FR 366 Language and Identity: French

2 credits; meets 2 hours/week

Contact Information
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Course Description
FR 366 examines specific ideologies, patterns of variation, and language contact situations involving French using authentic oral and written texts. Learners carry out their own exploration in language communities. This is a required course in the WLC major in the Identities and Intersections thematic area. Prerequisite: Third-year proficiency in French. Co-requisite: Concurrent enrollment in WLC 366 for 2 additional credits.

Student Learning Outcomes
Learners should demonstrate the following skills, knowledge, and values related to understanding connections between language and identity:

• express and critique in French inextricable relationships between language(s) and identity(ies)
• express and critique in French language learning experiences within social and cultural contexts

Learning Resources

Required
Selected readings available online

Evaluation of Student Performance

See Academic Rules 17, 18 and 19 in the OSU catalog for complete information on grade assignment at OSU.

Grade Calculation

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Statement Regarding Students with Disabilities

Accommodations are collaborative efforts between students, faculty and Disability Access Services (DAS). Students with accommodations approved through DAS are responsible for contacting the faculty member in charge of the course prior to or during the first week of the term to
discuss accommodations. Students who believe they are eligible for accommodations but who have not yet obtained approval through DAS should contact DAS immediately at 541-737-4098.

**Expectations for Student Conduct**
Please see [oregonstate.edu/studentconduct/offenses-0](http://oregonstate.edu/studentconduct/offenses-0) for expectations for student conduct (cheating policies).

**Course Content**

- Week 1: Introduction. Why linguistics and sociolinguistics?
- Week 2: Linguistic identity
- Week 3: Language theories and methodologies
- Week 4: Language and power
- Week 5: Language ideologies
- Week 6: Language and borders
- Week 7: Bilingual lives
- Week 8: Colonial identities
- Week 9: Religious and ethnic identities
- Week 10: Autoethnography project presentations