons utile!		Form and use the subjunctive tense to express obligation and wishes or wants	 Vocabulary for chores Ask for help, accepting, and giving excuses Overview of French history and literature 200 B.C – 1453 A.D,
Unit 3: Vive la nature		 Use passé composé and imperfect verbs with regular, irregular, and reflexive verbs Use passé compose and imperfect to relate details 	 Vacation, outdoor activities, the environment Vocabulary to discuss and describe an event or tell a story Vocabulary for weather in

	of a story Recognize the use of passé simple in literature	past, present, and immediate future Overview of French history and literature 1453 – 1715
Unit 4: Aspects de la vie quotidienne	 Review the use of pronouns y and en Combine definite and indefinite pronouns Use faire to show an action being completed for you 	 Vocabulary for shopping at specialty markets and personal services Indefinite expressions of quantity Overview of French music from medieval times to the present
Unit 5: Bon voyage	 Use negative expressions Conjugate and use verbs in the future and conditional tenses 	 Vocabulary for travel Overview of French history from 1715 - 1870
Unit 6: Séjour en France	 Make comparisons of adjectives, adverbs, and nouns Form and use the superlative Use the interrogative pronoun lequel Use possessive pronouns to replace nouns with possessive adjectives 	 Vocabulary for hotel stays Overview of French history and literature from 1870 - 2002
Unit 7: La Forme et la Santé	Use subjunctive tense to express doubts, fears and beliefs, and emotions	Vocabulary for health care

Title of Curriculum: French 4

Unit Name	Why	How	What
Unit 1: Nonfiction	 Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, listening, reading, writing) Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the curriculum Students will use French to gain an understanding of 	 Review imperfect vs. passé composé in memoires Read critically Identify and interpret cultural inferences Understand, speak and write about current events in France and francophone countries Research, interpret, and present biographical information 	 La Presse Française: Newspapers from France and francophone countries Memoires: Maryse Condé and Simone de Beauvoir Biographies of famous French people
Unit 2: Short story	the nature of language and culture	 Identify elements of fable, folktale, and fairy tale Identify how authors present characters by means of rhetorical elements Identify elements of plot development Compare and contrast presentation of story 	 Fables and folktales Fairy tales Short stories

	elements across media	
Unit 3: Poetry and Drama	 Identify elements of poetry including theme, tone, figurative language, rhythm, rhyme Identify cultural references and influences in poetry Analyze character development in plays Compare and contrast the directors' visions in various presentations of the same play 	 Selection of 20th century poetry The play <i>Knock</i> by Jules Romains
Unit 4: Novel	 Identify elements of the novel: character, plot, setting, etc. Summarize plot Identify use of figurative and rhetorical language in a novel Compare and contrast presentation across media 	Novels to include, but not limited to: le Petit Prince and excerpts from Candide

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Standards of approval: Course Name: $\underline{\textbf{French I}}$

Title of Unit	Unit 1: Introduction: Faisons connaissance
Enduring	Studying and understanding the structure of language develops skills which are transferable to
Understandings	other disciplines and can help in learning across the curriculum and throughout life
	 Systematically studying a foreign language fosters a deeper understanding of one's own language,
	broadens one's own global perspective, and prepares a student for fuller participation in the global community
	Studying a foreign culture fosters a deeper understanding of one's own heritage, culture, and
	country.
	 Proficiency in a foreign language will improve proficiency and fluency in one's own native tongue.
Essential	What is the value of learning another language?
Questions	Why is it important to communicate effectively?
	 How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture?
	How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	Greetings and responses in French
	Introducing oneself
	Talking about friends and family
	Understanding pronunciation and usage of the French Alphabet
Skills	Greet and respond in French
	Introduce oneself and others
	Understand and use the French Alphabet
	Comprehend and communicate giving name and where you are from
	Understand, speak, and write telephone numbers using 1-10
	Use and understand basic classroom phrases
	Know basic-geography of French-speaking countries
Common	Lesson Assessments
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Title of Unit	Unit 2 : La Vie Courante
Enduring	Snack foods and beverages
Understandings	Asking about prices and paying for food/drink
	Using the "euro"
	Definite and indefinite articles
	Pronouns to replace objects
	Telling time
	Use of the 24-hour clock for appointments and transportation
	The Date and the day of the week
	Weather expressions
Essential	What is the value of learning another language?
Questions	Why is it important to communicate effectively?
	 How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture?
	How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	Snack foods and beverages
	• Prices
	Use Formal/Informal verbs and pronouns
	Using forms of "avoir" with hunger/thirst
	Definite and indefinite articles
	• "time"
	Using a form "etre" to tell time.
	Days of the week
	Months of the Year
	• The date
	Weather expressions
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Skills	Ask for foods and beverages
	Asking about prices
	Learning formal and informal verbs and pronouns
	Expressing hunger and thirst

	Using definite and indefinite articles
	Telling time
	Giving the date
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Title of Unit	Unit 3: Qu'est-ce qu'on fait
Enduring	Activities
Understandings	Conjugations of "etre"
	Describing locations
	Negative expressions
	Conjugations of "er" verb
	Forming questions
	Irregular verb "Faire"
Essential	What is the value of learning another language?
Questions	Why is it important to communicate effectively?
	 How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture?
	How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	Expressions of wishes and wants
	Conjugations of regular and irregular verbs
	Formation of questions
	School classes and schedules
Skills	Expressing wishes
	Forming questions
	Conjugating "er" and irregular verbs
	Comparing school in U.S. and France
	Comparing phone etiquette in U.S. and France
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Summative	Unit Assessment
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Title of Unit	Unit 4: Le monde personnel et familier
Enduring Understandings	 Vocabulary: les personnes (people) Asking questions about people Adjectives: Masculine and feminine Objects: asking about objects Describing your bedroom Prepositions What you have and what you don't have: Expressions using AVOIR Haiti: Connections Plural definite and indefinite articles The uses of the definite article to express ideas Importance of friendships in the French culture Adjectives to describe personality, nationality Colors Noun/adjective agreement Adjective placement Driving in France
Essential Questions	 What is the value of learning another language? Why is it important to communicate effectively? How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture? How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	 Physical descriptions of people and objects, The description of personal items and your bedroom Expressions of what you have and what you don't have Descriptions with prepositions Formation of plural articles Expressions using definite articles Descriptions using personalities, nationalities, and colors.

