

WELCOME TO THE CENTRE DE RESSOURCES ALEXANDRE ET JACQUES LEVIANT POUR L'APPRENTISSAGE DU FRANCAIS LANGUE ETRANGERE

Follow the hallway past Molière to enter this room specially created to serve your language-learning needs. In it you will find materials and services that will help you on your path to fluency in French. No matter what your level, there are resources here for you to supplement your experience in class or to help you study independently. Pick up a copy of the brochure "**Oui Je Peux!**" for your level and start familiarizing yourself with our resources.

The materials for language-learning are available for onsite use and for borrowing. As these materials are very popular, we encourage you to stop by regularly to see what is currently on the shelves. We add many new titles monthly, so there is always something new to check out! *Note: Any material with a red band, or the word "USUEL" on the spine is for onsite use only; all others may be borrowed.*

- **Multimedia** (DVDs, CD-ROMs, CDs): a wide range of language-learning materials that may be borrowed for home use. They are located on the shelves to the left as you enter next to the windows, and are organized by language level (this "Section by Levels" also contains books). In this fashion, you can easily choose something right at your level:
 - **A1 basic level (RP101-102):** **GREEN** stickers
 - **A2 basic level (RP103-104-201):** **BLUE** stickers
 - **B1 independent level (RP202-205):** **YELLOW** stickers
- **Periodicals:**
 - Champs-Élysées, Clés de l'Actualité, and "**Bien-Dire**": this latter is an outstanding magazine for learners of French that comes with an accompanying CD. Students just love this magazine, and is accessible to beginning level students
- **Textbooks:** You may find a copy of all the textbooks used in the FIAF classes (*onsite use only*), as well as a copy of all the major French textbooks for learning French
- **Books** on all aspects of the French language learning (they are located on the wall with the flatscreen TV). Many of these books are in English and are lots of fun (eg. "French for Dummies") or very hands-on ("1001 Basic Words"). The books are arranged in 10 very simple and clear subject areas:

441	441/ECR = Français ECR it/ Written French (includes spelling)
442	442/PAR = Français PAR lé / Spoken French (includes pronunciation)
443	443/DIC = DIC tionnaires / Dictionaries
444	444/VER = VER bes / Verbs
445	445/GRA = GRA mmaires / Grammar books
446	446/PRA = PRA tique du français / French study and practice
447	447/VOC = VOC abulaire / Vocabulary
448	448 + subject = Français de spécialité / Specialized French
449	449/DIP = DIP ômes et Préparation aux examens (TEF, DELF, DALF) / Exam preparation
M	M = M anuels / French Textbooks

- **Français Facile "Easy Readers"**: abridged texts of the great French classics to get you on your way reading literature in a gentle way. They are all on the same shelf and have a label "FF". They often have annotated vocabulary lists, and are designed for students who like to read texts that are simplified yet sophisticated. You will find classics, biographies and civilization easy readers. These books are arranged according to your language level: A1 (500-900 words); A2 (900-1500 words) and B1 (1500+words) Look for your colored sticker on these as well. Read, understand and enjoy!
- **"Quoi d'Neuf" intranet platform**: this online learning tool offers over 300 learning activities awaiting you at a mouse click! The intranet is organized by language-learning levels (A1, A2, B1 and B2), with each level containing a series of exercises on grammar, pronunciation, vocabulary, civilization and arts & letters.
- **TV5** is available for onsite viewing. TV5 is an excellent window onto the francophone world, offering a wide-range of commercial-free, high-quality programs, including subtitled films, news, sports, and documentaries. French language students will be especially interested in the program **"Cinq Jours sur la Planète"**, a 26 minute news program aimed at A2, B1 and B2 students, with activity sheets available for downloading. You may view the program live on Saturday mornings at 9:20 or on the website at <http://www.tv5.org/TV5Site/7-jours/>. The TV5 website offers many resources, including the **"Première Classe"** program for A1 beginners, and the fun "jukebox" of popular French songs, along with lyrics and study guides.
- **The Online catalogue**: the online catalog has been organized to help you find materials at your level. On the catalog main search page, just enter your level (A1, A2, or B1), choosing "subject" in the "index name" window, and materials at your level will be listed. Available online at <http://library.fiaf.org>. Also of interest is a list of DVDs with French subtitles.
- **Music and comics**: And don't forget to enjoy our popular collections of music CDs and comics ("bandes dessinées") located in this room. Ask at the circulation desk to listen to our blue IPOD loaded with a selection of pop music by CECR level.
- **Programs for students: Cercles de Lecture, Faites vos jeux! and Café de la Presse**: A special reading group at your level (A2-B2) is hosted by our favorite French guy, Yann Carmona, and students enjoy our board games night of Faites vos Jeux with Ronda Murdock. Current events are discussed at the Café de la Presse (B1 level and above). For details, see our [web page](#).
- **Pathfinders**: Also of interest is the FIAF Library Pathfinder publications of **"Language Learning Materials in the FIAF Library"**: beginning, intermediate and advanced levels. These study guides provide suggestions for materials available throughout the entire library that will benefit your learning experience. A PDF version is available for downloading at: <http://www.fiaf.org/library/learning.shtml>. Another popular pathfinder for language students is "French Basic Tools" <http://www.fiaf.org/library/documents/pathfinders/frenchbasictools.doc>

Other pathfinders of interest to language learners are: Dictionaries on the Web, Language learning resources on the Web, Cours de Français en Amérique du Nord et aux Caraïbes, and Study in France

We look forward to having you learn French @ the Library!