

French

Module descriptors for Inbound Students.

Name	Written Language B
Code	FRU44301
Semester	1
ECTS credits	5
Pre-requisite	Module only open to French or Francophone Students
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Module Content

The module focuses on advanced grammar, comprehension, and synthetic skills on the basis of texts written in French in a variety of styles and on a variety of intellectually challenging topics.

Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of this module students should be able to:

1. translate a text into correct French from English while retaining a high degree of equivalence with the original (prose)
2. demonstrate a good comprehension of French, particularly through the skill of writing in correct French a résumé of a text on an intellectually challenging topic
3. express themselves more fluently and correctly in the spoken French

Assessment

Advanced Comprehension Exam (100%)

The module is assessed by a 2-hr written exam in which students answer a series of questions on a text written in French that will test their grammar, comprehension, and synthetic skills.