

WESTERN UNIVERSITY
Département d'études françaises

French 240 4B/2144B Civilisation française 4

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based on Placement Test.

Ant irequisite: The former French 232E/2411E.

Unless you have either the requisites for this course or written special permission from your Dean to enroll in it, you may 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. ÷from
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COURSE OBJECTIVES

By the end of the course, students will be expected to:

‡ KDYH D EDVLF XQGHUVWDQGLQJ RI WKH KLVWRULFDU VR country, from the 18th century to present-day.

‡ EH DEOH WR LGHQWLI\ VRPH RI WKH LPSRUWDQW KLVWRU and achievements throughout the centuries.

‡ KDYH D EDVLF XQGHU-~~way~~ ~~Dech~~ ~~to~~ ~~Society~~, ~~Culture~~ ~~and~~ ~~gov~~ ~~ment~~.

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Required Texts:

There are no required texts for the course. A web site has been created which includes the majority of the lectures. This "Internet-based textbook" has no multimedia content whatsoever. Also, in-class lectures convey more information than the site.

Students should make sure they have an active Internet account and access to OWL in order to access the web site.

IMPORTANT ACADEMIC AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

1. Plagiarism, Cheating and Other Scholastic Offences

- x 8:2 VWDWHPHQW RQ SODJLDULV 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]

- x The 'HSDUWPHQW RI)UHQFK 6WXGLHV FRQVLGHUV SODJLDULV RI FRS\LQJ RU VWHDOLQJ DQRWKHU ¶V ZRUGV RU LGHDV DQG from %ODFN ¶V /DZ in UWO Scholastic Offence Policy [2]), to be a serious scholastic offence and will apply the UWO policy to deal with all cases detected.

- x Sometimes students commit plagiarism without being fully aware they are doing so. It is HDFK VWXGHQW ¶V UHVSQVLELOLW\ WR EHFRPH LQIRUPHG D 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]

- x 3OHDVH QRWH WKH IROORZLQJ 8:2 VWDWHPHQW RQ SODJLDULV may be subject to submission for textual similarity review to the commercial plagiarism

have completed grade 12U French, you will not normally be eligible to enroll in French 1002 or 1010.

- x 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

- x 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/>
- x If you have any concerns about your progress with the academic material in a course, you should not hesitate to contact your instructor.
- x 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.
- x 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.
- x 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. Students who are in emotional/mental distress should refer to Mental Health@Western <http://www.uwo.ca/uwocom/mentalhealth/> for a complete list of options about how to obtain help. 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

- x 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.
- x 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 components and/or assignments worth 10% or more of their final grade must apply to the Academic Counselling office of their home Faculty and provide documentation. Academic accommodation cannot be granted by the instructor or department. Please note that in all courses offered by the Department of French Studies, this same requirement will also apply to assignments worth less than 10% of the final grade.
- x No term work may be submitted after the last day of classes for a course unless the student has successfully petitioned for Incomplete Standing on the basis of documentation submitted to the Academic Counselling office of her or his Home Faculty, ZLWK WKH DSSURYDO RI WKH 'HDQ¶V 2IILFH WKH 'HSDUWPHQ
- x Final examinations must be written at the scheduled time unless formal alternative arrangements for a Special Examination have been approved (by the instructor, the 'HSDUWPHQW DQG WKH +RPH)DFXOW\ 'HDQ¶V 2IILFH EDVHG
- x 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

- x 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.
- x 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 debarred from taking the regular examination in the course. The Dean of the Faculty offering the course will communicate that decision to the Dean of the Faculty of registration.

6. Academic Appeals

- x The UWO Handbook of Academic and Scholarship Policy sets out the policy for grade appeals [6]
- x Students should note that the first step to take if they wish to contest a mark is to discuss the matter with the instructor. A student who wishes to pursue an appeal after consulting the instructor must appeal in writing to the Undergraduate Chair of the Department of French Studies, Dr. Karin Schwerdtner, kschwerd@uwo.ca.
- x Instructors in the Department of French Studies will not entertain requests to have a mark for external reasons (e.g. maintaining a scholarship or gaining admission to a professional school or other academic program). In order to be given consideration, any