	Placement of adjectives
Skills	Describe people and objects
	Describe personal items and your bedroom
	Express what you have and what you don't have
	Describe using prepositions
	Make articles plural
	Express ideas using definite articles
	Describe people using adjectives about personalities and nationalities.
	Describe items using color
	Forming agreements with adjectives and nouns
	Learning about Haiti
	Learning about the "rules of the road": French and driving
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Title of Unit Enduring Understandings	Unit 5: En Ville Cities and towns: buildings, places of interest, directions Activities: Nouns and verbs Home and apartments Irregular verbs: aller, venir, Prepositions: chez, à and de with the definite articles Places and events, getting around town, in a restaurant Near future" tense Playing sports and instruments Stress Pronouns Descriptions using "de" Possession: "de" and adjectives Family members Ordinal numbers Cultural Information: At the café, Pets in France, When in ParisLandmarks Movies, Tintin, French singers
Essential Questions	 Le Paris: using maps What is the value of learning another language? Why is it important to communicate effectively? How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture? How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	 Cultural information about French cities and Paris (in particular) Building names and descriptions Directions Home descriptions Locations of Paris Use of verb "to go" and "to come" Use of Prepositions Activities

	Descriptions of Family / Importance of pets
	Use & placement of stress and possessive adjectives
Skills	Learning about cities
	Understanding building names
	Learning directions
	Describing homes
	 Using the verb "to go" in the present and "Near Future" tense
	Placing prepositions
	Using the verb "to come"
	Understanding pronoun differences (stress/possessive pronouns)
	Describing families and pets
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Title of Unit	Unit 6 : Le Shopping
Enduring	Name and describe the clothes that you wear
Understandings	Discuss Style
	To shop for clothes and other items
	To talk about money
	To make comparisons
	To point out certain people or objects to your friends
Essential	What is the value of learning another language?
Questions	Why is it important to communicate effectively?
	 How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture?
	How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	Clothing names and adjectives
	Descriptions with new verbs as they relate to clothing
	Use of stem-changing verbs
	Use of demonstrative and interrogative adjectives
	Introduction of IR/ER verbs
	• Comparisons
	Introduction of verbs in relation to money
	Use of new subject pronoun
Skills	Learning vocabulary of clothing
	Describing with adjectives
	Using new verbs
	Learning regular IR, RE verbs
	Comparing with adjectives
	Using verbs as relating to spending or earning money and wearing clothing
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Standards of approval: Course Name: $\underline{\textbf{French II}}$

Title of Unit	Reprise (Note: This unit reviews concepts and vocabulary from Units 1-6 of Discovering French –Bleu)
Enduring	Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, writing, oral and written)
Understandings	comprehension)
	Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world
	 Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the
	curriculum
	Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture
Essential	What is the value of learning another language?
Questions	Why is it important to communicate effectively?
	How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture?
	How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	Counting
	Giving the date
	Telling time
	• Weather
	Things one owns – clothing, furniture
	Daily activities – 1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd conjugation verbs, irregular verbs from French 1
	• Likes and dislikes
	 Interrogative expressions
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	Articles (and use in negative sentences, and with prepositions)
	Possessive adjectives
	• Colors
	Demonstrative adjectives
	Interrogative adjectives
	Subject pronouns
	Stress pronouns

	Imperative forms with "moi"
	• The euro
	School subjects
	Time zones
	Subjects French teens study
	French teen activities
Skills	Students will be able to speak, write, and understand numbers through the thousands
	Students will be able to tell and write times, understand times given orally and in written form
	Students will be able to speak, write and understand vocabulary and grammar constructions for
	weather
	Students will be able to describe things they own orally and in written form, and will be able to
	understand this oral and written vocabulary and verb forms used
	Students will be able to describe places they go and things they do orally and in written form, and
	will be able to understand the oral and written vocabulary and verb forms used
	Students will be able to discuss things they like and do not like to do orally and in written form,
	and will be able to understand the oral and written vocabulary and verb forms used
	Students will be able to ask and answer questions both orally and in written form, and will be able
	to understand the oral and written vocabulary and verb forms used
	Students will understand the structure of the French school system
	Students will understand the monetary system for the euro
Common	Written test on each part of the unit
Summative	Unit test
Assessments	Written paragraph at end of unit – places the student likes to go and things s/he likes to do on vacation
	Assessment of oral expression
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Students acquire information and recognize the distinctive viewpoints that are only available through the foreign language and its cultures.

Comparisons: Develop Insight into the Nature of Language and Culture

Standard 4.1: Language Comparisons

Students demonstrate understanding of the nature of language through comparisons of the language studied and their own.

Standard 4.2: Cultural Comparisons

Students demonstrate understanding of the concept of culture through comparisons of the cultures studied and their own.

Communities: Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home and Around the World

Standard 5.1: School and Community

Students use the language both within and beyond the school setting.

Standard 5.2: Lifelong Learning

Students show evidence of becoming lifelong learners by using the language for personal enjoyment and enrichment.

Title of Unit	Unit 1: Who Am I?
Enduring Understandings	 Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, writing, oral and written comprehension) Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the curriculum Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture
Essential	What is the value of learning another language?
Questions	 Why is it important to communicate effectively? How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture? How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	 Nationalities Professions Identity Friends and family vocabulary Physical and personality adjective Introductions Telephone expressions / vocabulary Expressions with être Adjectives: form and position Irregular adjectives Determining the use of C'est or Il / Elle est Expressions with avoir Expressions with faire Questions with inversion Verb aller: construction with infinitive Verb venir: construction with venir de and infinitive The present tense with depuis French regions French holidays

	French landmarks
	Le Tour de France
Skills	Students will be able to express needs
	Students will be able to use expressions indicating emotion
	Students will be able to listen and converse in social situation
	Students will be able to understand and convey information about family, friends, transportation, professions, and work
	Students will be able to use authentic materials written in French
	Students will be able to write letters or short guided compositions
	Students will be able to use and understand expressions and questions when speaking and listening
	Students will be able to write sentences/ paragraphs on the topics from the unit
	Students will be able to understand important ideas and some details in highly contextualized authentic texts
	Students will demonstrate culturally appropriate behavior when understanding and expressing important ideas and some details
	Students will be able to discuss / compare and contrast French holiday celebrations
	Students will demonstrate familiarity with the regions of France
	Students will demonstrate their familiarity with the Tour de France
Common	Written test on each part of the unit
Summative	Unit test
Assessments	Written paragraph at end of unit - description of a friend
	Assessment of oral expression
Standards	Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English
	Standard 1.1: Interpersonal Communication
	Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and
	exchange opinions.
	Standard 1.2: Interpretive Communication
	Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.
	Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication
	Students present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of topics.

Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understanding of Other Cultures

Standard 2.1: Practices of Culture

Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the culture studied.

Standard 2.2: Products of Culture

Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives of the culture studied.

Connections: Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information

Standard 3.1: Making Connections

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Communities: Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home and Around the World

Standard 5.1: School and Community

Students use the language both within and beyond the school setting.

Standard 5.2: Lifelong Learning

Students show evidence of becoming lifelong learners by using the language for personal enjoyment and enrichment.

Title of Unit	Unit 2: The Week-end, At Last!
Enduring Understandings	 Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, writing, oral and written comprehension) Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the curriculum Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture
Essential	What is the value of learning another language?
Questions	 Why is it important to communicate effectively? How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture? How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	 Past tense: transitive and intransitive verbs, irregular past participles, negation, interrogative forms Irregular verbs: prendre, mettre, voir, sortir, partir, dormir
	 Regular verbs: aider, assister á, bronzer, laver, chercher, nager, nettoyer, ranger, passer, rencontrer, rentrer, rester, retrouver, travailler, monter, descendre Expressions using il y a
	• Expressions using aller
	 Quelqu'un, quelque chose, and their opposites
	 Vocabulary for weekend activities at home and around town
	 Vocabulary – the country and the farm (animals)
	 Expressions for time and sequence
	Talking about past events
	Common activities of French teens
	• Paris
	Riding the Paris subway
	The French love of nature
Skills	 Students will be able to describe what they do on weekends
	 Students will be able to describe where they go and how they got there
	 Students will be able to describe the countryside and understand the description of others
	 Students will be able to convey and understand information about the past

	Students will be able to talk, write, and understand information about a series of events
	Students will be able to write a postcard
	Students will be able to use French when taking public transportation
	Students will be able to read and understand authentic materials such as tickets, brochures, and short narratives
	Students will be able to create simple paragraphs when writing
	 Students will be able to create simple paragraphs when writing Students will be able to understand main ideas and some details in highly contextualized authentic
	texts when reading
	Students will be able to converse, listen, and understand in face to face social situations
	Students will be able to discuss / compare and contrast aspects of French and American culture
Common	Written test on each part of the unit
Summative	Unit test
Assessments	Written paragraph at end of unit – recounting of a past event
	Assessment of oral expression
Standards	Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English
	Standard 1.1: Interpersonal Communication
	Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and
	exchange opinions.
	Standard 1.2: Interpretive Communication
	Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.
	Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication
	Students present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of
	topics.
	Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understanding of Other Cultures
	Standard 2.1: Practices of Culture
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the culture studied.
	Standard 2.2: Products of Culture Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives of the
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives of the
	culture studied.
	Connections: Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information

Standard 3.1: Making Connections

Students reinforce and further their knowledge of other disciplines through the foreign language.

Standard 3.2: Acquiring Information

Students acquire information and recognize the distinctive viewpoints that are only available through the foreign language and its cultures.

Comparisons: Develop Insight into the Nature of Language and Culture

Standard 4.1: Language Comparisons

Students demonstrate understanding of the nature of language through comparisons of the language studied and their own.

Standard 4.2: Cultural Comparisons

Students demonstrate understanding of the concept of culture through comparisons of the cultures studied and their own.

Communities: Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home and Around the World

Standard 5.1: School and Community

Students use the language both within and beyond the school setting.

Standard 5.2: Lifelong Learning

Title of Unit	Unit 3: Bon Appetit!
Enduring Understandings	 Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, writing, oral and written comprehension) Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the curriculum Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture
Essential Questions	 What is the value of learning another language? Why is it important to communicate effectively? How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture? How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	 Phrases for ordering in a café or restaurant Phrases for expressing preferences Phrases used in food shopping Vocabulary for food Quantities Expressions of quantity Regular verbs (in present and past tense): commander, déjeuner, detester, diner Regular verbs – stems with spelling changes: acheter, amener, envoyer, esperer, nettoyer, payer, préférer Expressions using tout and its forms Irregular verbs (in present and past tense): boire, devoir, pouvoir, vouloir, mettre (la table), prendre (le petit déjeuner), il faut (+infinitive) Customs for shopping, ordering food in a restaurant or café, tipping
Skills	 Students will be able to understand and convey in written and oral form information about likes and dislikes Students will understand customs involving food Students will be able to understand and convey in oral and written form expressions involving quantity Students will be able to order food in a restaurant or café and understand related responses Students will be able to understand and convey in written and oral form vocabulary for common

	foods
	Students will be able to write simple paragraphs about food, food preferences, etc.
	Students will be able to understand and convey in written and oral form what they want to do, can
	do, and must do
	Students will be able to understand authentic written materials
Common	Written test on each part of the unit
Summative	Unit test
Assessments	Written paragraph at end of unit - describe a recent meal
	Assessment of oral expression
Standards	Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English
	Standard 1.1: Interpersonal Communication
	Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and
	exchange opinions.
	Standard 1.2: Interpretive Communication
	Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.
	Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication
	Students present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of
	topics.
	Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understanding of Other Cultures
	Standard 2.1: Practices of Culture
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the
	culture studied.
	Standard 2.2: Products of Culture
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives of the
	culture studied.
	Connections: Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information
	Standard 3.1: Making Connections
	Students reinforce and further their knowledge of other disciplines through the foreign language.
	Standard 3.2: Acquiring Information
	Students acquire information and recognize the distinctive viewpoints that are only available through the
	foreign language and its cultures.

Comparisons: Develop Insight into the Nature of Language and Culture

Standard 4.1: Language Comparisons

Students demonstrate understanding of the nature of language through comparisons of the language studied and their own.

Standard 4.2: Cultural Comparisons

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Communities: Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home and Around the World

Standard 5.1: School and Community

Students use the language both within and beyond the school setting.

