

UCSC FRENCH PROGRAM

UCSC Languages and Applied Linguistics

- Know some French? Take a test to know your options (no risks, no sign-up for class required)

<https://language.ucsc.edu/placement/french.html>

- More on languages at UCSC:

<https://language.ucsc.edu/>

French facts

- The 2nd most studied language in the world
- The official language in most international organizations
- Top 3rd most useful language for business



French is a language of the future, of creation, invention and innovation.

Left: Startup Blablacar team meeting on their Parisian rooftop.



French is the fastest growing global language.

Left: A group of people taking a Segway ride in Paris.



French culture remains a worldwide influence and reference.

Left: Cartier Foundation by architect Jean Nouvel.

UCSC French Program

The French Language Program at UCSC offers students a variety of opportunities to learn or improve their French and to learn about the French and Francophone world.

Students with an interest in French can major in Language Studies, Literature or Global Economics. French Minor coming soon.

Numerous study-abroad opportunities in France are available through the UC Education Abroad Program (EAP).

UCSC 2024-2025 French courses

	Fall 2024	Winter 2025	Spring 2025
French 1	X	X	
French 2		X	X
French 3	X		X
French 4	X	X	
French 5		X	
French 6			X
French 136 La Francophonie	X		
French 114 French Phonetics			X

Other advanced courses

French 108	French Cinema
French 111	French Stylistics
French 120	French Linguistics
French 121	History of French
French 125A	French Civilization: 19 th Century
French 125B	French Civilization: 20 th Century
French 130	French for Professions