

Advanced GCE in French

Board: AQA

Qualification: Advanced Level GCE in French

What is the course about?

The Advanced GCE in French has been designed to deepen your knowledge and understanding of the language and French culture in Europe and the French-speaking world.

At Advanced Level GCE in French you will cover 12 units of work which include:

- Artistic culture in the French-speaking world
- Social Issues and Trends
- Grammar
- Aspects of French-speaking society and its current issues
- Aspects of political life in the French-speaking world
- Study of a French film and book

By the end of the course you will have learnt the fundamentals of the French language enabling you to travel, live or work in a French-speaking country.

How will I be assessed?

Assessment in Advanced Level GCE French includes:

Paper 1 Listening, Reading and Writing 2 hours 30 minutes 50%

Paper 2 Writing 2 hours 20%

Paper 3 Speaking 21-23 minutes 30%

These qualifications are assessed online with examinations taking place at school.

The course is based on 100% examination.

What skills will I develop?

It will prepare you to become well-informed and effective communicators through the skills of listening, speaking, reading and writing across a wide range of current topics.

This qualification aims to enhance your enjoyment of French language learning to achieve your full potential as a linguist.

Students will develop:

- lasting appreciation of language and learning
- the ability to comprehend French in a range of contexts
- ability to communicate readily in French for a variety of purposes
- useful knowledge of and insights into French-speaking cultures, both contemporary and historic
- valuable skills for foreign travel, further education and employment

Why might this course be for me?

If you are passionate about the French language and culture, this will inspire you to further your linguistic skills! French is also a subject which is highly respected by universities and employers alike, and will allow you to access a wide range of courses and opportunities in the future.

Where can I go next? This qualification in French provides you with the passport to study at university, work abroad or work in the business sector.