Standard 5.2: Lifelong Learning

Title of Unit	Unit 4: Leisure Activities and Events
Enduring Understandings	 Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, writing, oral and written comprehension) Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the curriculum Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture
Essential Questions	 What is the value of learning another language? Why is it important to communicate effectively? How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture? How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	 Vocabulary and phrases for extending, accepting, and declining an invitation Vocabulary for events and performances Vocabulary for performers Vocabulary for things that are read, recited, or written Regular verbs: chercher, coûter, garder, laisser, oublier, raconteur, regretter, remercier, trouver Regular verb with stem change: commencer Irregular verbs: connaître, savoir (+infinitive), dire, écrire, lire Direct object pronouns Indirect object pronouns Verbs followed by an indirect object (à): parler, telephone, render visite, répondre Verbs followed by two complements (à): acheter, apporter, demander, dire, donner, écrire, emprunter, monter, presenter, prêter, rendre Expressions of time Forms of entertainment in France and popular French singers and actors The history and culture of Canada, Louisiana, Haiti, Martinique, Guadeloupe, Tahiti, and French Guiana
Skills	 Students will be able to describe and discuss forms of entertainment and favorite singers and actors Students will be able to extend, accept, and decline an invitation Students will be able to use and understand expressions of emotion

	 Students will be able to use and understand the use of direct and indirect pronouns in oral and written form
	 Students will demonstrate their familiarity with the vocabulary and expressions of the unit in oral and written form
	 Students will be able to understand and convey information about schedules, leisure activities, prices, places and events, transportation, and travel
	 Students will demonstrate understanding of important ideas and some details in highly contextualized text when reading
	 Students will demonstrate their ability to write short guided compositions and/ or letters
Common	Written test on each part of the unit
Summative	Unit test
Assessments	Written paragraph at end of unit – describe and critique a movie he/she has seen recently Assessment of oral expression
Standards	Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English
	Standard 1.1: Interpersonal Communication
	Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and
	exchange opinions.
	Standard 1.2: Interpretive Communication
	Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.
	Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication
	Students present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of topics.
	Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understanding of Other Cultures Standard 2.1: Practices of Culture
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the culture studied.
	Standard 2.2: Products of Culture
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives of the culture studied.
	Connections: Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information

Standard 3.1: Making Connections

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Standard 3.2: Acquiring Information

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Comparisons: Develop Insight into the Nature of Language and Culture

Standard 4.1: Language Comparisons

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Standard 4.2: Cultural Comparisons

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Communities: Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home and Around the World

Standard 5.1: School and Community

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Standard 5.2: Lifelong Learning

Title of Unit	Unit 5: Vive Sports!
Enduring Understandings	 Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, writing, oral and written comprehension) Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the curriculum Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture
Essential	What is the value of learning another language?
Questions	 Why is it important to communicate effectively? How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture? How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	 Vocabulary and phrases for naming and describing sports Vocabulary for talking about daily activities and personal care Vocabulary for naming parts of the body Vocabulary for describing physical features Vocabulary and phrases for explaining how to stay fit Vocabulary and phrases for explaining what is wrong to a doctor Reflexive verbs Expressions of time The irregular verb courir Expressions that show an opinion Journal writing Popular sports in France French concerns about fitness The Tour de France
Skills	 Students will be able to describe and discuss sports and fitness activities Students will be able to discuss health concerns with a doctor Students will be able to use and understand reflexive verbs Students will be able to express an opinion in oral and written form Students will demonstrate their familiarity with the vocabulary and expressions of the unit in oral

	and written form
	Students will be able to understand and convey information about giving a physical description
	Students will demonstrate understanding of important ideas and some details in highly
	contextualized text when reading
	Student will demonstrate their ability to write short guided compositions and / or letters
Common	Written test on each part of the unit
Summative	Unit test
Assessments	Written paragraph at end of unit - a journal entry about an athletic event; a trip to the doctor
	Assessment of oral expression
Standards	Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English
	Standard 1.1: Interpersonal Communication
	Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and
	exchange opinions.
	Standard 1.2: Interpretive Communication
	Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.
	Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication
	Students present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of
	topics.
	Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understanding of Other Cultures
	Standard 2.1: Practices of Culture
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the
	culture studied.
	Standard 2.2: Products of Culture
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives of the
	culture studied.
	Connections: Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information
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Standard 5.1: School and Community

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Standard 5.2: Lifelong Learning

Title of Unit	Unit 6: At Home
Enduring Understandings	Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, writing, oral and written comprehension)
	 Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the curriculum Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture
Essential	What is the value of learning another language?
Questions	Why is it important to communicate effectively?
	How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture?How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	Vocabulary and phrases for talking about where we live
	Vocabulary for describing a home's rooms and furnishings
	Talking about past actions (past tense)
	Talking about things one used to do on a regular basis (imperfect tense)
	Vocabulary for areas of a town or city
	• Irregular verbs: éteindre, mettre, vivre, ouvrir, couvrir, découvrir
	Regular verbs: allumer, fermer, heurter, traverser
	Expressions of time: repeated events
	Story: The Haunted House
	French castles
Skills	 Students will be able to describe and discuss past events and habitual events from the past
	Students will be able to describe a home and its furnishings
	 Students will be able to use and understand verbs from the unit
	• Students will demonstrate their familiarity with the vocabulary and expressions of the unit in oral
	and written form
	Students will demonstrate understanding of important ideas and some details in highly
	contextualized text when reading
	Students will demonstrate their ability to write short guided compositions and / or letters
Common	Written test on each part of the unit

Summative	Unit test
Assessments	Written paragraph at end of unit – a description of their home; a story from their past
	Assessment of oral expression
Standards	Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English
	Standard 1.1: Interpersonal Communication
	Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and
	exchange opinions.
	Standard 1.2: Interpretive Communication
	Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.
	Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication
	Students present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of
	topics.
	Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understanding of Other Cultures
	Standard 2.1: Practices of Culture
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the
	culture studied.
	Standard 2.2: Products of Culture
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives of the
	culture studied.
	Connections: Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information
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Windham PERC Curriculum Document Review

Standards of approval: Course Name: French III

Title of Unit	Reprise (Note: This unit reviews core material from Discovering French - Bleu and Blanc
Enduring	Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, writing, oral, and written)
Understandings	comprehension)
	Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world
	Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the
	curriculum
	Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture
Essential	What is the value of learning another language?
Questions	Why is it important to communicate effectively?
	How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture?
Content	How does globalization affect our identity? Desires of
Content	• Review of
	Adjectives of personality and physical description
	• Verbs in simple future (am going to – <i>aller</i> + <i>infinitive</i>), and the use of infinitive with "to have just"
	(venir de + infinitive), and "to be in the act of" (être en train de + infinitive)
	Regular and irregular verbs in present tense
	Definite and indefinite articles – also use with quantities, negation
	Question word and phrases
	Past tense – transitive and intransitive verbs
	Imperfect tense
	Direct and indirect object pronouns
Skills	Students will be able to speak, write, and understand introductions and descriptions of themselves
	and others
	Students will be able to order in a café or restaurant and understand appropriate responses
	Students will be able to accept and refuse invitations and understand appropriate responses
	Students will be able to discuss, write about, and understand everyday activities
	Students will be able to describe vacation activities and understand appropriate responses
	Students will be able to ask for help and understand appropriate responses
	Students will be able to describe what they do for others and understand appropriate responses

