FRENCH LANGUAGE SCHOOL IN MONTPELLIER





EDITORIAL

Founded nearly 3 decades ago, LSF/IEF is located in the heart of the historic city of Montpellier, a lively city renowned for its rich historical past.

Our school is ideally located in the historic heart of the city, with easy access by public transport.

LSF/IEF is one of the most recognised French language schools in France, welcoming students from all over the world throughout the year. (more than 3,000 students from 80 different countries). Our French language school stands out for the quality of its teaching, its student diversity and its friendly atmosphere. 96% of our students say they are very satisfied with their language stay, to which many of them decide either to extend their stay or to return.

Our classrooms are well equipped, the school has a resource centre and a private garden for students to use, and everything is accessible to people with reduced mobility.

Our experienced and passionate teaching team does its utmost to provide a stimulating teaching environment for learning French. The school has quality certifications, including the QUALITÉ FLE and QUALIOPI labels, and offers a wide range of courses, from standard French to exam preparation. The teaching approach is based on the principles of the action approach and follows the levels defined by the CEFR. Students can interact with their peers and teachers, encouraging collaborative learning and the creation of a Francophone and Francophile community. Our teachers aim to help students progress in French, while introducing them to French culture. We also focus on educational innovation by developing our own content and offering ongoing training to our teachers.

In addition to classroom lessons, we offer cultural activities that allow students to continue their learning outside of school. In addition, we take care to provide quality accommodation, such as host families, student residences, private flats or shared flats, carefully selected for our students.

Our friendly atmosphere encourages exchanges between students, allowing them to make new friends in an international environment.



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A KLF NETWORK SCHOOL

LSF-IEF is a French as a foreign language school in the KLF (Keep Learning French) network.

Joining a KLF school means you'll benefit from highquality teaching while enjoying an immersive experience in French culture.

At KLF, our schools have been in existence for more than 20 years on average and welcome more than 6,450 international students of 100 different nationalities every year. Studying at a KLF school is a unique opportunity to be immersed in a multicultural student community.

Located in the heart of city centres, our schools offer a warm atmosphere, as shown by the excellent reviews left by our students. Our teams do everything possible to make our students' stay unforgettable, while ensuring the quality of their French language learning.



THE KLF (KEEP LEARNING FRENCH) GROUP COMPRISES OF 5 FRENCH FOREIGN LANGUAGE SCHOOLS













THE COMMITMENTS OF THE KLF GROUP:

- Excellence in teaching and learning, with accredited schools recognized for their quality.
- The rich experience of immersion in French culture in our French courses outside the classroom during cultural activities or thanks to our accommodation solutions carefully selected to ensure comfort and quality.
- The well-being of our students, fostered by a friendly, international atmosphere, caring support from our teams and a pleasant, stimulating and accessible working environment.

Our schools are open all year round and welcome students of all levels, from absolute beginners to C1.

We offer a wide selection of French courses based on an innovative methodology. Our teaching approach is recognized by France Éducation Internationale thanks to the Qualité FLE label, which ensures that our students make rapid progress in line with their objectives.

Our qualified and experienced teachers provide personalized guidance and support for students throughout their learning journey.

Joining a KLF school gives you the chance to benefit from a harmonized national offering and common standards across all our centres.



Montpellier is a radiant city that shines in many ways, combining history, nature, student dynamism and Mediterranean conviviality.

Montpellier, a green city under the sun:

Situated in the south of France, Montpellier enjoys a Mediterranean climate and is one of the sunniest cities in France, with 300 days of sunshine a year! The city is proud of its green environment, and many initiatives to promote ecology and nature conservation are implemented on a daily basis. Parks, cycle paths, everything is in place to make the most of it.

Montpellier, a dynamic student city:

Renowned for its many universities, Montpellier is a young city! With 30% of its population made up of students, the most renowned universities are those of medicine and law. Festivals, concerts, shows, there's always something to do or discover, like the FISE (Festival International des Sports Extrêmes), the Estivales and Hivernales, among many other dynamic events.

Montpellier, a scientific city on a human scale:

Montpellier's science and medicine faculties are worldrenowned. The city stands out for the quality of its research and its researchers. But that's not all! With a population of around 300,000, Montpellier is a city on a human scale. Neither too big nor too small, it's easy to find your way around and, above all, easy to meet friends.

Montpellier, a historic city between the sea and the mountains:

Montpellier is a city steeped in history. Founded in the 10th century, its historic centre is a blend of eras, taking us on a journey through time. Montpellier has the advantage of being ideally situated, equidistant from the beach and the mountains. What's more, cycle paths make it easy to get around and take full advantage of its charm.

A gourmet and cosmopolitan city:

With its many bars, restaurants and cafés, Montpellier is a city where Mediterranean culture and gastronomy take pride of place. There's nothing like enjoying a delicious dish on a terrace! There's something to suit every budget. Every year, many international tourists come to discover the region, and many decide to settle here to bring a little of their culture with them.







