## FRENCH COMMUNICATION AND CULTURE

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Grade 9 French builds on the skills, vocabulary, and foundations set in Grade 7 and 8 French. Students will continue to work on the basic structures of the language in terms of grammar, sentence structure, verbs and vocabulary. This will be achieved through speaking, listening, writing and reading. Students will learn through to different modes in which the language is used with texts, music, games and videos.

Activities will be structured in a way that everyone will be able to do and learn from no matter how much of the language they already know.

## **Topics covered throughout the year for Grade 9:**

- Les salutations (French Greetings)
- Les passe-temps (hobbies)
- La communauté (community)
- Les adjective possessive (Possessive Pronouns)
- La culture française (French culture)
- Le passé composé (past tense verbs)

## **Assessments**

Your child will be assessed for the following three skills throughout the course of the year:

- 1. Oral Communication
- 2. Reading
- 3. Writing

## Grade Scale

- 1. In-Class Participation (speaking French) ~15%
- 2. Assignments ~25%
- 3. Tests/Quizzes ~15%
- 4. Projects ~25%
- 5. Final Project ~20%