Ça Marche! Exploratory French

6th Grade Syllabus

Course Overview

Bienvenue!

Welcome to Exploratory French! In this class, we'll use the *Ça Marche!* curriculum to explore French through songs, stories, games, and culture. You'll learn how to talk about animals, friends, likes and dislikes, and experience a taste of Francophone life.

Course Goals

By the end of this class, students will be able to:

- Use greetings and classroom expressions in French.
- Recognize and use vocabulary about animals, colors, numbers, foods, and preferences.
- Express likes/dislikes with simple sentences.
- Demonstrate cultural understanding (traditions, games, greetings).
- Create and share a final project in French.

Units of Study

Unit 1: Le Zoo Magique (Animals)

- Vocabulary: animals, basic verbs, descriptions
- Assessment: Quiz & Zoo Poster Project

Unit 2: Mes Amis et Moi (Friends & Likes/Dislikes)

- Vocabulary: likes/dislikes, colors, numbers 1–20, foods
- Assessment: Quiz & Final Project

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Expectations & Grading

Materials Needed

- Notebook or paper
- Pencil/pen

Class Expectations {SOAR}

- Be **Safe** – Listen, participate, and try your best in French.
- Be **On-task** – Bring materials, focus, and complete your work
- Be **Accepting** – Mistakes are part of learning, so be open and patient.
- Be **Respectful** – Use kind words and actions with everyone.

Grading Policy

- Participation & Effort – 25%
- Classwork – 25%
- Quizzes – 30%
- Projects – 20%

Grading Scale:

- 89.5 – 100% = A
- 79.5 – 89.4% = B
- 69.5 – 79.4% = C
- 59.5 – 69.4% = D
- 0 – 59.4% = F

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We have read and reviewed the *Exploratory French* syllabus together. We understand the expectations, grading, and topics that will be covered in this trimester.

Student Name: _____

Student Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Cohort:
☐ A ☐ B ☐ C