GOOD REASONS TO COME TO LSF-IEF MONTPELLIER!

Academic excellence: A recognised school offering outstanding teaching quality for nearly 30 years

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Inspiring setting : In the heart of Montpellier's historic quarter, immersed in French culture.

Student diversity: Meet students from all over the world, exchange ideas and make friends.

Qualified teachers: Native French teachers, experts in FLE, who guide you in your linguistic progress.

Innovative methodology : Practical and interactive approach, developing your communication skills.

Quality certifications: LSF/IEF Montpellier holds the QUALITÉ FLE and QUALIOPI labels.

Enriching cultural activities : Discover the region, its gastronomy, art and heritage, play some sport...

Dynamic city: A lively student life and numerous cultural events throughout the year.

Ideal location: Set between the Mediterranean Sea and the mountains, you can enjoy magnificent scenery.

Conviviality and unforgettable experience: A warm atmosphere conducive to meeting new people and making lasting friendships.

The possibility of combining your stay with another KLF group school.















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OUR FRENCH COURSES

As with all KLF schools, LSF-IEF Montpellier allows you to design your French course at your own pace and according to your objectives, your needs and your desires!



Choose a general French package

«Essential», «Standard» or «Intensive» (*)

Add course options

«French for Specific Purposes» course options to meet your specific needs.

Opt for our cultural packages

Such as «themed courses, specific workshops or additional services".

(1)These programmes are common to all KLF schools.

They consist of courses in small groups of different levels in international classes.

The French workshops complement the general French course. They deal with cultural themes and enable students to improve their writing, phonetics and speaking skills and to deepen their knowledge of the language.

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ESSENTIAL programme

15 lessons per week

15 lessons of general French

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The ideal programme for developing your language skills at a gentle pace. STANDARD programme

21 lessons per week

15 lessons of general French + 6 workshops

The standard programme is accessible to all, from beginner to advanced level. All four skills (reading, writing, listening and speaking) are covered. Phonetics and grammar are also covered during the course. INTENSIVE programme

25 lessons per week

15 lessons of general French + 10 workshops

The intensive programme is a combination of the standard course and themed workshops. A complete programme for rapid progress.

SPECIAL OFFERS



ONE-TO-ONE LESSONS GEARED TO SPECIFIC NEEDS

Add private lessons to the General French programme of your choice to work on your specific needs

- General French with your teacher, you reinforce the subjects of your choice.
- Preparation for French exams such as DELF, DALF, TCF.
- Preparing to enter French higher education
- Work on a specific professional topic



OUR E-LEARNING PLATFORM

Whichever General French programme you choose, you can work independently on our e-learning platform, which is accessible 24 hours a day.



THEMED OPTIONS

French is also learnt through recreational activities such as:

- French and French cooking classes
- French and oenology (discovering French wines)
- French and French culture
- French and sport (hiking, sailing, skiing, etc.)



ONLINE GROUP COURSES

In addition to or instead of a language immersion stay, KLF offers online group courses common to all our schools. Evening courses for all levels.



LONG STAY (SEMESTER)

If you have decided to come for a longer period of time, you can take advantage of special rates for our intensive programme. Long-stay programmes are offered on fixed dates.

LONG STAY WITH PREPARATION FOR HIGHER **EDUCATION**

This format is aimed at anyone wishing to prepare for studies in France at a university or college. It leads to a DELF or DALF diploma.



TRAINING FOR TEACHERS OF FRENCH

Specific training for teachers of French, experience sharing, professional practices, exchanges with peers. Programmes eligible for ERASMUS Staff Mobility grants

SUMMER CAMP FOR JUNIORS

A summer programme dedicated to young people, enabling them to improve their level of French while having fun with lots of activities outside the classroom.



LANGUAGE HOLIDAYS FOR GROUPS (SCHOOL/ **UNIVERSITY/PROFESSIONAL)**

We organise language holidays throughout the year to suit your project and budget, combining French lessons with cultural or sporting activities and accommodation for total immersion in French culture.





ACCOMMODATION





HOST FAMILY

The ideal solution if you're interested in exchanging ideas and discovering French life. You'll enjoy a real immersion experience and have the opportunity to practise your French during meals with the family. The families are carefully selected by our team. Each family is visited and has signed a charter of welcome and trust. Each student has his or her own room.

STUDENT RESIDENCE

This is an economical solution that allows you to be independent and benefit from all the necessary amenities (terrace, laundry room, study room, breakfast room, etc.). In a student residence, you meet other students from all over the world and therefore have a strong intercultural experience. Each studio has its own bathroom and kitchenette. Our residences are located less than 20 minutes from the KLE schools.







