



Alliance Française
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GIVE YOUR CHILD A GLOBAL
ADVANTAGE WITH FRENCH

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Alliance Française of Port Elizabeth is a non-profit, organization affiliated to the Paris-based Fondation des Alliances Françaises. Present in P.E. since 1960, **our goals** are to **teach French**, promote the French and francophone cultures as well as advocate for **cultural diversity** and encourage intercultural exchanges between France, French-speaking countries, and South Africa.

Our Methodology

Our teaching method is a combination of blended learning, **student-centred** learning, and gamification. The method focuses on **interaction and communication** to teach a foreign language in a exciting and engaging total immersion way. It is based on the European reference framework for languages and develops communication, cultural and intercultural **skills in situations**.

We adapt our teaching practice and pedagogical approaches to the age, level and specialties of the students.

Our Teachers

The Alliance Française teachers are experienced and highly qualified to teach French as a Foreign Language. They go for new training at least every two years to **improve their teaching** skills. The quality of our curriculum, as well as our exams, is recognised worldwide.

OUR OFFER

Academic

AFPE offers exceptional General French Beginner classes, **meticulously crafted** for learners of all ages. The classes are held either at our premises in Richmond Hill or school premises, and availability depends on group size and convenience.

Our classes, starting at just one hour per week, can be tailored to your schedule. However, our recommendation of at least 3 hours per week ensures students maximize their progress. AFPE will provide all necessary materials, equipment and an interactive teacher-student platform, ensuring a seamless learning process.

As an added advantage, students have the option to assess their proficiency through the DELF examination, a **globally recognized** certification opening doors to diverse academic and work prospects, both nationally and internationally.

- The minimum number of students per group: 6
- The maximum: 15

Course material



Ages 4 to 6-7



Ages 7-8 to 11



Ages 11-12 to 17

After-School

AFPE facilitates an after-classes program, **French club** which meets monthly inside the school. The club is a place where learners practice what they have learnt, and to **experience the culture** and civilization of France and other French speaking countries with many fun activities.

We help organise activities based on student interest and enthusiasm. Activities may include French cinema, games, music, French themed parties, and French cuisine.

We will provide **resources** for the clubs such as French movies, books and games, as well as access to our media library and Culturethèque, an online platform containing over 150,000 digital documents as e-books, audio books, videos, newspapers, and other useful resources to learn and practice French.

Our **premises** will be available for dedicated club events.

Minimum requirements:

- Sign up for a term
- Group of 6+ students



Weekend Beginner Class for Young Learners

Embark on a language journey with AFPE's exciting weekend class tailored for toddlers and kids. Held exclusively at our Richmond Hill facility, this engaging class runs every Saturday from 9am to 12pm.

Our program provides a **vibrant introduction** to the language and essential elements of French culture. Through a blend of interactive French games, songs, and activities, we captivate young minds, ensuring an enjoyable and educational experience. Designed to inspire children of all ages, our approach aims to instill a **genuine love** for the French language.

This is an entirely new and more effective way of teaching a foreign language to the young ones. A **unique opportunity** to give your child a head start in learning a foreign language.

- Minimum number of students: 6



Holiday Program

AFPE proudly presents our immersive week-long day programs held at our premises, specially curated to enrich your child's language learning journey.

Our innovative program blends daily language lessons with a variety of exciting activities including art, music, cooking, and more.

Every day is a new adventure, carefully designed around captivating themes by our expert team. In this immersive environment, young learners can not only absorb language skills but also engage in play, creativity, and boundless fun.

Our Programs

- Fun in French Holiday Class (ages 4 – 11)
- Teens French Cultural Discoveries (ages 12 – 16)
- Teens French Holiday Immersion Class (ages 12 – 16)



PROGRAMS AT A GLANCE



Fun in French Holiday Classes (ages 4 – 11)

1-week, Monday – Friday 9am – 12pm

Toddlers and kids learn French through fun activities such as crafts, cooking, dress-up, drama etc. While being exposed to French, children will develop new skills, broaden their horizons, and make new friends!



Teens French Cultural Discoveries (ages 12 – 16)

1-week, Monday – Friday 1:30 – 4:30pm

Through interactive workshops and VR visits around France, teens will step out of the classroom and improve their French in real-life situations.



Teens French Holiday Immersion Class (ages 12 – 16)

Online/Onsite, weekdays, 3hrs, 1-week class



Teens fast-track their French learning over the summer in daily morning classes that prepare them for the school year ahead.



Language Immersion Trips

Indulge in the ultimate French immersion experience through our exclusive holiday programs in France, a unique opportunity brought to you in partnership with esteemed Alliance Françaises. These carefully curated programs offer participants a chance to dive deep into the rich tapestry of French language, culture, and heritage.

Our partnership ensures a seamless blend of language learning and cultural immersion, making your holiday in France an unforgettable educational adventure.

Our Packages

- WindSurfing
- Cultural Discovery
- Mythical and Historical Legends
- Sport and Nature
- Summer Thrills



OUR FEES

SCHOOL GROUP CLASS

10hrs	6+	700 ZAR /HR
20hrs	6+	600 ZAR /HR

PRIVATE CLASSES

10hrs	1	4 200 ZAR
10hrs	2	2 100 ZAR

WEEKEND CLASS

20hrs	4+	2 300 ZAR
30hrs	4+	3 050 ZAR

IMMERSION TRIPS IN FRANCE

Individual	1	Per Request
Per Class	4+	Per Request

French Society School Membership

210 ZAR / YR

Please note that prices are subject to change and may vary depending on specific requirements.

FRENCH

A language of opportunities

French is the key to your future

1st

linguistic competence

ability to speak French and English is an advantage on the international job market



4th Language on the internet
after English, Spanish and Arabic



Language of Culture
international language of cooking, fashion, theatre, the visual arts, dance and architecture.

International Relations

Official language of the United Nations, the European Union, UNESCO, NATO, the International Olympic Committee, the International Red Cross and international courts.



A Language learnt and spoken around the world



321 millions of French speakers around the world



93 millions Students practice French at school



5th most spoken language
2nd most globally used language after English
In close to 160 countries

France:

a country of research and innovation

300 000 researchers, 250 research institutes around the world



350 000 Foreign Students each year



70 universities
200 engineering schools
3000 specialized schools.

Travel with French

French is an official language in 29 countries



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