

FSL1

# FRENCH AS SECOND LANGUAGE 1

## *Curriculum*

Child is in K-1st, barely reads or writes in English, has no or slight prior knowledge in French.

1 to 2  
YEARS

SCHOOLING	TRACK	AVAILABLE CLASSES	ADMISSION ASSESSMENT
Elementary	French as a Second Language	FSL1   FSL 2   FSL 3	Required for FSL 3 only
Elementary	Francophone	PF   MF   GF	Required
Middle School	French Language for MS	FL-A   FL-B   FL-C   FL-D	Required

## Language Proficiency (student is able to)

### Listening Comprehension:

- ✓ Understand regular instructions in class
- ✓ Understand the general idea of a story read in class, with help from the teacher

### Reading Comprehension:

- ✓ Read his/her name, and his/her classmates' names
- ✓ Read some words from the studied vocabulary

### Speaking

- ✓ Greet and say goodbye
- ✓ Talk about his/her mood in very simple terms
- ✓ Ask something politely

### Writing:

- ✓ Copy some words from the studied vocabulary

## Cultural Knowledge

- ✓ 2 celebrations chosen by the teacher: Carnaval, Chandeleur, Christmas (non religious), King's cake...
- ✓ Exploration of the Francophone artistic world: painters, poets, musicians...
- ✓ Traditional and classical songs
- ✓ Storybooks

## Communication Structures/Themes (student is able to)

- ✓ Greet and say goodbye
- ✓ Ask and tell his/her name, his/her age
- ✓ Characterize an object by color and shape
- ✓ Introduce his/her close family
- ✓ Describe what pet he/she has
- ✓ Count up to 12
- ✓ Cite the days of the week
- ✓ Say the date of the day
- ✓ Express tastes and preferences
- ✓ Name some school supplies used in the classroom
- ✓ Name some games played at recess
- ✓ Name a few rooms of the house, and some objects in his/her bedroom
- ✓ Name body parts, and features of the face
- ✓ Name a few food items, and drinks
- ✓ Name some clothes
- ✓ Talk about the weather

## Structure of the Language

### Grammar

- ✓ The alphabet
- ✓ There is + article + noun (oral only)
- ✓ It is + article + noun (oral only)