

# French Placement Results

The French Placement Test helps us to place you in the appropriate level of French. Even if you are a Quebec high school student, this information regarding French Placement results is applicable to you.

Students who have a *Certificate of Eligibility for English Instruction in Quebec* (COE) need two credit-level French Second Language courses (a Block A and a Block B course) in order to receive their DEC.

Students who ***do not*** have a *Certificate of Eligibility for English Instruction in Quebec* (COE) need three credit-level French literature courses and must pass the **Ministerial French Exit Exam** in order to receive their DEC

**Please note:** Your skill level in French will be reassessed in class during the first week of classes. Your French teacher is the **only** person with the authority to transfer you to a higher or lower-level French course.

## What Do the Results Mean?

Most students **with a COE** will be placed (using QC Sec V grades within the last 3yrs or French Placement Test results) in one of the following (45hrs) college-level courses:

602-100-MQ **Basic French (Français de base)**

602-101-MQ **French Language & Communication (Langue française et communication)**

602-102-MQ **French Language & Culture (Langue française et culture)**

602-103-MQ **French Culture & Literature (Langue française et littérature)**

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Most students **without a COE** will be placed (using QC Sec V grades within the last 3yrs or French Placement Test results) in the following college-level French course:

602-UF0-MQ **Oeuvres narratives et écriture** (45hrs) The first Ministerial-required French course for the French Exit Test

Some students will be placed at a lower level and will need to take *additional* preparatory French courses before registering in the first required college-level French course:

602-RF2-DW **Renforcement de Français 2** (60hrs) The final preparatory French course. Once students pass this course, they are eligible for 602-UF0 the first of three Ministerial required French course.

602-RF1-DW **Renforcement de Français 1** (60hrs) The first of two preparatory French courses.

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Some students will be placed at a lower level and will need to take additional preparatory and beginner's French courses before registering in the required college-level French courses. These courses are mainly offered through [Continuing Education](#)\*

602-001-DW (60hrs) **Renforcement en français langue seconde** (*this course may also be offered in the Day*)

602-008-DW (60hrs) **Mise à niveau pour français, accent sur l'oral**

602-FRB-DW (90hrs) **Pratique du français, langue seconde, 3 et 4**

602-FRA-DW (90hrs) **Pratique du français, langue seconde, 1 et 2**

Some of these courses are also offered as intensives during our summer session.

\*There may be additional [fees](#) for students residing outside Quebec.

For more information about these courses, please consult your Timetable and Registration Guide by going to *My College Services* → *Timetable and Registration Guide* in your My Dawson Portal.