	Students will be able to use and understand regular and irregular descriptive adjectives in oral and
	written form
	Students will be able to form, use, and understand common regular and irregular verbs in oral and
	written form
	Students will be able to form, use, and understand the two past tenses – passé composé and imparfait
	in oral and written form
	Students will be able to use and understand direct and indirect objects in oral and written form
	Students will become familiar with the French train system and well known stations
	Students will become familiar with some resort regions in France
	Students will become familiar with Antoine de Saint-Exupéry as World War II aviator and writer
	Students will become familiar with some of the cultural aspects of Morocco
	Students will review cultural information from Discovering French – Blanc
Common	Written test on each part of the unit
Summative	Unit test
Assessments	Written paragraph at end of unit – places the student went and things he/she did on a family vacation
	Assessment of oral expression
Standards	Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English
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	Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication
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	topics.
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Title of Unit	Unit 1: Personal Appearance / Daily Routine
Enduring Understandings	 Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, writing, oral and written comprehension) Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the curriculum Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture
Essential	What is the value of learning another language?
Questions	 Why is it important to communicate effectively? How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture? How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	 Metric measurements for height and weight Adjectives of physical description The way articles are used with parts of the body The use of avoir mal (to have pain) with parts of the body Idiomatic expressions that use vocabulary for parts of the body Review of uses for articles Vocabulary for personal care articles Reflexive verbs - with negation, present tense, past tense with agreement, and imperative forms Verbs, adjectives, and phrases for physical conditions and feelings Famous French artists and art styles / eras
Skills	 Students will be able to speak, write, and understand descriptions of themselves and others Students will be able to speak, write, and understand phrases about caring for one's appearance Students will be able to speak, write, and understand aspects of daily routine Students will be able to express feelings and changes of mood in written and oral form Students will be able to describe and comprehend vocabulary and phrases concerning one's ailments Students will become familiar with how French young people feel about style and fashion Students will become familiar with the ways some famous French artists expressed beauty in their art

Common	Written test on each part of the unit
Summative	Unit test
Assessments	Written paragraph at end of unit -things the student did to get ready for school / a school function Assessment of oral expression
Standards	Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English
	Standard 1.1: Interpersonal Communication
	Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and exchange opinions.
	Standard 1.2: Interpretive Communication
	Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics. Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication
	Students present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of topics.
	Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understanding of Other Cultures Standard 2.1: Practices of Culture
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the culture studied.
	Standard 2.2: Products of Culture
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	Connections: Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information Standard 3.1: Making Connections
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Standard 5.1: School and Community

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Standard 5.2: Lifelong Learning

Title of Unit	Unit 2: Being Helpful
Enduring Understandings	 Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, writing, oral and written comprehension) Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the curriculum Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture
Essential Questions	 What is the value of learning another language? Why is it important to communicate effectively? How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture? How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	 Vocabulary for helping around the house: chores, house and garden tools Formation (regular and irregular verbs) and use of the present subjunctive Expressions for requesting help Expressions for accepting and refusing help requests; expressing thanks Expressions for opinions Vocabulary for describing shape, size, appearance, state, consistency, temperature, weight, condition, and material of an object A fable from the Middle Ages Joan of Arc Middle Ages History
Skills	 Students will be able to speak, write, and understand phrases using the present subjunctive tense Students will be able to speak, write, and understand conversations and written content about chores and other activities around the home Students will be able to speak, write, and understand descriptions of objects that include its shape, size, appearance, state, consistency, temperature, weight, condition, and material Students will be able to express opinions Students will be able to speak, write, and comprehend oral and written requests for assistance Students will be able to accept or refuse requests and express thanks for assistance in oral and written form

	Students will become familiar with France during the Middle Ages
	 Students will become familiar with the legends of Joan Of Arc
Common	Written on each part of the unit
Summative	Unit Test
Assessments	Written paragraph at end of unit- how student's help out at home
Assessments	Assessment of oral expression
Standards	*
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	Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and exchange opinions.
	Standard 1.2: Interpretive Communication
	Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics. Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication
	Students present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of topics.
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	Connections: Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information Standard 3.1: Making Connections
	Students reinforce and further their knowledge of other disciplines through the foreign language. Standard 3.2: Acquiring Information
	Students acquire information and recognize the distinctive viewpoints that are only available through the foreign language and its cultures.
	Comparisons: Develop Insight into the Nature of Language and Culture Standard 4.1: Language Comparisons

Students demonstrate understanding of the nature of language through comparisons of the language studied and their own.

Standard 4.2: Cultural Comparisons

Students demonstrate understanding of the concept of culture through comparisons of the cultures studied and their own.

Communities: Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home and Around the World

Standard 5.1: School and Community

Students use the language both within and beyond the school setting.

Standard 5.2: Lifelong Learning

Title of Unit	Unit 3: Hooray for Nature!
Enduring Understandings	Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, writing, oral and written comprehension)
	 Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the curriculum Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture
Essential	What is the value of learning another language?
Questions	Why is it important to communicate effectively?
	 How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture? How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	 Vocabulary for vacation activities and mishaps Review of the formation "regular and irregular verbs" and use of the past tense Review of the position of adverbs with past tense Review of the position of partial negatives with past tense Review of the imperfect tense Comparison of when the past tense and imperfect tense are used Vocabulary used for telling a story about the past Expressions of surprise Review of vocabulary for weather; new forms for past and simple future Introduction of the passé simple with regular and irregular verbs- a literary past tense Ecological tourism Jacques Cousteau Environmental awareness Story of "Le petit Nicholas"- the equivalent of Dennis the Menace The Renaissance Louis XIV The Play - Cyrano de Bergerac
Skills	Students will be able to speak, write, and understand phrases using the past and imperfect tenses; and will understand the circumstance in which each should be used

 Students will be able to speak, write, and understand conversations in written content about weather and vacation activities Students will be able to recognize and understand textual material written in the <i>passé simple</i> Students will be able to understand French views on ecology and conservation of natural resources Students will become familiar with Jacques Cousteau and his work Students will become familiar with the French character "Le petit Nicholas"- French equivalent of Dennis the Menace Students will become familiar with the Renaissance Era in France Students will become familiar with Louis XIV- The Sun King Students will read and understand a synopsis of the play <i>Cyrano de Bergerac</i>
Written Test on each part of the unit
Unit Test
Written paragraph at end of unit- students tell a story using past tense and the imperfect Assessment of oral expression
Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English Standard 1.1: Interpersonal Communication Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and exchange opinions. Standard 1.2: Interpretive Communication Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics. Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication Students present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of topics. Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understanding of Other Cultures Standard 2.1: Practices of Culture Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the culture studied. Standard 2.2: Products of Culture Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives of the culture studied.

