

**In first semester French, you will begin to develop a solid foundation in French, geared towards communicating with French-speaking people in everyday situations. You will learn to talk about your friends and family, about your current experience in college, and also to discuss past and future events in your life.**

**In this course, you will be reintroduced to, and become functional in, French through a communicative, four-skill approach (listening, reading, writing, and speaking). This course is designed to build on your language knowledge by exploring a higher level of reading and writing than as seen in the first two semesters.**

**This course is designed to improve verbal skills in French by exploring conversational techniques, developing useful vocabulary, and honing pronunciation skills. It provides a rewarding creative experience that, while maintaining a focus on speaking and listening, also builds upon your existing skills in reading and writing.**

**Focusing on tales from France, students will examine a variety of texts, media, and film.**