# French III/IV SYLLABUS

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Course Length: yearlong **Prerequisite: French I & II** 

#### **Course Description:**

This course is designed to review and expand students' knowledge of French. Students will develop their ability to speak, write, read, and understand French beginning with a review of French I & II vocabulary. Students will learn vocabulary dealing with entertainment, sports, and daily routines. Students will be able to tell stories about their childhood and be able to read stories in present and past tense.

# **Textbook(s):**

*Discovering French Nouveau* (Blanc/Rouge) by Valette Valette, Blaine Ray materials, and Tripp's Scripts used as a reference

#### **Materials Needed:**

- ➤ Blue, Black, Red Pens
- > Pencils
- > Paper
- ➤ Folder dedicated to French Class

## **Grading Policy:**

Students will be graded on class activities, homework, projects, quizzes, tests, and participation in partner conversations. Students' final grades will be based on quizzes, unit tests, homework, workbook assignments, projects, and the final exam. The **FINAL EXAM** counts for 15% of the students' total grade.

#### **Homework Policy:**

Students will be expected to complete various homework assignments ranging from readings in the text to writing papers. Students will have until the next school day to finish assignments, **UNLESS** it is a lengthier assignment.

### **Late Work/Absent Work Policy:**

Students are responsible to ask for the assignment(s) that they miss. If it is an excused absence, students will have the same number of days absent to complete the assignment(s). This is the same policy if a student misses on a quiz or test day.

# <u>Course Calendar:</u> Below are **some** of the topics that we will cover. This is **SUBJECT TO CHANGE.**

- Review of French I & II vocabulary expressions
- Negative Expressions
- Extended Family
- Professions
- Telephone Etiquette
- Être Expressions
- Adjective Usage
- Adverb Usage
- C'est vs. Il est
- Avoir Expressions
- Faire Expressions
- Aller + Infinitive
- Present Tense with depuis
- Past Tense with Avoir
- Past Tense with Être
- Imperfect Tense
- Food Vocabulary (extended)
- Partitive Articles
- Irregular Verbs
- Er, Ir, Re Verbs
- Quantity Expressions
- Indirect/Direct Object Pronouns