

COURSE DETAILS French MODULE M1 (Leçon 1-8, Le nouveau TAXI 1) - level A1

Preliminary conditions	The student may participate in courses at the "zero" level after passing the C1 Academic level exam in English.
Course objectives and the skills developed	<p>During 30 hour-classes – developing the knowledge of French at level A1 (the first module out of 3) in accordance with the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages. Achieving the learning outcomes listed below.</p> <p>Writing: The student can write a simple postcard, e.g. holiday greetings, e-mail, text message. They can fill in forms with personal data, such as their surname, address, citizenship.</p> <p>Reading: The student understands familiar names and words as well as very simple sentences, e.g. on notices and posters or in catalogues.</p> <p>Speaking: The student is able to take part in a conversation, provided that the interlocutor is willing to speak more slowly and repeat their statements. They can make simple questions on topics they know very well or about matters which are the most necessary for them, and also answer all such questions. They can use simple phrases and sentences to describe the place where they live and the people they know.</p> <p>Listening: The student understands familiar words and basic phrases about themselves, their family and surroundings when speaking slowly and clearly.</p>
Educational content	<p>Communication: Introductions. Introducing themselves and the other person: name, surname, nationality, place of residence, name of their university and faculty, etc. Asking simple questions - asking for the address, telephone number, age, preferences. Counting, simple math operations. Providing names and descriptions of items. Indicating the location of items. Talking about possessions. Naming of the colors. A simple description of a person. Asking about the price, buying (in very simple situations).</p> <p>Lexical and grammatical material: Alphabet. The first group verbs. Irregular verbs: être, avoir, aller. Reflexive verbs: s'appeler. The expression "il ya". Articles: definite and indefinite. Genders: masculine and feminine of nouns and adjectives. Prepositions en / au / aux + country name. Personal, possessive, interrogative, demonstrative pronouns, strong pronouns. Prepositions of place. Negation. Polite forms. Professions, nationalities, names of subjects. Numerals, arithmetic operations, date. Cities, countries, regions. Family members. Basic adjectives. Basic shopping vocabulary.</p>
Literature	Guy Capelle, Robert Menand "Le Nouveau Taxi 1" , ed. Hachette, own materials and supplementary materials: Claire Miquel "Vocabulaire progressif du français" (niveau débutant), ed. Clé International
Student workload - 30 hour-classes + 30 hours of student's own work (including homework, preparation for classes, preparation for a module test), which accounts for 2 ECTS	
Passing Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ attendance (2 unexcused absences are allowed) ▪ passing all progress tests ▪ completing all set homework ▪ actively participating in classes ▪ obtaining a positive grade on the module test (written and oral part), including in the written part skills such as listening, reading and writing, as well as grammar and lexical tasks, and in the oral part - the ability to speak (the weight of the final test grade in the final overall grade is 50%)