Connections: Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information

Standard 3.1: Making Connections

Students reinforce and further their knowledge of other disciplines through the foreign language.

Standard 3.2: Acquiring Information

Students acquire information and recognize the distinctive viewpoints that are only available through the foreign language and its cultures.

Comparisons: Develop Insight into the Nature of Language and Culture

Standard 4.1: Language Comparisons

Students demonstrate understanding of the nature of language through comparisons of the language studied and their own.

Standard 4.2: Cultural Comparisons

Students demonstrate understanding of the concept of culture through comparisons of the cultures studied and their own.

Communities: Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home and Around the World

Standard 5.1: School and Community

Students use the language both within and beyond the school setting.

Standard 5.2: Lifelong Learning

Title of Unit	Unit 4: Daily Life
Enduring Understandings	 Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, writing, oral and written comprehension) Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the curriculum
Essential Questions	 Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture What is the value of learning another language? Why is it important to communicate effectively? How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture? How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	 Vocabulary for shopping at a variety of different kinds of stores and shops Review of direct and indirect object pronouns Vocabulary for indefinite quantities Review of the verb <i>faire</i> with the infinitive Styles of French music Famous French singers and composers
Skills	 Students will be able to speak, write, and understand phrases used in shopping at stationery store, the post office, pharmacy, and convenience store Students will be able to speak, write, and understand conversations and written content about getting a haircut Students will be able to speak, write, and understand conversations and written content using object pronouns Students will be able to speak, write, and understand conversations and written content concerning services done for them by others Students will be able to speak, write, and understand conversations and written content using indefinite quantities Students will be able to understand French ways of shopping Students will become familiar with types of French music and famous singers

	Students will become familiar with types of classical music and famous composers
Common	Written Test on each part of the unit
Summative	Unit Test
Assessments	Written paragraph at end of unit- students write about a shopping trip
	Assessment of oral expression
Standards	Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English
	Standard 1.1: Interpersonal Communication
	Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and
	exchange opinions.
	Standard 1.2: Interpretive Communication
	Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.
	Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication
	Students present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of
	topics.
	Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understanding of Other Cultures
	Standard 2.1: Practices of Culture
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the
	culture studied. Standard 2.2: Products of Culture
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives of the
	culture studied.
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	Connections : Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information
	Standard 3.1: Making Connections
	Students reinforce and further their knowledge of other disciplines through the foreign language.
	Standard 3.2: Acquiring Information
	Students acquire information and recognize the distinctive viewpoints that are only available through the
	foreign language and its cultures.
	Comparisons: Develop Insight into the Nature of Language and Culture
	Standard 4.1: Language Comparisons
	Students demonstrate understanding of the nature of language through comparisons of the language

studied and their own.

Standard 4.2: Cultural Comparisons

Students demonstrate understanding of the concept of culture through comparisons of the cultures studied and their own.

Communities: Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home and Around the World

Standard 5.1: School and Community

Students use the language both within and beyond the school setting.

Standard 5.2: Lifelong Learning

Title of Unit	Unit 5: Bon voyage
Enduring Understandings	 Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, writing, oral and written comprehension) Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the curriculum Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture
Essential Questions	 What is the value of learning another language? Why is it important to communicate effectively? How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture? How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	 Vocabulary and expressions used for travel: passports, customs, buying a ticket, checking luggage, etc. Review of partial negatives Public transportation in France Future Tense- regular and irregular verbs Conjunction involving time Conditional tense- regular and irregular verbs The French Revolution Favorite destinations of French students French impressions of the U.S. Napoleon Bonaparte Marie Antoinette French Geography Departments French money The Louvre "La Marseillaise"- The French National Anthem Victor Hugo- Les Miserables

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Skills	Students will be able to speak, write, and understand phrases used for travel, going through
	customs, buying a ticket, getting information, etc.
	Students will be able to speak, write, and understand conversations and written content about what
	one will do or would do
	Students will be able to speak, write, and understand conversations and written content about
	travel in France
	 Students will be able to understand French impressions of Americans and the U.S.
	Students will become familiar with the French National Anthem and its history
	Students will become familiar with major events of the French Revolution
	Students will become familiar with Napoleon Bonaparte
	Students will become familiar with Marie Antoinette
	Students will become familiar with the French euro
	Students will become familiar with the division of France into departments
	Students will become familiar with the Louvre
	Students will become familiar with Victor Hugo and his play Les Miserables
Common	Written Test on each part of the unit
Summative	Unit Test
Assessments	Written paragraph at end of unit-Students write about where they would like to go in France
	Assessment of oral expression
Standards	Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English
	Standard 1.1: Interpersonal Communication
	Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and
	exchange opinions.
	Standard 1.2: Interpretive Communication
	Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.
	Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication
	Students present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of
	topics.
	Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understanding of Other Cultures
	Standard 2.1: Practices of Culture

Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the culture studied.

Standard 2.2: Products of Culture

Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives of the culture studied.

Connections: Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information

Standard 3.1: Making Connections

Students reinforce and further their knowledge of other disciplines through the foreign language.

Standard 3.2: Acquiring Information

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Standard 4.1: Language Comparisons

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Standard 4.2: Cultural Comparisons

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Communities: Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home and Around the World

Standard 5.1: School and Community

Students use the language both within and beyond the school setting.

