

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) as part of their five required French courses, 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** as part of their five required French courses 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-A01-MQ **Français langue seconde niveau 1**
 - 602-A02-MQ **Français langue seconde niveau 2**
 - 602-A03-MQ **Français langue seconde niveau 3**
 - 602-A04-MQ **Français langue seconde niveau 4**
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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-CR2-DW **Renforcement de français pour l'Épreuve uniforme de français** (60hrs) The final preparatory French course. Once students pass this course, they are eligible for 602-UF0 - the first of three Ministerial required French courses.

- 602-CR1-DW **Premiers pas vers l'Épreuve uniforme de français** (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-FR3-DW (60hrs) **Initiation au français 3**
- 602-FR2-DW (60hrs) **Initiation au français 2**
- 602-FR1-DW (60hrs) **Initiation au français 1**

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

There may be additional fees for students residing outside of Quebec.

For more information about these courses, please consult your Timetable and Registration Guide located in your My Dawson Portal.