

BLS Course Programme

Language FRENCH	Course Level UPPER ELEMENTARY
Number of Sessions 10	Teacher's Name JEAN-PAUL
Course Book NONE All course material provided	Prior Knowledge Required Students starting this course are expected to be able to ask and answer simple questions relating to familiar matters, their environment and background. They should be able to describe in simple terms aspects of their daily occupations and activities – present and past – and to read and understand factual accounts of familiar events. They are expected to have already acquired some knowledge of both the <i>passé composé</i> and <i>imparfait</i> tenses.

Course Aims

By the end of this course, students should be able to take part in simple exchanges about familiar activities and events. They should be able to express needs and wishes to do with their daily life (food, accommodation, work, etc.) They should be able to read and understand relatively simple accounts of familiar events and personal experiences. And they should be able to write texts such as personal letters and short accounts on topics of personal interest.

Learning Objectives

Topics / Vocabulary	Grammar / Constructions
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Developing further your conversational style - Describing past events and activities - Interacting with others - Formulating wishes and hypothetical questions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Consolidation of previously acquired grammatical knowledge, incl. the main past tenses (<i>passé composé</i> and <i>imparfait</i>) - Locating events in time: <i>depuis</i> and <i>pendant</i> - The conditional mood - Hypothetical constructions ('if ..., then ...') - Connector or pointer: how does THAT translate?