Standard 5.2: Lifelong Learning

Title of Unit	Unit 6: Vacationing in France
Enduring	Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, writing, oral and written)
Understandings	comprehension)
	Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world
	 Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the
	curriculum
	 Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture
Essential	What is the value of learning another language?
Questions	Why is it important to communicate effectively?
	 How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture?
	How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	Vocabulary and expressions used for getting a hotel room and requesting hotel services
	 Review of comparative and superlative forms
	The form and use of interrogative pronouns
	Demonstrative pronouns
	Form and use of possessive pronouns
	French History from 1870 to the present
	Marie Curie
	Jean Moulin
	Charles DeGaulle
	Paul Éluard
	• Louis Malle- film-Au Revoir, Les Enfants
Skills	Students will be able to speak, write, and understand phrases used for checking into a hotel,
	describing the kind of room they would like, and discussing hotel services
	Students will be able to speak, write, and understand conversations and written content about
	being a tourist in France
	 Students will be able to speak, write, and understand conversations using comparative and
	superlative forms
	 Students will be able to speak, write, and understand conversations using interrogative and
	demonstrative pronouns

	• Students will be able to speak, write, and understand and discuss literature and other cultural items
	appropriate to their level
	Students will become familiar with Charles DeGaulle
	Students will become familiar with Paul Élourd
	Students will read and discuss Au Revoir, Les Enfants by Louis Malle
Common	Written Test on each part of the unit
Summative	Unit Test
Assessments	Written paragraph at end of unit-Students write about getting a room in a French hotel
	Assessment of oral expression
Standards	Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English
	Standard 1.1: Interpersonal Communication
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	exchange opinions.
	Standard 1.2: Interpretive Communication
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	Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication
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	topics.
	Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understanding of Other Cultures
	Standard 2.1: Practices of Culture
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	culture studied.
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	Connections: Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information
	Standard 3.1: Making Connections
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Comparisons: Develop Insight into the Nature of Language and Culture

Standard 4.1: Language Comparisons

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Standard 4.2: Cultural Comparisons

Students demonstrate understanding of the concept of culture through comparisons of the cultures studied and their own.

Communities: Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home and Around the World

Standard 5.1: School and Community

Students use the language both within and beyond the school setting.

Standard 5.2: Lifelong Learning

Title of Unit	Unit 7: Health and medical care
Enduring Understandings	 Students will expand their ability to communicate in French (speaking, writing, oral and written comprehension) Students will gain knowledge and understanding of the French-speaking world Students will use French to expand their knowledge through connections with other areas of the curriculum Students will use French to gain an understanding of the nature of language and culture
Essential Questions	 What is the value of learning another language? Why is it important to communicate effectively? How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture? How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	 Vocabulary and expressions used for getting medical/emergency services and explaining medical/dental conditions The concept of tense and mood The form and use of subjunctive mood- present and past tense Irregular verb- to believe, to fear Verbs and expressions of emotion, certainty and doubt Humanitarian health organizations En Voyage by Guy de Maupassant The European Economic Union Immigration- issues of race, religion, culture, and integration
Skills	 Students will be able to speak, write, and understand phrases used to answer medical questions and explain medical and dental conditions Students will be able to speak, write, and understand conversations and written content using expressions of emotion, certainty, and doubt Students will be understand the difference between tense and mood Students will be able to speak, write, and understand conversations and written content using the subjunctive mood in present and past tense Students will be able to speak, write, and understand conversations and written content about medical conditions and health care in France

	Students will be able to understand French issues concerning the integration of immigrants into
	their culture/country
	Students will become familiar with the European Economic Union
	Students will become familiar with the author and playwright Guy de Maupassant
	 Students will be able to compare and contrast French and American medical systems
Common	Written Test on each part of the unit
Summative	Unit Test
Assessments	Written paragraph at end of unit-Students write about a trip to the hospital, doctor, or dentist
	Assessment of oral expression
Standards	Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English
	Standard 1.1: Interpersonal Communication
	Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and
	exchange opinions.
	Standard 1.2: Interpretive Communication
	Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.
	Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication
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	topics.
	Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understanding of Other Cultures
	Standard 2.1: Practices of Culture
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	culture studied.
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	culture studied.
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Comparisons: Develop Insight into the Nature of Language and Culture

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Communities: Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home and Around the World

Standard 5.1: School and Community

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Standard 5.2: Lifelong Learning

Students show evidence of becoming lifelong learners by using the language for personal enjoyment and enrichment.

Windham PERC Curriculum Document Review

Standards of approval: Course Name: $\underline{\text{Honors French 4}}$

Title of Unit	Nonfiction
Enduring	Students will understand that they are citizens of the world
Understandings	Students will better understand world issues from more than one perspective
	Students will better understand their own language and culture
	Students will gain a greater appreciation and familiarity of the many aspects of French culture, art,
	music, and history
Essential	What is the value of learning another language?
Questions	Why is it important to communicate effectively?
	 How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture?
	How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	La Presse Française:
	Selections from Interactions: Langue et Culture
	Newspapers from France and Francophone countries
	Current events (political, economic, social)
	Weather
	• Sports
	Advertisements
	• Editorials
	 Presentation of a popular song – lyrics, vocabulary list, explanation of song
	Critical review – fashion, book, music, cinema, restaurant
	Embedded grammar review
	Memoires:
	Le Coeur à rire et à pleurer Maryse Condé
	Une mort très douce Simone de Beauvoir
	 Embedded grammar review – imparfait vs. passé composé
	Biographies:

	Student research on famous French person
Skills	Students will read critically
SKIIIS	 Students will read critically Students will identify and interpret cultural inferences
	Students will speak, write, and understand current events in France and Francophone countries
	Students will research, interpret, and present biographical information
Common	Quiz on the French press and media
Summative	Written and oral reports on current events
Assessments	Oral presentations on current events
	Written editorial column / persuasive essay
	Popular French song research and presentation
	Advertisement project
	Written memoire
	Biography project – biographical sketch, keynote presentation, reporter/famous person interview iMovie,
	student-generated essay questions
Standards	Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English
	Standard 1.1: Interpersonal Communication
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	exchange opinions.
	Standard 1.2: Interpretive Communication
	Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.
	Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication
	Students present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of
	topics.
	Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understanding of Other Cultures
	Standard 2.1: Practices of Culture
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the
	culture studied.
	Standard 2.2: Products of Culture
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives of the
	culture studied.
	Connections: Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information

Standard 3.1: Making Connections

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Standard 3.2: Acquiring Information

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Comparisons: Develop Insight into the Nature of Language and Culture

Standard 4.1: Language Comparisons

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Standard 4.2: Cultural Comparisons

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Communities: Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home and Around the World

Standard 5.1: School and Community

Students use the language both within and beyond the school setting.

Standard 5.2: Lifelong Learning

Students show evidence of becoming lifelong learners by using the language for personal enjoyment and enrichment.

