

HONOURS BA FRENCH STUDIES

Please note that admission to the Honours BA French Studies is suspended until further notice.

If French is your second language and you're hoping to have an immersion experience in France, learn more about French-language culture and literature, or teach French in an English-language setting, then the French Studies program offered by the *Département de français* is just what you need.

You start by taking language courses for non-Francophones to improve your French-language skills. Then, you can study the cultures and literatures of France, Quebec, the Franco-Ontarian community and other Francophone communities by taking courses for non-Francophones, all of which include cultural, linguistic and literary components. This is an ideal formula if your goal is to teach French as a second language.

(If you are interested in teaching in elementary or high school, you will have to add a BEd in the Faculty of Education to your first degree.)

Another advantage of the French Studies program: it allows you to pursue a master's in French, which will give you the opportunity to teach at the college level or open the door to very interesting careers, for example, in the public service.

This program is offered in French only to non-Francophones.

Honours BA French Studies

Program Requirements

Requirements for this program have been modified. Please consult the 2019-2020 calendars (<http://catalogue.uottawa.ca/en/archives/>) for the previous requirements.

Basic Skills

ENG 1100	Workshop in Essay Writing	3 Units
3 course units from:		3 Units
PHI 1101	Reasoning and Critical Thinking	
PHI 1301	Philosophy: Ideas and Arguments	
3 course units from:		3 Units
AHL 1100	Introduction to Interdisciplinary Study in the Arts ¹	
AHL 1900	Introduction to Interdisciplinary Study in the Arts ¹	
ENG 1120	Selected Topics in Literature and Composition	
3 course units from:		3 Units
AHL 1100	Introduction to Interdisciplinary Study in the Arts ¹	
AHL 1900	Introduction to Interdisciplinary Study in the Arts ¹	
PHI 1102	Moral Reasoning	
PHI 1103	Fundamental Philosophical Questions	
PHI 1104	Great Philosophers	

PHI 1302	Philosophy: Themes and Texts	
Total:		12 Units
Compulsory Courses		
FLS 2521	Lire pour écrire en français	3 Units
FLS 2522	Écouter pour parler en français	3 Units
FRE 1732	Cultures et littératures des francophonies canadiennes	3 Units
FRE 1734	Lecture et analyse textuelle	3 Units
Optional Courses		
15 course units (minimum of 6 course units in French as a second language (FLS) at the 3000 level) from:		15 Units
FLS 2731	Compréhension de l'oral en français - Avancé	
FLS 2741	Mieux lire en français	
FLS 2751	Discutons en français	
FLS 2761	Mieux écrire en français	
FLS 2771	Grammaire française - Avancé	
FLS 3751	Communication orale en contexte universitaire	
FLS 3761	Communication écrite en contexte universitaire	
FLS 3771	Grammaire des textes universitaires	
FLS 3773	Le mot juste en français	
12 course units from:		12 Units
FRE 2510	Culture et littérature françaises du Moyen Âge à la Révolution	
FRE 2515	Culture et littérature française du XIXe siècle à aujourd'hui	
FRE 2520	Cultures et littératures francophones dans le monde	
FRE 2537	La littérature en traduction	
FRE 2724	La bande dessinée	
FRE 2734	La chanson	
FRE 2744	Littérature pour enfants et adolescents	
FRE 2754	La nouvelle	
21 course units (minimum of 6 course units at the 4000 level) from:		21 Units
FRE 3504	Roman français	
FRE 3514	Roman québécois	
FRE 3520	Poésie française et québécoise	
FRE 3725	Théâtre français	
FRE 3735	Théâtre québécois et franco-ontarien	
FRE 3744	La francophonie par les films	
FRE 3760	Littérature de l'Ontario français	
FRE 3770	Littératures francophones contemporaines	
FRE 3780	Les écritures de soi	
FRE 4510	Variations du français dans la littérature	
FRE 4520	Littérature et stylistique	
FRE 4525	Théories littéraires	
FRE 4535	Femmes en littérature	
FRE 4545	Mythes et littérature	
FRE 4555	Littérature et histoire	
FRE 4565	Littérature et engagement	
FRE 4585	Dynamiques interculturelles	

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FRE 4586 Littératures croisées	
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Total:	60 Units
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Elective Courses

48 elective course units	48 Units
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or 18 elective course units plus a minor

Total:	48 Units
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This course has variable topics. Students may take this course twice.