

French V AP
Summer Assignment 2018-2019

Due: first class in September

French V AP course emphasizes communication through a variety of activities created to highlight different modes of communication. As stated by College Board “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)”. In order to achieve the goal set by the College Board, the course is structured around six general themes shown below. The six themes will help you to gain a deeper understanding of the French-Speaking World and give you a chance to contrast and compare it to your own community.



To be better prepared for the class, make sure to complete the following assignments that you will be able to use throughout the year. This work will not be graded but will be checked for completion and will count toward the “Homework” grade.

- I. In your Google Drive create a folder **FRENCH AP**. Inside of that folder create subfolders for each theme **GLOBAL CHALLENGES / LES DÉFIS MONDIAUX, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY / LA SCIENCE ET LA TECHNOLOGIE, CONTEMPORARY LIFE / LA VIE CONTEMPORAINE, PERSONAL AND PUBLIC IDENTITIES / LA QUÊTE DE SOI, FAMILY AND COMMUNITY / LA FAMILLE ET LA COMMUNAUTÉ, BEAUTY AND AESTHETICS / LA BEAUTÉ ET L'ESTHÉTIQUE**. In addition, create another folder

INFORMATION SUPPLÉMENTAIRE. So in total you will have 7 subfolders where you are going to keep all of your files throughout the year. Add this document to the **INFORMATION SUPPLÉMENTAIRE** folder.

II. Find three articles and/or audio and/or video highlighting each “big” theme that will be discussed during the year (look at the “sub-themes” to help you narrow down the choices and look for ideas). Make sure to concentrate on the French-Speaking World which is not limited to France. Feel free to use suggested websites from the list below or use your own resources.

<http://www.france24.com/fr/>

<http://www.rfi.fr/>

<http://www.rfiplaneteradio.org/fr/>

<https://www.lemonde.fr/>

<http://www.rtl.fr/>

Copy and paste the article (if applicable) and include the URL. Give a 3-4 sentences summary of the information presented in the article or audio/video and 1-2 sentences contrasting/comparing it to the USA.

GLOBAL CHALLENGES / LES DÉFIS MONDIAUX

1. URL:

L'article:

Le résumé (3-4 phrases):

La comparaison à la vie aux États Unis (1-2 phrases):

2. URL:

L'article:

Le résumé (3-4 phrases):

La comparaison à la vie aux États Unis (1-2 phrases):

3. URL:

L'article:

Le résumé (3-4 phrases):

La comparaison à la vie aux États Unis (1-2 phrases):

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY / LA SCIENCE ET LA TECHNOLOGIE

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La comparaison à la vie aux États Unis (1-2 phrases):

CONTEMPORARY LIFE / LA VIE CONTEMPORAINE

1. URL:

L'article:

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La comparaison à la vie aux États Unis (1-2 phrases):

2. URL:

L'article:

Le résumé (3-4 phrases):

La comparaison à la vie aux États Unis (1-2 phrases):

3. URL:

L'article:

Le résumé (3-4 phrases):

La comparaison à la vie aux États Unis (1-2 phrases):

PERSONAL AND PUBLIC IDENTITIES / LA QUÊTE DE SOI

1. URL:

L'article:

Le résumé (3-4 phrases):

La comparaison à la vie aux États Unis (1-2 phrases):

2. URL:

L'article:

Le résumé (3-4 phrases):

La comparaison à la vie aux États Unis (1-2 phrases):

3. URL:

L'article:

Le résumé (3-4 phrases):

La comparaison à la vie aux États Unis (1-2 phrases):

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY / LA FAMILLE ET LA COMMUNAUTÉ

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La comparaison à la vie aux États Unis (1-2 phrases):

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L'article:

Le résumé (3-4 phrases):

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3. URL:

L'article:

Le résumé (3-4 phrases):

La comparaison à la vie aux États Unis (1-2 phrases):

BEAUTY AND ESTHETICS / LA BEAUTÉ ET L'ESTHÉTIQUE

1. URL:

L'article:

Le résumé (3-4 phrases):

La comparaison à la vie aux États Unis (1-2 phrases):

2. URL:

L'article:

Le résumé (3-4 phrases):

La comparaison à la vie aux États Unis (1-2 phrases):

3. URL:

L'article:

Le résumé (3-4 phrases):

La comparaison à la vie aux États Unis (1-2 phrases):

