CAMP TOURNESOL'S FRENCH LESSONS

Why they are effective, impactful and fun!

French Lessons for our SK-6 French Immersion and Francophone students

Immerse Your Child in a Perfect Blend of French Learning and FUN language where it will come to life through engaging activities and tailored learning lessons and experiences.

When: 4 times a week, 1 hour a day

Grouping: Your child will be grouped with peers of the same age, ensuring that the lessons are perfectly in sync with their grade level

What will the lessons cover: Lessons will encompass everything from semantics, syntax and vocabulary to comprehensive reading and writing skills, learn more below!

From Sentence Builders to Literary Exploration

These lessons will delve into the building blocks of language as we focus not only on oral fluidity but also on mastering the art of building a well-structured French sentence. Through dynamic lessons and interactive exercises, campers will navigate the intricacies of proper syntax and semantics, building on a solid foundation for future language proficiency.

With each session, campers will expand their vocabulary, exploring a variety of words and phrases that breathe life into their linguistic repertoire. From everyday conversations to terms based on play that they might not have learned at school.

Unlock the Secrets of Comprehensive Reading and Writing

At the heart of our lessons lies a commitment to nurturing comprehensive reading and writing skills (age-specific*). Guided by instructors, campers will explore a variety of short texts and magazine excerpts.

But reading is just the beginning. Through guided writing exercises and creative projects, campers will unleash their imagination, crafting short stories, and paragraphs that reflect their unique voice and perspective. With each stroke of the pen, they'll embark on a journey of self-expression and discovery, honing their writing skills and unlocking the power of language to shape their world.

Here is an example of what a lesson might look like:

During a lesson where the theme is "les repas", the students will be invited to discuss that topic as it is introduced by the instructor. They will begin with an introduction and a discussion around related vocabulary, followed by a guided discussion (for example, have you ever been to a potluck dinner...):

Le repas-partage:

- Chaque personne apporte un plat à partager.

Avez-vous déjà participé à un repas-partage?



They will also listen to audio clips and answer questions to confirm their comprehension, for example:



Écoutez et notez ce que chaque personne apporte.

	Plat à apporter
a.	une salade
b.	
c.	
d.	
e.	

And finally be invited to participate in a writing exercise on the same topic, for example, in this case, write an invitation to a friend to a potluck dinner. They will then present their writing sample and review it together:

- Sur une feuille, rédiger une invitation à un ami pour l'inviter à un repas-partage.
- Indiquer le lieu, l'heure et le plat qu'il faut apporter.



A Holistic Approach to Language Learning

At Camp Tournesol, we believe that language learning goes beyond memorization and drills. That's why our program offers a holistic approach that integrates language skills with cultural appreciation and real-world application. From discussions to immersive language activities, campers will gain a deeper understanding of the French language and culture, enriching their language learning experience and fostering a lasting relationship with Francophone culture.

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Questions about our French Lessons, get in touch with us and we will be happy to discuss your needs.

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