

## Alignment to Michigan World Language Standards and Benchmarks

### Voces® *Voix du monde 2*

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This document illustrates how chapter one in *Voix du monde 2* aligns to the Michigan World Language Standards and Benchmarks. If you have any questions, call 1-800-848-0256 or email [info@vocesdigital.com](mailto:info@vocesdigital.com).

<i>Chapitre 1 : À la maison en France</i>			
<b>1. Communication: Communicate in Languages Other Than English</b>			
<b>1.1 Interpersonal Communication (IP):</b> Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and exchange opinions.			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Activités</i>	<i>Activité 11 : Les tâches ménagères</i>	Speaking	I can answer simple questions about my chore preferences.
<i>Parlons un peu !</i>	<i>Questions personnelles</i>	Speaking	I can have a conversation about my home.
<i>Parlons un peu !</i>	Interpersonal #1	Speaking	I can have a conversation about what chores I have to do.
<i>Parlons un peu !</i>	Interpersonal #2	Speaking	I can have a conversation about what a home is like.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpersonal Speaking	Speaking	I can exchange information about homes and chores in French.
<b>1.2 Interpretive Communication (IT):</b> Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Activités</i>	<i>Activité 16 : Devoir, pouvoir et vouloir</i>	Listening	I can listen to short conversations and determine whether or not they are logical.
<i>Activités</i>	<i>Activité 18 : Devoir, pouvoir et vouloir</i>	Reading	I can read a letter explaining a family's responsibilities.
<i>Activités</i>	<i>Activité 21 : Les prépositions</i>	Reading	I can determine whether a statement is true.

<i>Activités</i>	<i>Activité 23 : Les prépositions</i>	Listening	I can understand some spoken information about a house.
<i>Documents authentiques</i>	<i>Les tâches ménagères des enfants</i>	Reading	I can understand a magazine article about house chores.
<i>Documents authentiques</i>	<i>Mini maisons</i>	Reading	I can understand the information provided by a real estate website and recognize related cognate words.
<i>Documents authentiques</i>	<i>Une résidence</i>	Reading	I can understand the information provided on a website in order to rent a college dorm room.
<i>Documents authentiques</i>	<i>Les animaux de compagnie en appartement</i>	Reading	I can interpret data in a graph about pets and apartments.
<i>Documents authentiques</i>	<i>Logement meublé</i>	Reading	I can understand an infographic about furnished apartments.
<i>Documents authentiques</i>	<i>Visite d'une maison typique américaine</i>	Listening	I can understand a tour of someone's home.
<i>Documents authentiques</i>	<i>Plan de maison</i>	Reading	I can read a floor plan for a house.
<i>Documents authentiques</i>	<i>Maison à vendre</i>	Reading	I can understand information in an ad for a house.
<i>Exploration culturelle</i>	<i>Les animaux domestiques</i>	Reading	I can identify trends around pets and other companion animals and their role in daily life.
<i>Exploration culturelle</i>	<i>La Normandie</i>	Reading	I can share my knowledge about a region of France and read a recipe.
<i>Entrevue</i>	<i>Séverine</i>	Listening	I can understand a native French speaker describing their house and the chores that they do.
<i>Lectures</i>	<i>Les maisons célèbres de France</i>	Reading	I can read and understand a text about homes of famous artists in French.
<i>Lectures</i>	<i>Le jardin, une autre pièce de la</i>	Reading	I can read and

