# French 3306A

## Matériel

- « French 3306A, Fall 2012» (Inprint)
- « Difficultés expliquées du français for English Speakers », A. Vercollier, CLE International, 2004 (Bookstore) [A noter : ce livre est également utilisé dans le cours Fr 3307B, qui couvre des chapitres différents du livre.]
- Conseillé: un « gros » dictionnaire bilingue (Robert&Collins, Harrap's,...) avec de nombreuses phrases d'exemples qui illustrent le sens des mots dans le contexte de la phrase.

## Barème d'évaluation

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<ul><li>Tests (2 x 25%)</li><li>Examen final</li></ul>	50% 40%
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#### IMPORTANT ACADEMIC AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

# 1. Plagiarism, Cheating and Other Scholastic Offences

- UWO statement on plagiarism: "Scholastic offences are taken seriously and students are directed to read the appropriate policy, specifically, the definition of what constitutes a Scholastic Offence, at the following Web site: http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/handbook/appeals/scholoff.pdf. [1]
- The Department of French Studies considers plagiarism, defined as "the act or instance
  of copying or stealing another's words or ideas and attributing them as one's own" (cited
  from Black's Law Dictionary in UWO Scholastic Offence Policy [2]), to be a serious
  scholastic offence and will apply the UWO policy to deal with all cases detected.
- Sometimes students commit plagiarism without being fully aware they are doing so. It is
  each student's responsibility to become informed about what constitutes plagiarism and
  to take steps to avoid committing this scholastic offence by learning how to make proper
  use of sources. If you are uncertain about how to acknowledge sources you have used,
  consult your instructor before submitting the assignment. The UWO Ombuds Office
  publishes a useful guide that will help you avoid committing a mistake of this nature that
  could have serious consequences. [3]
- Please note the following UWO statement on plagiarism checking: "All required papers
  may be subject to submission for textual similarity review to the commercial plagiarism
  detection software under license to the University for the detection of plagiarism. All
  papers submitted for such checking will be included as source documents in the
  reference database for the purpose of detecting plagiarism of papers subsequently
  submitted to the system. Use of the service is subject to the licensing agreement,
  currently between The University of Western Ontario and Turnitin.com
  (www.turnitin.com)." [1]
- Other forms of academic dishonesty, including but not limited to cheating on tests and examinations, will also be dealt with seriously according to the terms of University policy.
- Please note that when evidence of a scholastic offence is detected, it is the Chair of the Department (or designate) who directs the investigation, and who makes a finding and imposes a penalty if the student is found to be guilty. The policy [2] outlines the process for appealing a Chair's decision.

# 2. Prerequisites and Antirequisites

- UWO Statement on requisites: "Unless you have either the requisites for this course or
  written special permission from your Dean to enroll in it, you will be removed from this
  course and it will be deleted from your record. This decision may not be appealed. You
  will receive no adjustment to your fees in the event that you are dropped from a course
  for failing to have the necessary prerequisites." [1]
- Please note that you are responsible for ensuring that you have successfully completed

based on the level of secondary school French you have completed. For example, if you have completed grade 12U French, you will not normally be eligible to enroll in French 1002 or 1010.

• Under no circumstances will a student will be allowed to take a language course in the series 1002, 1010, 1900E/1910, 2900, 2905A/B-2906A/B or 3900, concurrently with another language course that is a prerequisite for it.

### 3. Where to Go for Help

- The website of the Office of the Registrar is a valuable resource for information about many administrative aspects of your studies at Western: http://www.registrar.uwo.ca/
- If you have any concerns about your progress with the academic material in a course, you should not hesitate to contact your instructor.
- For advice on courses and programs / modules offered by the Department of French Studies, you should inquire at the Department office (UC 138) to find out the office hours of our academic advisors, who will be pleased to counsel you on your options.
- If, due to circumstances beyond your control such as illness, you have to miss class for an extended period and/or you cannot meet assignment deadlines or write tests/exams at the scheduled times, you should arrange to submit documentation of the circumstances to the academic counseling office of your Home Faculty.
- If you are feeling extremely stressed out or overwhelmed by your studies and/or personal circumstances, or if you feel you might be suffering from depression, the University has services to help you. Contact the Student Success Centre at: (519) 661-3559. After hours, contact the London Mental Health Crisis Service at: (519) 433-2023. The Academic Counsellors in your Home Faculty can also direct you to services where you can get assistance.

#### 4. Accommodations for Work Missed Due to Problems

- Students are required to respect all deadlines for submission of assignments and to
  write tests, mid-terms and exams on the scheduled dates, unless circumstances beyond
  their control prevent them from doing so.
- Please take note of the UWO Policy on Accommodation for Medical Illness: http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/handbook/appeals/medical.pdf, downloadable Student Medical Certificate (SMC): https://studentservices.uwo.ca under the Medical Documentation heading. According to this policy, students seeking academic accommodation on medical grounds for any missed tests, exams, participation

 Academic accommodation is given for Religious Holidays – students should be careful to check the policy well in advance and be sure to follow the proper steps outlined in the University Calendar. [4]

## 5. Debarment from Final Examination for Excessive Unjustified Absence

- With the exception of distance studies and on-line courses, attendance in all classes is an obligatory component of all courses in the Department of French Studies.
- The UWO Handbook of Academic and Scholarship Policy [5] states the following: Any student who, in the opinion of the instructor, is absent too frequently from class or laboratory periods in any course will be reported to the Dean of the Faculty offering the course (after due warning has been given). On the recommendation of the Department concerned, and with the permission of the Dean of that Faculty, the student will be