FRENCH SPECIALIZATION

• Elementary or Secondary level
• Core French, Immersion and Francophone
We would like to begin by acknowledging that the land on which we gather is the unceded territory of the Coast Salish Peoples, including the territories of the xʷməθkwəy̓əm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish), Stó:lō and Səl̓ílwətaʔ/Selilwitulh (Tsleil-Waututh) Nations.
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ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
General Admission requirements

- Bachelor degree or equivalent
- Specific academic requirements
- Good oral and written English & French skills
- 2 professional references
- Experience with groups of youth in the age group you will be teaching:
  - Elementary: ages 5-12
  - Secondary: ages 12-17
## FRENCH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

**DELF/DALF** *(Diplôme d’études en langue française/Diplôme avancé en langue française)*

Minimum required DELF/DALF levels or equivalence:

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<td>C1</td>
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## ELEMENTARY ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS

You must present courses in the areas below:

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<th>Subject</th>
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<td>FRENCH</td>
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<td>CANADIAN HISTORY / GEOGRAPHY</td>
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<td>CANADIAN STUDIES</td>
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SECONDARY ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS

You can enter the secondary program with up to two teachable subjects

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Earth Science
- French
- Geography
- History
- Mathematics
- Physics
- Social Science
SECONDARY ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS

You must present a minimum 30 credits of coursework focused in one teachable subject.

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<td>English/French Comp &amp; Lit</td>
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Admission Average:
Calculated on 18-24 credits of upper-level coursework in teachable area. 65% minimum required for consideration.
EXPERIENCE

• **100 hours of relevant experience working with age-appropriate groups of students and youth is recommended**

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<th>AGE GROUP</th>
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<td>5 to 12 years old</td>
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• Classroom-based experience preferred
• Coaching, group tutoring, summer camps, youth groups, faith groups also acceptable
• Experience can be in Canada or international (some Canadian experience recommended)
TWO (2) professional references from appropriate individuals:

1. Must have experience working with youth or children.

2. Must have observed you working in group settings with age-appropriate students or youth.

3. Must be credible authorities who can speak competently about your experiences, interests, and abilities relevant to the teaching profession.
HOW TO APPLY
The UBC BEd application deadline is 15th January 2024

educationplannerbc.ca
ACCESSIBILITY ASSISTANCE
Policy LR7 applies to students with disabilities who are engaged in a course, program or activity offered by the University.

Under the definition in the Policy, a “student” includes a person who is registered in credit or non-credit courses offered by the University, as well as a person who has formally applied to the University as a prospective student.
**IMPORTANT**

- Details of your disability **will not be disclosed to the TEO.**
- Once you have applied to the Centre for Accessibility, the information you provide **will remain confidential.**
- The Centre for Accessibility will provide the Teacher Education Office with advice and recommendations for accommodations **without breaking confidentiality.**
THINGS TO KNOW

APPLYING FOR 2024/2025

Applicants need to contact the Centre for Accessibility by January 15, 2024.

• Accommodation requests are kept confidential and are not shared with evaluators.
• Only pertains to evaluation process.
Département de langues et littératie en éducation (LLED)

Nous sommes là pour vous accompagner.

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BOURSES POUR LES SPÉCIALISTES DE FRANÇAIS
Critères d’admissibilité:

• Être inscrit à un programme de formation à l’enseignement à temps plein
• Suivre au moins 55% des cours en français.

Montant : entre $800 et $1600

MINISTÈRE DE L'ÉDUCATION DE LA COLOMBIE-BRITANNIQUE
https://teach.educ.ubc.ca/bachelor-of-education-program/french/
BOURSES D’ÉTUDES POSTSECONDAIRES EN FRANÇAIS LANGUE SECONDE

Critères d’admissibilité :

• au moins 50 % des cours et activités connexes en français
• citoyen canadien ou résident permanent du Canada
• anglais comme première langue officielle parlée

Montant : $3,000

Association des collèges et universités de la francophonie canadienne
(ACUFC)

bursaries-for-postsecondary-studies-in-French-as-a-second-language
SOUTIEN LINGUISTIQUE/PROFESSIONNEL

POUR LES SPÉCIALISTES DE FRANÇAIS
SE PRÉPARER AU PROGRAMME DÉVELOPPEMENT PROFESSIONNEL ET LANGAGIER

- Institut de français, UBC à Québec
  pdce.educ.ubc.ca/quebeccity
- Faculté d’éducation: cours d’été
  pdce.educ.ubc.ca/french-language-programs/
- UBC Extended Learning Summer Institutes and classes
  extendedlearning.ubc.ca/study-topic/French
- Official languages program
  https://francaisanglais.ca/programmes/
Soutien linguistique tout au long du programme

- Communication orale pour les enseignant.es de français
- mentorat/tutorat par les pairs
- séances de préparation au stage
- ateliers et événements socioculturels

I liked the community that we developed within our cohort and the opportunity to practice speaking French.
Activités socioculturelles

Cinéclub
Conférences et ateliers
Sorties au théâtre
Club de lecture
Dégustations

Inscrivez-vous! https://francophonie.ubc.ca/
Bienvenue au Centre de la Francophonie de UBC !

Découvrez les activités du Centre de la Francophonie!
Les professeurs sont très accueillants. Notre cohorte et la communauté à UBC est super! Je me sens plus confiante en moi-même.

I especially appreciated the indigenous education course being in French.

The practicum placement in French was essential for developing confidence and competency as a French teacher.
I realized that I was struggling with class management and establishing a relationship with my students.
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