

**Western University  
Department of French Studies**

**FRENCH 1010**

**SYLLABUS**



**DISTRIBUTION OF MARKS:**

1 Review Test	5%
5 Chapter Tests @ 6%	30%
2 Listening Comprehension Tests @ 5%	10%
1 Oral Test	5%
1 Final Composition	5%
Classroom Attendance and Participation	10%
Tutorial Attendance and Participation	5%
Final Exam	30%
<b>Total</b>	

### **FINAL COMPOSITION (5%)**

A Composition (125 words) is due at the end of the second term. The Composition is an integral part of the Oral Test. A choice of subjects will be available after Winter Reading Week.

**Important Note:** The composition is to be done **on your own**. You may use online or paper dictionaries but **you cannot use any online text translation service or have any outside help**, not even for proofreading.

Please make sure you write the minimum amount of words. There is a penalty for compositions that are too short.

Please do not use online text translation services like Google Translate. The content in your Final Composition should correspond to your proficiency level in French at the end of the academic year.

As the composition is an integral part of the Oral Test, there is a 40

**~Please also note the following university regulation:**

*“...Any student who, in the opinion of the instructor, is absent too frequently from class or laboratory [tutorial] 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,*

## **MEDICAL OR COMPASSIONATE ACCOMMODATION**

If you are frequently absent or you miss multiple academic responsibilities for medical or compassionate reasons, you are encouraged to contact the Academic Counselling Office of your Home Faculty for accommodation. Please bring medical or other documentation to your appointment. Your Academic Counsellor will decide whether or not to grant accommodation. **Please ensure that your Home Faculty Academic Counsellor includes the Course Coordinator, Paul Venesoen (pvenesoe@uwo.ca), in any correspondence relating to accommodation for missed classes and/or tests.**

***Please do not bring any kind of medical or other documentation to your classroom or tutorial instructor.***

***Only your Home Faculty Academic Counsellors are authorized to review any such documentation.***

## **THE MYFRENCHLAB COMPONENT**

Your textbook includes an Access Card for [www.uwo.ca/french/MyFrenchLab](http://www.uwo.ca/french/MyFrenchLab) web site. Instructions for registration are located on the French 1010 OWL site. The *MyFrenchLab* resource includes Chapter-specific pronunciation and grammar exercises, as well as sample dictations. There is also a vocabulary Glossary with translations and pronunciations, an e-Text version of your textbook and a Verb Chart.

This useful resource is **an optional component of the course**. It is supplementary material for students looking to further prepare and review individual Chapters. While we strongly recommend using the *MyFrenchLab* online resource for *En bons termes*, **there are no course grades associated with this component**. A reminder that French 1002 students who purchased a new textbook last year still have access to the *MyFrenchLab* component with the same username and password. Please check the course OWL site for details.

## **THE TUTORIAL HOUR**

**Check your timetable for time and location of the Tutorial hour for your section.**

The tutorial component involves active communication exercises with your tutorial instructor. You will also write the

### **WHAT WE EXPECT FROM YOU**

In order to help the class and tutorial function smoothly and to ensure the best possible learning conditions for all, students are asked to exercise courtesy and cooperation in the following ways:

**WEEKLY CLASS / TUTORIAL SCHEDULE FALL TERM**

**2018**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Classroom</b>	<b>Tutorial</b>
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