



1ST – 21ST JULY 2021

French Summer Academy

*Learn French
in an attractive historical region*

VENDÉE CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY – FRANCE

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Course presentation

- ▶ A 3-week intensive French Language Program with native teachers specialized in French as a Second Language Teaching
- ▶ Placement test before arrival
- ▶ Courses from beginner to advanced level
- ▶ 70 contact hours, small groups
- ▶ Opportunity to get a Level Certificate
- ▶ You may earn 12 ECTS
- ▶ Free access to the Library and Media Center



Skills and goals

You will be working on the six main skills: oral expression and comprehension, as well as written skills and reading and oral/written interaction.

- ▶ Learning outcomes for Level A1 (complete beginners)/Level A2 (false beginners)

– Can recognise concrete information on familiar topics encountered in everyday life.

Level A1: Phonetics, ask simple questions, understand simple answers, make appointments.

Level A2: Make administrative paperworks, make reservation, speak about past and future events, can take part in a routine conversation on simple predictable topics.

- ▶ Learning outcomes for Level B1 (intermediate)/ Level B2 (intermediate+)

– Can understand straightforward factual information about common every day or job-related topics. (*Express feelings in a particular situation, describe a desire or a goal, can open an account in a bank.*)

- ▶ Learning outcomes for Level C1-C2 (advanced)

– Express an opinion on current affairs, giving the pros and cons, the ability to communicate with emphasis on how well it's done, in term of appropriacy, sensitivity and the capacity to deal with unfamiliar topics, can deal with hostile questioning confidently. Can debate.

Teaching method: use of textbooks. The professors will also work on various medium (photos, movies, articles...)

Cultural activities and field trips

Practice French by discovering the history and culture of the region of Napoleon.

- ▶ Discover La Roche-sur-Yon, Napoleon city, and the French gastronomy (cooking workshop)
- ▶ Discover the south of Vendée Region (Maillezais Ancient Abbey, Venise Verte)
- ▶ Enjoy the Historical Theme Park « Puy du Fou », Best Historical World Park in 2017
- ▶ Explore La Rochelle on a daytrip
- ▶ Experience the seaside resort of Les Sables d'Olonne
- ▶ Cooking workshop

Accommodation

- ▶ Housing included*
- ▶ Individual room and bathroom
- ▶ Shared kitchen and facilities
- ▶ Wi-Fi included

*Meals not provided and not included in the cost



Program

			Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
			1	2	3	4
			10-10.30 Welcome Breakfast 10.30-12.30 2-5 Classes	10-11.30 Discover La Roche-sur-Yon 2-5 Classes	Discover LA ROCHELLE	
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	8	9	10	11
5	6	7	9.30-12.30 2-5 Classes	9.30-12.30 2-5 Classes	Enjoy the theme park "PUY DU FOU"	
9.30-12.30 2-5 Classes	9.30-12.30 2-5 Classes	Discover South Vendée (Maillezais, Venise verte)	9.30-12.30 2-4 Classes 5-7 Cooking workshop	9.30-12.30 2-5 Classes		
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
9.30-12.30 2-5 Classes	9.30-12.30 2-5 Classes	Experience the seaside resort of Les Sables d'Olonne	9.30-12.30 2-5 Classes	9.30-12.30 2-5 Classes		
19	20	21				
9.30-12.30 2-5 Classes	9.30-12.30 Review 2-5 Final Exam	9.30-12.30 French activities Farewell Ceremony				

This program can be subject to changes



La Roche-sur-Yon



All-inclusive price: 1500 €

Including: 70 contact hours + accommodation + 4 excursions
+ activities

Not included: meals, visa, transportation to and from La Roche-sur-Yon

- ▶ **Online registration:** ices.fr
- ▶ **Contact information:** international@ices.fr

How to reach La Roche-sur-Yon:

- ▶ 3-hours high-speed train ride from Paris-Charles de Gaulle Airport
- ▶ 1-hour train ride from Nantes Airport

We look forward to welcoming you at ICES!

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Maillezais
Ancient Abbey



La Rochelle

