

UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS
UG & 5 YR INTEGRATED DEGREE COURSES
SYLLABUS – OTHER LANGUAGES

BP1-LFRE1

PART – I: FRENCH
(with effect from 2018-2019)

CLK1S

SEMESTER I

Title of the Paper : Prescribed text and grammar-I

Prescribed textbook:

- Régine Mérieux & Yves Loiseau, *Latitudes 1*, Paris, Didier, 2017 (Units 1-6 only).

Questions not to be asked from the Autoévaluation and Préparation au DELF

Paper setters to strictly adhere to the syllabus and ask questions only from the pages included in the syllabus. Questions should cover the entire syllabus.

QUESTION PAPER PATTERN

Time : 3 Hours
Marks : 75

Maximum

Section A (7 x 5 = 35 Marks)

Answer any 7 questions

10 Grammar exercises to be given from the prescribed textbook

Section B (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

Answer any TEN questions

15 questions to be asked on cultural aspects found in the prescribed textbook

Section C (2 x 10 = 20 Marks)

Answer any TWO

2 must be answered out of 4 topics (1 dialogue writing, 1 letter /email writing, 2 compositions based on the themes found in the prescribed textbook)

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CLK2T

SEMESTER II

Foundation Course: Paper II-French II

Title of the Paper : Prescribed text and grammar-II

Prescribed textbook:

- Régine Mérieux & Yves Loiseau, *Latitudes 1*, Paris, Didier, 2017 (**Units 7-12 only**).

Questions not to be asked from the Autoévaluation and Préparation au DELF

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QUESTION PAPER PATTERN

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 75

Section A (7 x 5 = 35 Marks)

Answer any 7 questions

10 Grammar exercises to be given from the prescribed textbook

Section B (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

Answer any TEN questions

15 questions to be asked on cultural aspects found in the prescribed textbook

Section C (2 x 10 = 20 Marks)

Answer any TWO

2 must be answered out of 4 topics (1 dialogue writing, 1 letter /email writing, 2 compositions based on the themes found in the prescribed textbook)

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CLK3V

SEMESTER III

Foundation Course: Paper III-French III

Title of the Paper : Translation, Comprehension and Grammar-I

Prescribed textbook:

- K.Madanagobalane & N.C.Mirakamal, *Le français par les textes*, Chennai, Samhita Publications-Goyal Publisher & Distributors Pvt Ltd, 2017

The following grammar components are chosen from the prescribed textbook:

- Les pronoms relatifs
- Le passé composé
- L'imparfait
- Le plus-que-parfait
- Le subjonctif
- Le conditionnel
- La comparaison

The following texts from the prescribed textbook:

- Les feuilles mortes
- Le vrai Père
- Nos études
- Demain dès l'aube
- Par une journée d'été
- Une visite inattendue
- L'hiver
- Le Libraire

Paper setters to strictly adhere to the syllabus and ask questions only from the pages included in the syllabus. Questions should cover the entire syllabus.

QUESTION PAPER PATTERN

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 75

Section A (25 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

1. Translate the following passage from the prescribed text into English (10 Marks)
2. Translate the unseen passage into English (15 Marks)

Section B (25 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

1. FIVE Questions on Comprehension of a passage from the prescribed text (5 x 2 = 10 Marks)
2. FIVE Questions on Comprehension of an unseen passage (5 x 3 = 15 Marks)

Section C (5 x 5 = 25 Marks)

Answer any FIVE exercises

7 grammar exercises to be given from the prescribed text.

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CLK4W

SEMESTER IV

Foundation Course: Paper IV-French IV

Title of the Paper : Translation, Comprehension and Grammar-II

Prescribed textbook:

- K.Madanagobalane & N.C.Mirakamal, *Le français par les textes*, Chennai, Samhita Publications-Goyal Publisher & Distributors Pvt Ltd, 2017

The following grammar components are chosen from the prescribed textbook:

- Le passé simple
- Temps du passé - Emplois (le passé composé, l'imparfait, le passé simple, le plus-que-parfait)
- L'expression de la cause
- L'expression de la conséquence
- L'expression du but
- L'expression de la concession
- L'expression de la condition et de l'hypothèse

The following texts from the prescribed textbook:

- Décadi et son grand-père
- Le Petit chose
- L'égoïste puni
- Estula
- Une Saison dans la vie d'Emmanuel
- Une mauvaise nouvelle
- La visite de la grand-mère
- *Le Horla*

Paper setters to strictly adhere to the syllabus and ask questions only from the pages included in the syllabus. Questions should cover the entire syllabus.

QUESTION PAPER PATTERN

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 75

Section A (25 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

1. Translate the following passage from the prescribed text into English (10 Marks)
2. Translate the unseen passage into English (15 Marks)

Section B (25 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

1. FIVE Questions on Comprehension of a passage from the prescribed text (5 x 2 = 10 Marks)
2. FIVE Questions on Comprehension of an unseen passage (5 x 3 = 15 Marks)

Section C (5 x 5 = 25 Marks)

Answer any FIVE exercises

7 grammar exercises to be given from the prescribed text.