	<i>maison</i>		understand an article about home lawns and gardens in France.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpretive Listening	Listening	I can understand some information from a video about a home in France.
<b>1.3 Presentational Communication (PS):</b> Students present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of topics.			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Activités</i>	<i>Activité 3 : À la maison</i>	Speaking	I can describe rooms in a house.
<i>Activités</i>	<i>Activité 4 : À la maison</i>	Writing	I can describe a room in detail.
<i>Activités</i>	<i>Activité 5 : À la maison</i>	Writing	I can describe my dream home.
<i>Activités</i>	<i>Activité 7 : À la maison</i>	Speaking	I can answer simple questions about a house.
<i>Parlons un peu !</i>	Presentational #1	Speaking	I can describe my home.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Presentational Writing	Writing	I can describe the furnishings and rooms in my home.
<b>2. Cultures: Gain Knowledge and Understand of Other Cultures</b>			
<b>2.1 Practices and Perspectives:</b> Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the culture studied.			
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description	
<i>Voyageons en France</i>	<i>Panorama : Une maison en France</i>	I can use words, phrases, and simple sentences to identify and describe cultural products and practices in France to help me explain and understand the perspectives of the target culture.	
<i>Exploration culturelle</i>	<i>Le sport : Allez les Bleu(e)s !</i>	I can identify some typical products and practices related to sporting events.	
<i>Exploration culturelle</i>	<i>La Normandie</i>	I can share my knowledge about a region of France and read a recipe.	
<i>Lectures</i>	<i>Le jardin, une autre pièce de la maison</i>	I can read and understand an article about home lawns and gardens in France.	
<b>2.2 Products and Perspectives:</b> Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives of the culture studied.			

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<i>Voyageons en France</i>	<i>Panorama : Une maison en France</i>	I can use words, phrases, and simple sentences to identify and describe cultural products and practices in France to help me explain and understand the perspectives of the target culture.
<i>Exploration culturelle</i>	<i>Le sport : Pierre de Coubertin et les Jeux olympiques</i>	I can identify some typical products related to sports history and sporting events.
<i>Exploration culturelle</i>	<i>Le sport : Allez les Bleu(e)s !</i>	I can identify some typical products and practices related to sporting events.
<i>Exploration culturelle</i>	<i>Le sport : Le cyclisme et le Tour de France</i>	I can identify some typical products related to sports history and sporting events.
<b>3. Connections: Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information</b>		
<b>3.1 Knowledge:</b> Students reinforce and further their knowledge of other disciplines through the world language.		
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
<i>Présentation de la France</i>		Learn some statistics and look at a map of France
<i>Voyageons en France</i>	<i>La carte</i>	Interpret a map.
<i>Exploration culturelle</i>	<i>La Normandie</i>	I can share my knowledge about a region of France and read a recipe.
<i>Lectures</i>	<i>Les maisons célèbres de France</i>	I can read and understand a text about homes of famous artists in French.
<i>Lectures</i>	<i>Le jardin, une autre pièce de la maison</i>	I can read and understand an article about home lawns and gardens in France.
<b>3.2 Point of View:</b> Students acquire information and recognize the distinctive viewpoints that are only available through the world language and its cultures.		
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
<i>Lectures</i>	<i>Le jardin, une autre pièce de la maison</i>	I can read and understand an article about home lawns and gardens in France.
<b>4. Comparisons: Develop Insight into the Nature of Language and Culture</b>		
<b>4.1 Comparing Languages:</b> Students demonstrate understanding of the nature of language through comparisons of the language studied and their own.		
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
<i>À la maison</i>		House vocabulary
<i>Les tâches ménagères</i>		Discussing chores
<i>Devoir, pouvoir et vouloir</i>		The verbs “to have to/must”, “to

		be able”, and “to want”
<i>Les prépositions</i>		Prepositions
<b>4.2 Comparing Cultures:</b> Students demonstrate understanding of the concept of culture through comparisons of the cultures studied and their own.		
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
<i>Voyageons en France</i>	<i>Panorama : Une maison en France</i>	I can use words, phrases, and simple sentences to identify and describe cultural products and practices in France to help me explain and understand the perspectives of the target culture.
<i>Exploration culturelle</i>	<i>Le petit déjeuner : The little lunch?!</i>	I can talk about what I would like to have at a French breakfast table.
<i>Exploration culturelle</i>	<i>La Normandie</i>	I can share my knowledge about a region of France and read a recipe.
<i>Lectures</i>	<i>Les maisons célèbres de France</i>	I can read and understand a text about homes of famous artists in French.
<i>Lectures</i>	<i>Le jardin, une autre pièce de la maison</i>	I can read and understand an article about home lawns and gardens in France.
<b>5. Communities: Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home and Around the World</b>		
<b>5.1 Use of Language:</b> Students use the language both within and beyond the school setting.		
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
<i>Devoir, pouvoir et vouloir</i>		Plan a community service project focused on the French language
<b>5.2 Personal Enrichment:</b> 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		Setting personal language goals, self-assessment on Can-Do statements, and unit reflection

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