

## **French Courses**

### **FREN 1003 Elementary French I**

3 credits: 3 hours lecture

Basic language skills C listening, speaking, reading, and writing C with emphasis on grammatical structures and aural-oral practice.

### **FREN 1013 Elementary French II**

3 credits: 3 hours lecture

Prerequisite: FREN 1003

Continued study of basic language skills C listening, speaking, reading, and writing C with emphasis on grammatical structures and aural-oral practice.

### **FREN 2203 Intermediate French I**

3 credits: 3 hours lecture

Prerequisite: FREN 1013

Grammar, vocabulary, and basic idiomatic expressions.

### **FREN 2213 Intermediate French II**

3 credits: 3 hours lecture

Prerequisite: FREN 2203

Continued study of grammar, vocabulary, and basic idiomatic expressions.

### **FREN 3223 Intermediate Reading**

3 credits: 3 hours lecture

Prerequisite: FREN 2203

Course in detailed reading of French and Francophone poetry and short stories with an emphasis on reviewing grammar and acquiring new vocabulary and idioms.

### **FREN 3403 Intermediate Conversation**

3 credits: 3 hours lecture

Prerequisite: FREN 2203

Intensive oral practice allowing students to become more comfortable with expressing themselves in the target language. Course is designed to further develop listening comprehension and speaking capabilities through a continued expansion of grammar and vocabulary by employing various mediums: song, literature, periodicals, film, Internet, and the like.

### **FREN 3413 French and Francophone Civilization and Culture**

3 credits: 3 hours lecture

Prerequisite: FREN 2203

Survey of the main points in French and Francophone history, civilization, and culture from early French kingdoms through colonization to contemporary issues. Examining both major national events and the major world influences that developed from the French effect on the globe.

### **FREN 3423 Intermediate Grammar and Composition**

3 credits: 3 hours lecture

Prerequisite: FREN 2213

Writing course which will continue to address problematic areas in the French language by more precise review of advanced grammar topics. Students will learn to properly express themselves in French by writing compositions which inform, persuade, give an opinion, and the like.

**FREN 3433 Survey of French Literature I**

3 credits: 3 hours lecture

Prerequisite: FREN 2203, FREN 2213

Literature by periods from its beginnings to the end of the 18th century.

**FREN 4613 Advanced Composition**

3 credits: 3 hours lecture

Advanced French translation and free composition. Emphasis on literary style and building new vocabulary.

**FREN 4653 Seminar in French Literature**

3 credits: 3 hours lecture

Prerequisite: FREN 3433 or FREN 3443 or instructor's permission.

Emphasis on literary analysis and interpretation of major authors of a given century and work characteristics of various movements of that century.

**FREN 479V Independent Study in French**

Variable credit

Consult the Independent Study Courses subheading in the Academic Regulations section of this catalog for prerequisites and description.