Title of Unit	Short story
Enduring	Students will understand that they are citizens of the world
Understandings	Students will better understand world issues from more than one perspective
	Students will better understand their own language and culture
	 Students will gain a greater appreciation and familiarity of the many aspects of French culture, art, music, and history
Essential	What is the value of learning another language?
Questions	Why is it important to communicate effectively?
	 How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture?
	How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	Fables and folk tales:
	LaFontaine: La Grenouille qui veut se faire aussi grosse que le Boeuf
	Corsican tale: La fleur, le miroir et le cheval
	Short stories:
	Le Horla Guy de Maupassant
	La Belle et la Bête Madame Leprince de Beaumont
	Le Chat botté Charles Perrault
	La Parure Guy de Maupassant
	Oriflamme Eugène Ionesco
Skills	Students will identify the elements of a fable, folk tale, fairy tale
	 Students will identify how authors present characters by means of rhetorical elements
	Students will identify elements of plot development
	Students will compare and contrast the presentation of story elements across media
Common	Reading Comprehension Questions
Summative	Vocabulary Study Activities
Assessments	Grammar Activities
	Communicative Activities
	Original fable or folk tale
	Written and oral presentations

	Keynote presentation on selected short story
	Original fairy tale
Standards	Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English
Gianuarus	Standard 1.1: Interpersonal Communication
	Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and exchange opinions.
	Standard 1.2: Interpretive Communication
	Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.
	Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication
	Students present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of topics.
	Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understanding of Other Cultures Standard 2.1: Practices of Culture
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the culture studied.
	Standard 2.2: Products of Culture Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives of the culture studied.
	Connections: Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information
	Standard 3.1: Making Connections Students reinforce and further their knowledge of other disciplines through the foreign language. Standard 3.2: Acquiring Information
	Students acquire information and recognize the distinctive viewpoints that are only available through the foreign language and its cultures.
	Comparisons: Develop Insight into the Nature of Language and Culture
	Standard 4.1: Language Comparisons Students demonstrate understanding of the nature of language through comparisons of the language studied and their own.
	Standard 4.2: Cultural Comparisons
	Students demonstrate understanding of the concept of culture through comparisons of the cultures

studied and their own.

Communities: Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home and Around the World

Standard 5.1: School and Community

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Standard 5.2: Lifelong Learning

Students show evidence of becoming lifelong learners by using the language for personal enjoyment and enrichment.

Title of Unit	Poetry and Drama
Enduring	Students will understand that they are citizens of the world
Understandings	Students will better understand world issues from more than one perspective
	Students will better understand their own language and culture
	 Students will gain a greater appreciation and familiarity of the many aspects of French culture, art, music, and history
Essential	What is the value of learning another language?
Questions	Why is it important to communicate effectively?
	 How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture?
	How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	Poetry:
	• Il pleure dans mon coeur Paul Verlaine
	Roman Arthur Rimbaud
	• Prière d'un petit enfant nègre Guy Tirolieu
	 Barbara Jacques Prévert
	Other poems individually chosen
	Drama:
	Knock Jules Romains
Skills	 Students will identify elements of poetry including theme, tone, figurative language, rhythm, rhyme
	 Students will identify cultural references and influences in poetry
	Students will analyze character development in plays
	 Students will compare and contrast the directors' visions in various theatrical presentations of the
	same play
Common	Reading Comprehension Questions
Summative	Critical Thinking Essays
Assessments	Oral poetry reading
	Research and presentation on impressionism in art and music (podcast?)
	Research and presentation on French colonialism
	Research and presentation on WWII in Normandy

	Poetry project
	Vocabulary and grammar activities
	Communicative activities
	Performance of selected scenes from play
Standards	Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English
	Standard 1.1: Interpersonal Communication
	Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and
	exchange opinions.
	Standard 1.2: Interpretive Communication
	Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.
	Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication
	Students present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of
	topics.
	Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understanding of Other Cultures
	Standard 2.1: Practices of Culture
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the
	culture studied.
	Standard 2.2: Products of Culture
	Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives of the
	culture studied.
	Connections: Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information
	Standard 3.1: Making Connections
	Students reinforce and further their knowledge of other disciplines through the foreign language.
	Standard 3.2: Acquiring Information
	Students acquire information and recognize the distinctive viewpoints that are only available through the
	foreign language and its cultures.
	Comparisons: Develop Insight into the Nature of Language and Culture
	Standard 4.1: Language Comparisons
	Students demonstrate understanding of the nature of language through comparisons of the language
	studied and their own.

Standard 4.2: Cultural Comparisons

Students demonstrate understanding of the concept of culture through comparisons of the cultures studied and their own.

Communities: Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home and Around the World

Standard 5.1: School and Community

Students use the language both within and beyond the school setting.

Standard 5.2: Lifelong Learning

Students show evidence of becoming lifelong learners by using the language for personal enjoyment and enrichment.

Title of Unit	Novel
Enduring	Students will understand that they are citizens of the world
Understandings	Students will better understand world issues from more than one perspective
	Students will better understand their own language and culture
	 Students will gain a greater appreciation and familiarity of the many aspects of French culture, art, music, and history
Essential	What is the value of learning another language?
Questions	Why is it important to communicate effectively?
	 How do history, literature and the arts influence and reflect a society and its culture?
	How do other cultures influence our lives?
Content	Le Petit Prince Antoine de Saint-Exupéry
	Excerpts from Candide Voltaire
	Vendredi ou la vie sauvage Michel Tournier
	Je déteste les enfants Françoise Mallet-Joris
Skills	 Students will identify elements of the novel: character, plot, setting, etc.
	Students will summarize plot
	 Students will identify the use of figurative and rhetorical language in the novel
	Students will compare and contrast presentation across media
Common	Reading Comprehension Questions
Summative	Vocabulary Study Activities
Assessments	Grammar Activities
	Communicative Activities
	Reading Journal
	Socratic Circle
Standards	Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English
	Standard 1.1: Interpersonal Communication
	Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and
	exchange opinions.
	Standard 1.2: Interpretive Communication
	Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.

Standard 1.3: Presentational Communication

Students present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of topics.

Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understanding of Other Cultures

Standard 2.1: Practices of Culture

Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the culture studied.

Standard 2.2: Products of Culture

Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives of the culture studied.

Connections: Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information

Standard 3.1: Making Connections

Students reinforce and further their knowledge of other disciplines through the foreign language.

Standard 3.2: Acquiring Information

Students acquire information and recognize the distinctive viewpoints that are only available through the foreign language and its cultures.

Comparisons: Develop Insight into the Nature of Language and Culture

Standard 4.1: Language Comparisons

Students demonstrate understanding of the nature of language through comparisons of the language studied and their own.

Standard 4.2: Cultural Comparisons

Students demonstrate understanding of the concept of culture through comparisons of the cultures studied and their own.

Communities: Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home and Around the World

Standard 5.1: School and Community

Students use the language both within and beyond the school setting.

Standard 5.2: Lifelong Learning

Students show evidence of becoming lifelong learners by using the language for personal enjoyment and enrichment.