PETERS TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL

COURSE SYLLABUS: FRENCH I

Course Overview and Essential Skills

The Level I course introduces students to the study of French Language and culture. The basic skills of listening, speaking, reading, and writing will be taught and practiced with emphasis on student performance in both grammar and vocabulary. Various aspects of the culture of French-speaking people will be introduced and discussed.

Course Textbook and Required Materials

- Title: D'accord! 1 Langue et Culture de Monde Francophone. Boston: Vista Higher Learning, Inc. ISBN: 978-1-61857-863-1
- Other: Online textbook <u>www.vhlcentral.com</u> Username: Password:
- Conjuguemos <u>www.conjuguemos.com</u>
- Cahier de l'élève (workbook)
- Students should have a notebook or binder for this class.

Course Outline of Material Covered:

Unit or Topic	Concepts/Skills/Resources	Timeframe
UNIT 1 Salut!	 Grammar Nouns and articles Numbers 0-60 The verb etre Adjective agreement Vocabulary Classroom objects Greetings People 	5-6 weeks
UNIT 2 Au lycée	 Grammar Regular -ER verbs Forming questions Negations The verb avoir Vocabulary Verbs Expressions with avoir Expressions of telling time Classes/subjects 	5-6 weeks

UNIT 3 La famille et les copains	 Grammar Descriptive adjectives Possessive adjectives Numbers 61-100 Prepositions of location Vocabulary Family members Occupations Descriptions 	5-6 weeks
UNIT 4 Au café	 Grammar The verbs aller, prendre, and boire Regular -IR verbs Interrogative words Vocabulary Food Drinks Places in town 	5-6 weeks
UNIT 5 Les loisirs	 Grammar The verb faire Irregular –IR verbs Spelling changing –ER verbs Vocabulary Numbers over 100 Sports Weather, seasons 	5-6 weeks
UNIT 6 Les fêtes	 Grammar Demonstrative adjectives Past tense with avoir Indirect object pronouns Regular and irregular –RE verbs Vocabulary Clothing Celebrations Periods of life 	5-6 weeks

Révision	Final Review	1 week

^{*}Depending on the needs of the class or changes in the school year, the course outline is subject to change.