# AP French Course Compendium

# **UNITS OF STUDY\***

Unit 1- Global Challenges

Unit 2- Families and Communities

Unit 3- Personal and Public Identities

Unit 4- Beauty and Aesthetics

Unit 5- *Science and Technology* 

Unit 6- Review for AP Exam

Unit 7- Contempory Life in France

Unit 8- My France

AP French Credits: 5 Prerequisite: French 4 Honors The AP French Language and Culture course emphasizes communication by applying interpersonal, interpretive, and presentational skills in real-life situations. This includes vocabulary usage, language control, communication strategies, and cultural awareness. The AP French Language and Culture course engages students in an exploration of culture in both contemporary and historical contexts. The course develops students' awareness and appreciation of cultural products (e.g., tools, books, music, laws, conventions, institutions); practices (patterns of social interactions within a culture); and perspectives (values, attitudes, and assumptions). All students enrolled in Advanced Placement courses are required to take the Advanced Placement Examinations in May (see Policy 2429 & Program of Studies page 5).

### **INTERDISCIPLINARY CONNECTIONS**

# NJSLS Companion Standards Grades 11-12 (Reading & Writing in History, Soc. St., Science, & Tech. Subjects Anchor Standards for Reading

**NJSLSA.R1**. Read closely to determine what the text says explicitly and to make logical inferences and relevant connections from it; cite specific textual evidence when writing or speaking to support conclusions drawn from the text.

NJSLSA.R2. Determine central ideas or themes of a text and analyze their development; summarize the key supporting details and ideas.

NJSLSA.R3. Analyze how and why individuals, events, and ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.

**NJSLSA.R4**. Interpret words and phrases as they are used in a text, including determining technical, connotative, and figurative meanings, and analyze how specific word choices shape meaning or tone.

NJSLSA.R10. Read and comprehend complex literary and informational texts independently and proficiently with scaffolding as needed

# **Reading History**

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- **RH.11-12.2**. Determine the theme, central ideas, information and/or perspective(s) presented in a primary or secondary source; provide an accurate summary of how key events, ideas and/or author's perspective(s) develop over the course of the text.
- **RH.11-12.5.** Analyze in detail how a complex primary source is structured, including how key sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text contribute to the whole.
- **RH.11-12.8.** Evaluate an author's claims, reasoning, and evidence by corroborating or challenging them with other sources.
- **RH.11-12.9.** Integrate information from diverse sources, both primary and secondary, into a coherent understanding of an idea or event, noting discrepancies among sources.

#### **Reading Science & Technical Subjects**

- **RST.11-12.1**. Accurately cite strong and thorough evidence from the text to support analysis of science and technical texts, attending to precise details for explanations or descriptions.
- **RST.11-12.2.** Determine the central ideas, themes, or conclusions of a text; summarize complex concepts, processes, or information presented in a text by paraphrasing them in simpler but still accurate terms.
- **RST.11-12.5.** Analyze how the text structures information or ideas into categories or hierarchies, demonstrating understanding of the information or ideas.

#### **Anchor Standards for Writing**

- **NJSLSA.W2**. Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.
- **NJSLSA.W3**. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.
- **NJSLSA.W4.** Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
- **NJSLSA.W6.** Use technology, including the Internet, to produce and publish writing and to interact and collaborate with others.
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**NJSLSA.W7**. Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects, utilizing an inquiry-based research process, based on focused questions, demonstrating understanding of the subject under investigation.

#### **Writing History**

**WHST.11-12.5**. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.

**WHST.11-12.6**. Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, share, and update writing products in response to ongoing feedback, including new arguments or information.

**WHST.11-12.7.** Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects to answer a question (including a self-generated question) or solve a problem; narrow or broaden the inquiry when appropriate; synthesize multiple sources on the subject, demonstrating understanding of the subject under investigation.

**WHST.11-12.10**. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for reflection and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences.

# 21st Century Life and Careers

- **CRP4**. Communicate clearly and effectively and with reason.
- **CRP7**. Employ valid and reliable research strategies.
- **CRP11**. Use technology to enhance productivity.
- **9.3.ST.2** Use technology to acquire, manipulate, analyze and report data.
- **9.3.12.ED.1** Apply communication skills with students, parents and other groups to enhance learning and a commitment to learning.

# **Technology**

- **8.1.12.A.CS1** Understand and use technology systems.
- **8.1.12.B.CS1** Apply existing knowledge to generate new ideas, products, or processes.
- **8.1.12.E.1** Produce a position statement about a real world problem by developing a systematic plan of investigation with peers and experts synthesizing information from multiple sources.
- **8.1.12.F.1** Evaluate the strengths and limitations of emerging technologies and their impact on educational, career, personal and or social needs.

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GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS FOR DIVERSE LEARNERS		
English Language Learners	Students Receiving Special Education Services	Advanced Learners
- Personal glossary - Simplified / verbal instructions - Frequent breaks  WIDA Can Do Descriptors for Grade 9-12 WIDA Essential Actions Handbook FABRIC Paradigm Wall Township ESL Grading Protocol  *Use WIDA Can Do Descriptors in coordination with Student Language Portraits (SLPs).	- Small group/One to one - Additional time - Review of directions - Student restates information - Space for movement or breaks - Extra visual and verbal cues and prompts - Preferential seating - Verbal and visual cues regarding directions and staying on task - Immediate feedback  Students receiving Special Education programming have specific goals and objectives, as well as accommodations and modifications outlined within their Individualized Education Plans (IEP) due to an identified disability and/or diagnosis. In addition to exposure to the general education curriculum, instruction is differentiated based upon the student's needs. The IEP acts as a supplemental curriculum guide inclusive of instructional strategies that support each learner.  Considerations for Special Education Students 6-12 National Center on Universal Design for Learning - About UDL UDL Checklist UDL Key Terms	- Use of high level academic vocabulary/texts - Interest-based research - Authentic problem-solving - Homogeneous grouping opportunities Knowledge and Skill Standards in Gifted Education for All Teachers Pre-K-Grade 12 Gifted Programming Standards Gifted Programming Glossary of Terms  Students with 504 Plan  Teachers are responsible for implementing designated services and strategies identified on a student's 504 Plan.
At Risk Learners / Differentiation Strategies		
Alternative Assessments Choice Boards Games and Tournaments Learning Contracts Leveled Rubrics	Independent Research & Projects Multiple Intelligence Options Project-Based Learning Tiered Activities/Assignments Think-Pair-Share by readiness or interest	Cubing Activities Exploration by Interest Flexible Grouping Goal-Setting with Students Homework Options Open-Ended Activities Use of Reading Buddies Stations/Centers Work Alone/Together

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