

Alignment to Michigan World Language Standards and Benchmarks
Voces® Introductory French~ Chapter1

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This document illustrates how chapter one in Introductory French aligns to the Michigan World Language Standards and Benchmarks. If you have any questions, call 1-800-848-0256 or email info@vocesdigital.com.

Chapitre 1 : Les salutations			
1. Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English			
1.1 Interpersonal Communication (IP): Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and exchange opinions.			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Parlons un peu !</i>		Speaking	I can introduce myself and ask how someone is.
<i>Activités</i>	<i>Activité 3</i>	Writing	I can respond to an introduction or basic greeting.
<i>Activités</i>	<i>Activité 4</i>	Writing	I can recognize the correct greeting informal and informal situations.
<i>Activités</i>	<i>Activité 6</i>	Writing	I can greet someone appropriately in formal and informal situations.
<i>Activités</i>	<i>Activité 7</i>	Speaking	I can respond appropriately to an introduction or basic greeting.
1.2 Interpretive Communication (IT): Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Vidéo : Les salutations</i>		Listening/Reading	Witness simple introductions
<i>Exemples</i>		Listening/Reading	Understand simple introductions
<i>Activités</i>	<i>Activité 2</i>	Reading	Choose the greeting that

			does not belong
Activités	Activité 5	Reading	Put the dialogues in order
Documents authentiques	On se fait la bise ?	Reading	I can identify social practices associated with greetings, introductions, and leave-taking.
Documents authentiques	Les salutations sans contact	Reading	Interpret an infographic
1.3 Presentational Communication (PS): Students present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of topics.			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
Questions personnelles		Speaking	Respond appropriately to simple greetings
2. Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understand of Other Cultures			
2.1 Practices and Perspectives:Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the culture studied.			
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description	
Note culturelle		I can understand what is meant by “la francophonie” and list places where French is spoken.	
Activités	Activité 4	I can recognize the correct greeting informal and informal situations.	
Documents authentiques	On se fait la bise ?	I can identify social practices associated with greetings, introductions, and leave-taking.	
2.2 Products and Perspectives: Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives of the culture studied.			
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description	
Panorama	Visitons Paris !	Explore the Eiffel Tower and its surrounding areas	
3. Connections: Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information			
3.1 Knowledge: Students reinforce and further their knowledge of other disciplines through the world language.			
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description	
Note culturelle		I can understand what is meant by “la francophonie” and list places where French is spoken.	
French with Mr. Innes	French Around the World	I can recognize the global impact of the French language.	
3.2 Point of View: Students acquire information and recognize the distinctive viewpoints that are only available through the world language and its cultures.			
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description	
Note culturelle		I can understand what is meant	

		by “ <i>la francophonie</i> ” and list places where French is spoken.
French with Mr. Innes	French Around the World	I can recognize the global impact of the French language.
<i>Panorama</i>	<i>Visitons Paris !</i>	Explore the Eiffel Tower and its surrounding areas
<i>Documents authentiques</i>	<i>On se fait la bise ?</i>	I can identify social practices associated with greetings, introductions, and leave-taking.
4. Comparisons: Develop Insight into the Nature of Language and Culture		
4.1 Comparing Languages: Students demonstrate understanding of the nature of language through comparisons of the language studied and their own.		
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
<i>Activités</i>	<i>Activité 1</i>	I can recognize basic greetings vocabulary.
<i>Activités</i>	<i>Activité 4</i>	I can recognize the correct greeting informal and informal situations.
<i>Activités</i>	<i>Activité 6</i>	I can greet someone appropriately in formal and informal situations.
French with Mr. Innes	French Around the World	I can recognize the global impact of the French language.
4.2 Comparing Cultures: Students demonstrate understanding of the concept of culture through comparisons of the cultures studied and their own.		
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
<i>Note culturelle</i>		I can understand what is meant by “ <i>la francophonie</i> ” and list places where French is spoken.
French with Mr. Innes	French Around the World	I can recognize the global impact of the French language.
<i>Documents authentiques</i>	<i>On se fait la bise ?</i>	I can identify social practices associated with greetings, introductions, and leave-taking.
5. Communities: Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home and Around the World		
5.1 Use of Language: Students use the language both within and beyond the school setting.		
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
<i>Panorama</i>	<i>Visitons Paris !</i>	Explore the Eiffel Tower and its surrounding areas
5.2 Personal Enrichment: Students show evidence of becoming life-long learners by using the language for personal enjoyment and enrichment.		
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
Can-Do Checklist		Can-Do self-assessment

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