

Alignment to Louisiana World Language Content Standards for Modern Languages

Voces® *Notre histoire* 2 ~ Unit 1

Voces *Notre histoire* Level 2 is an interactive French Comprehensible Input (CI) curriculum with proficiency-based materials for novice-level learners. Level 2 will take your middle or high school students from a Novice-Mid level of proficiency to a Novice-High level of proficiency and beyond.

This standards-based, AP®-aligned program integrates stories, communicative tasks, and culture in a cohesive, all-in-one, and customizable format accessible to students and teachers from any device. *Notre histoire* offers digital-blended learning opportunities for French classes on a data-driven, interactive, and easy-to-use platform.

This document illustrates how the first unit in *Notre histoire* Level 2 aligns to the Louisiana World Language Content Standards for Modern Languages. If you have any questions, call 1-800-848-0256 or email info@vocesdigital.com.

Unité 1 : L'aventure commence			
Strand 1: Connections to Language and Literacy			
Standard 1: Interpersonal Communication			
Interact with others in informal, one-on-one, or small group conversations using culturally appropriate language and gestures			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Le voyage d'une vie : Chapitre 1</i>	Interpersonal Speaking: <i>Les résultats de mon test ADN</i>	Speaking	I can have a conversation about the results of a DNA ancestry test.
<i>Encore ! Encore !</i>	<i>Le monde en photos : Le marché By</i>	Speaking	I can talk about visiting a market.
<i>Encore ! Encore !</i>	<i>Le monde en photos : Les fortifications de Québec</i>	Speaking	I can talk about a historical site.
<i>Longue histoire 2 : Liam a conduit jusqu'en France</i>	Interpersonal Writing: <i>Mon voyage à Saint-Pierre</i>	Writing	I can write an email about a vacation to Saint Pierre, France.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpersonal Speaking	Speaking	I can have a conversation about why the Acadians left Quebec, where they immigrated to, and regions of North America that have been

			influenced by French culture.
Standard 2: Interpretive Demonstrate an understanding of words and concepts presented in the target language and in authentic materials using listening, reading, and viewing strategies			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Encore ! Encore !</i>	<i>Articles : L'amour de sa vie</i>	Reading	I can understand an article about a historical legend.
<i>Petite histoire 1 : Bérénice va à la Nouvelle-Orléans</i>	<i>Activité 1 : Vrai ou faux ?</i>	Reading	I can understand a story about a trip to New Orleans.
<i>Petite histoire 2 : Un expatrié français à Chicago</i>	<i>Activité 1 : Complète la phrase</i>	Reading	I can understand a story about a French person living in Chicago.
<i>Encore ! Encore !</i>	<i>Articles : L'ouragan Katrina</i>	Reading	I can understand an article about a natural disaster.
<i>Petite histoire 4 : Les frères Thibodeau</i>	Interpretive Reading: <i>Les Nuits Cajun et Zydeco</i>	Reading	I can read an article about a festival in France that is based on Louisiana's culture and music.
<i>Longue histoire 1 : Être bilingue, c'est un avantage !</i>	<i>Activité 1 : C'est un problème ?</i>	Reading	I can understand a story about the benefits of being bilingual.
<i>Petite histoire 3 : La tragédie et le triomphe des Acadiens</i>	<i>Activité 1 : Décris la photo</i>	Reading	I can understand a story about Acadian history.
<i>Petite histoire 4 : Les frères Thibodeau</i>	<i>Activité 1 : Choix multiple</i>	Reading	I can understand a story about Cajun and French culture.
<i>Longue histoire 2 : Liam a conduit jusqu'en France</i>	<i>Activité 1 : Mets dans l'ordre</i>	Reading	I can understand a story about a surprising trip to France.
<i>Longue histoire 1 : Être bilingue, c'est un avantage !</i>	Interpretive Listening: <i>Bienvenue au Nouveau-Brunswick</i>	Listening	I can understand some words and phrases and the main idea of a video about the Canadian province of New

