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PA Standards

Communication in French 12.1

- A. French Basic Sound System
- E. Comparison of other languages to French
- F. Spanish Connections with other Curriculum Areas

The Role of Culture in French Acquisition 12.3

- A. Products and Customs from French-speaking Culture
- B. Expressions and Gestures in French
- C. French Language's
 Cultural Similarities
 and Differences
 Compared with other
 Cultures
- D. Influences and Connections of French Culture within the School Curriculum

Spanish in the Community .12.5

A. Relationships of

- Where in the world do people speak French?
 - Students will be able to discuss several aspects of French - speaking countries and their geography.
- What does French sound like?
 - Students will be able to recite the French alphabet and spell short words aloud in French.
- ► How do people greet each other in French?
 - Students will use very basic French greetings to greet each other.
- How and what do people eat in French-speaking countries?
 - Students will be able to discuss some of the most common foods and dining customs in

MODES:

Interpretive (Audio, visual and audio visual)

Students will watch a travel documentary outlining a person's experiences in various parts of France.

Interpretive (Written Print)

Students will read several firstperson accounts of celebrating holidays in France.

Interpersonal (Spoken)

Students will complete the "Basic Phrases" unit on Duolingo in competition for the most XP points.

Interpersonal (Written)

Students will choose a Frenchspeaking city and create an audiovisual virtual tour of the city that they chose.

- Virtual Tour Project
- French Menu Project
- Students will create a journal entry as a French child recalling memories from the holiday of their choice.

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| French Culture/Language to the Local and Regional Community B. Relationships of French Culture/Language to the National Community. C. Relationships of the French Culture/Language to the Global Community D. Comparisons and Connections between the French Language and English in the Communities | French-speaking countries. How do people celebrate holidays in France? Students will describe cultural celebrations in French-speaking countries. | Presentational (Spoken) Students will learn and sing the French alphabet song. Presentational (Written) Students will complete a menu for a French restaurant demonstrating typical French cuisine. | |
| ACTFL Standards 1.1: engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, exchange opinions. 1.2: Students understand and | | | |

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| interpret written and spoken | | | |
| language on a variety of topics. | | | |
| 1.3: Students present | | | |
| information, concepts, and | | | |
| ideas to an audience of | | | |
| listeners or readers on a variety | | | |
| of topics. 2.1: | | | |
| Students demonstrate an | | | |
| understanding of the | | | |
| relationship between the | | | |
| practices and perspectives of | | | |
| the culture studied. Standard | | | |
| 2.2: Students demonstrate an | | | |
| understanding of the | | | |
| relationship between the | | | |
| products and perspectives of | | | |
| the culture studied. | | | |
| 3.1: Students reinforce and | | | |
| further their knowledge of other | | | |
| disciplines through the foreign | | | |
| language. 3.2: Students acquire | | | |
| information and recognize the | | | |
| distinctive viewpoints that are | | | |
| only available through the | | | |
| foreign language and its cultures. | | | |
| Cultures. | | | |

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| 4.1: Students demonstrate | | | |
| understanding of the nature of | | | |
| language through comparisons | | | |
| of the language studied and | | | |
| their own. 4.2: Students | | | |
| demonstrate understanding of | | | |
| the concept of culture through | | | |
| comparisons of the cultures | | | |
| studied and their own. 5.1: | | | |
| Students use the language | | | |
| both within and beyond the | | | |
| school setting. 5.2: Students | | | |
| show evidence of becoming | | | |
| life-long learners by using the | | | |
| language for personal | | | |
| enjoyment and enrichment. | | | |
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