

Course Description Form

Course number and section: FREN 222 - 001

Course Topic: *Studies in French Language and Style*

Credits: 3

Term: Winter term 1

Instructor: Christopher Gordon

Course Description (aim for no more than 80 – 100 words for your course description):

French 222 is for intermediate French students. It is built on a communicative approach to language acquisition. Students will be expected to interact in French in a number of situations. Students are also expected to increase their mastery of various elements of French grammar as well as vocabulary acquisition and cultural awareness. The course will be delivered in French. Normally students who complete French 222 would go on to take French 223 in the second term. The objectives of French 222 - 223 align with those found in the Self-Assessment Guide provided by the Common European Frame of Reference for Languages adopted by the Council of Europe (<https://www.coe.int/en/web/portfolio/self-assessment-grid>). They correspond to a specific number of tasks that can be achieved by speakers of an intermediate level of B2.

Tentative Reading List: *Entre Nous 4* (digital version) along with its companion website, *L'Espace Virtuel*.

Other: