

FIMW 8000 - French for Tomorrow: The Journey Continues

Continue your Québécois adventure. This course builds on the basics covered in <u>Everyday French</u>. Increase your knowledge of the language by engaging in new contexts, applying what you already know. Revisit Trois-Pistoles and the surrounding Bas-Saint-Laurent region at your own pace through new topics geared to you and your physical and online environments. The course includes ample opportunity to engage with other learners on the course forum through a variety of exercises.

Chapter	Topics introduced
Preliminary chapter: A bit of review	 Revision of basic structures covered in Everyday French: A Quebecois Adventure (e.g., Greetings and introductions, classroom expressions, asking for help, asking for directions, ordering food in a café, responding to invitations)
1: Me and my environment Part I	 Describing my physical environment: me, my office, my neighborhood, my city Discovering sites of interest in Trois-Pistoles
2: Me and my environment Part II	 Describing my social environment: me, my family and friends Describing different personalities Discovering art in Trois-Pistoles
3: Interactions involving food	 Special occasions, food, and weather At the restaurant and in the grocery store Expressing my opinion Sharing recipes and discovering Quebecois cuisine Ordering take-out by phone or online
4: Interacting in an online environment	 Writing and responding to formal and informal emails Navigating social media sites in French Seeking information and making travel arrangements online Online tools to improve your French skills
5: Travelling in French	 Comparing travel packages, reading posters, and publicity information related to travel Discussing my trips, seeking advice, and building a travel itinerary Renting a car and discovering the Bas-Saint-Laurent

Please note: This is an Online: Paced course open to learners with a variety of levels of experience with French. It is expected that you will complete the course in about 20 hours. While a recommended timeline will be provided, you move freely through the material at your own pace and are able to focus on sections that will be most beneficial to your individual needs. The course uses a project-based approach combined with self-assessments that will allow learners to reflect on their own progress. This course is evaluated on a completion basis. To earn a complete in this course, you need to complete 3 of the mini projects. For those of you interested in earning the <u>Certificate in French Essentials</u>, earning a complete is a requirement.