HOTEL RESIDENCE

This accommodation option is perfect if you're coming with family or friends and want to stay in the same place. The studios or tworoom suites on offer are all located in the city centre, close to the school, and are equipped with a kitchenette and bathroom. You will benefit from traditional hotel service, 24/7 reception and cleaning service depending on the length of your stay, 24/7 reception and cleaning service depending on the length of your stay.

PRIVATE FLAT / SHARED FLAT

Our private flats are ideal if you want to be completely independent and have a pleasant living space with a higher level of comfort. If you prefer not to be alone and to meet other people, shared accommodation is ideal. You will share communal areas, such as the bathroom and kitchen, with other students, French or foreign, and you will have your own room.



ACTIVITIES & ENTERTAINMENT

LSF-IEF offers a diverse weekly program to make your immersion in Montpellier unforgettable. Activities adapted to everyone and every budget. Gastronomy, Arts, Sports, Culture... Practice the French language in a fun way and make new connections.

Sports and leisure activities



KAYAKING / WAKEBOARDING / SURFING AND PADDLEBOARDING

The hinterland of Montpellier, with its splendid rivers, lakes, and beaches, is the ideal playground for water sports.



BEACH VOLLEYBALL

Head to one of the many beaches by bike to play beach volleyball with other students from the school, then take a dip in the Mediterranean sea.



HIKING

The Pic Saint-Loup overlooks the Montpellier hinterland and the vineyards of Languedoc. Enjoy superb hikes to discover the richness of the local terroir.









Cultural and Artistic activities

Here, sports take center stage, but culture is not left behind! With attractions such as the Fabre Museum, two operas, theatres, and an international dance center, the possibilities are endless.



AGORA

In this 17th-century building, the famous contemporary dance festival «Montpellier Danse» takes place every year.



STREET ART

A must-visit destination for Street Art, Montpellier welcomes internationally renowned artists each year.



FABRE MUSEUM

Discover exceptional artworks in this fine arts museum.

LE PAVILLON POPULAIRE

Dedicated to photography exhibitions, it showcases works by internationally acclaimed artists.



History & Gastronomy activities

Montpellier and its region offer a rich historical heritage, from Roman antiquity to modern times. Our specialists are here to guide you in discovering these treasures.



JARDIN DES PLANTES

Founded by Henri IV, it is the oldest botanical garden in France.



GUIDED TOUR OF MONTPELLIER

On your first day at LSF/IEF, you can explore the city with one of our guides. Discover the most iconic places: Peyrou Park, Saint-Pierre Cathedral, Jardin des Plantes, among others. Immerse yourself in history to navigate and make the most of your stay!



LES FOLIES MONTPELLIÉRAINES

The Château de Flaugergues is a prime example of a «folie»! This former castle, converted into a vineyard, takes you on a journey through history and oenology!



WINE TOURS

Montpellier, surrounded by vineyards, produces world-renowned



wines.

TASTING OF LOCAL PRODUCTS

The gastronomic culture of our city is strongly influenced by the Mediterranean. Discover our markets and restaurants with our experts, and taste the region's flagship foods and explore the best places.



EXAMINATION CENTRE FOR THE FRENCH LANGUAGE

LSF-IEF is an accredited and recognised test-taking centre in Montpellier for French language examinations. Our centre offers TEF (Test d'Evaluation du Français) and DFP (French Professionnel Diploma) certification, recognised by the Paris Chamber of Commerce and Industry.





TEF French evaluation test Integration / Residence / Nationality / Quebec / Canada

This certification provides an official document attesting to a level of proficiency in French for :

- Studying in France (TEF pour étudier en France)
- Living in France (TEF Intégration)
- Obtaining French nationality (TEF Intégration)
- Immigrate to Canada (TEF Canada)
- Immigrating to Quebec (TEFAQ)
- Attesting your level of French in a professional context (DFP)

PUT ALL THE CHANCES ON YOUR SIDE!

LSF IEF also offers preparation courses for exams such as the DELF/DALF. Training for the IRN TEF is 100% fundable through your CPF account.

EASY ACCESS



BY TRAIN

Montpellier has two train stations: Gare Montpellier Saint-Roch, located in the heart of the city, 200 metres from Place de la Comédie, and Gare Montpellier Sud de France, a TGV station on the outskirts of the city. The stations are close to the school by public transport. Take the opportunity to discover Marseille or the Mediterranean coast of France.

BY PLANE

Montpellier Méditerranée Airport is an international airport located less than 10 km from the city centre. It is accessible by public transport. LSF-IEF also offers transfer services.

BY BIKE

As in all major cities, bike hire points are available. Our 4 sites are in the heart of the city centre, so you'll find one just 2 minutes from the school.

BY BUS / TRAM

The Montpellier Méditerranée Métropole public transport network comprises 4 tram lines and numerous bus routes.

The 4 different sites of our school are in the heart of the city centre and have excellent transport links.



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