			Brunswick.
<i>Encore ! Encore !</i>	<i>Interviews : Maxime</i>	Listening	I can understand some of what someone says about a trip they took.
<i>Le voyage d'une vie : Chapitre 1</i>	<i>Activité 1 : Vrai ou faux ?</i>	Reading	I can understand a chapter in an ongoing story.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpretive Reading	Reading	I can read an infographic about the use of French in the Canadian province of New Brunswick.
Standard 3: Presentational			
Present information, concepts and ideas to an audience orally or written.			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Petite histoire 2 : Un expatrié français à Chicago</i>	Presentational Speaking: <i>Mon été à Chicago</i>	Speaking	I can make a voice recording about French cultural experiences during a visit to Chicago.
<i>Petite histoire 2 : Un expatrié français à Chicago</i>	<i>Activité 4 : Raconte-moi l'histoire</i>	Speaking	I can tell a story about a French person living in Chicago.
<i>Petite histoire 4 : Les frères Thibodeau</i>	<i>Activité 4 : Raconte-moi l'histoire</i>	Speaking	I can tell a story about Cajun and French culture.
<i>Longue histoire 2 : Liam a conduit jusqu'en France</i>	<i>Activité 4 : Une fin alternative</i>	Speaking	I can retell a story about a surprising trip to France with an alternative ending.
<i>Encore ! Encore !</i>	<i>Interviews : Qui es-tu ?</i>	Speaking	I can give information about myself such as my name, where I am from, and details of a trip I have taken.
<i>Petite histoire 3 : La tragédie et le triomphe des Acadiens</i>	Presentational Writing: <i>Les colons acadiens</i>	Writing	I can write a short report about Acadian colonists and their experiences in the New World.
<i>Petite histoire 1 :</i>	<i>Activité 4 : Raconte-moi</i>	Writing	I can write a story about

<i>Bérénice va à la Nouvelle-Orléans</i>	<i>l'histoire</i>		a trip to New Orleans.
<i>Petite histoire 3 : La tragédie et le triomphe des Acadiens</i>	<i>Activité 4 : Raconte-moi l'histoire</i>	Writing	I can write a story about Acadian history.
<i>Longue histoire 1 : Être bilingue, c'est un avantage !</i>	<i>Activité 4 : Continue l'histoire</i>	Writing	I can continue a story about the benefits of being bilingual.
<i>Le voyage d'une vie : Chapitre 1</i>	<i>Activité 4 : Qu'est-ce qui va se passer ensuite ?</i>	Writing	I can write what I think will happen next in an ongoing story.
End-of-Unit Review and Assessment	<i>Mon histoire originale !</i>	Writing	I can write an original story.
End-of-Unit Review and Assessment	<i>Raconte-nous une histoire originale</i>	Speaking	I can tell an original story.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Presentation Writing	Writing	I can write an email about areas in North America influenced by French culture and why I want to go there.

Strand 2: Connections to Other Disciplines

Studying a world language involves making connections with other academic disciplines, formally and informally. The language arts skills of listening, speaking, reading, and writing are key parts of world language communication. As students learn how to use numbers and currency, mathematics and economics are connected with language performance. Social Studies, art, health and physical education, science, and music are important parts of cultural understanding and are integrated throughout linguistic communication. Career and technical skills are incorporated into relative topics, and technology is integrated throughout world languages as a resource for materials and a means of expression and presentation.

Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
<i>Explore le monde francophone</i>	<i>Lien avec les autres matières</i>	I can research the history of a place or group of people and compare it to my own family history.
<i>Petite histoire 3 : La tragédie et le triomphe des Acadiens</i>	<i>La tragédie et le triomphe des Acadiens</i>	An investigation of the history of French-speaking immigrants in North America

Strand 3: Intercultural Competencies

Students preparing for success in the 21st Century need to access knowledge and information from other communities and cultures and use that information to function well with people from diverse backgrounds. To avoid stereotyping target cultures, it is recommended that teachers give global examples whenever possible. Because Intercultural Competence measures awareness, there is no pre-existing scale by which to measure student growth. Students will develop worldwide awareness through in-class activities and community based projects.

Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
<i>Petite histoire 1 : Bérénice va à la Nouvelle-Orléans</i>	<i>Bérénice va à la Nouvelle-Orléans</i>	French influence in New Orleans
<i>Petite histoire 2 : Un expatrié français à Chicago</i>	<i>Un expatrié français à Chicago</i>	American food and French food
<i>Petite histoire 4 : Les frères Thibodeau</i>	<i>Les frères Thibodeau</i>	Cajun music and French roots
<i>Encore ! Encore !</i>	<i>Interviews : Maxime</i>	Travel and culture shock
<i>Encore ! Encore !</i>	<i>Panoramas : Le cimetière Saint-Vincent de Paul</i>	I can use single words and phrases to identify products and practices that reflect perspectives in New Orleans.
<i>Encore ! Encore !</i>	<i>Panoramas : Le Petit Champlain</i>	I can use single words and phrases to identify products and practices that reflect perspectives in Quebec.
<i>Explore le monde francophone</i>	<i>Visitons l'Amérique du Nord !</i>	Photos and maps of North America and its French-speaking regions, with exploratory questions
<i>Explore le monde francophone !</i>	<i>Dans ma communauté</i>	I can use the French language both within and beyond my classroom to interact and collaborate in my community and the globalized world.

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