

1BA French Academic Year 2026 – 2027

23/07/2026

FIRST YEAR COORDINATOR: DR MAURA STEWART
COMHORDAITHEOIR, FRAINCIS TRÍ GHAEILGE: DR ÉAMON Ó COFAIGH

6 hours a week

ORIENTATION/INTRODUCTORY LECTURES DATES: Week of 31st August

(Detailed schedule to be confirmed by the College of Arts)

MONDAY 7TH SEPTEMBER, 12PM (D'ARCY THOMPSON THEATRE (on the Arts Concourse):

Students' registration & proficiency exercises with the Discipline of French.

WEEK BEGINNING 14TH SEPTEMBER: all lectures and language classes start that week.

First Year French consists of THREE lectures and THREE language classes a week. See details below.

❖ Please ensure that you **consult Canvas** for course announcements & material **on a regular basis**.

THREE Lectures ↓		THREE Language Classes ↓		
LECTURE NO. 1 Monday 12pm / Dé Luain 12pm FR1100 GRAMMAR S1 - D'Arcy Thompson, Arts Concourse S2 - M. Ó Tnuthail, Arts Millennium Building Gaeilge – Fraincis: S206, Áras na Gaeilge		Language Class 1 Grammar Exercises	Language Class 2 Comprehension / Translation	Language Class 3 Conversation/ Tutorial
		FR1100 Tuesday 10am Dé Máirt Group & Venue to be assigned	FR1100 Wednesday 10am Dé Céadaoin Group & Venue to be assigned	FR1100 Wednesday 11am, Thursday 11am OR Thursday 4pm You will be invited to sign up for <u>one</u> of these hours above on FR1100 Canvas from 8 th September
LECTURE NO. 2 Monday 1pm Semester 1 – FR1100 CULTURE & MEDIA D'Arcy Thompson Theatre, Arts Concourse Semester 2 – FR1101 LITERATURE M. Ó Tnuthail Theatre, Arts Millennium Building		From 14th Sept: Lecturer: Lola Roux From 19th October: Lecturer: Dr. Maura Stewart From 11th January: <i>L'Etranger</i> : Lecturer: Dr. M.Á. Ní Mhainnín From 1st March: La France Multiculturelle: Dr. M. Krauthaker		
LECTURE NO. 3 Thursday 10am FR1100 SIGNIFICANT EVENTS IN FRENCH SOCIETY S1 – D'Arcy Thompson Theatre S2 – D'Arcy Thompson Theatre		(Various Teaching Staff) (Various Teaching Staff)		

First year students should have the following books:

- In-house booklets for language
- Albert CAMUS, *L'Etranger*, éditions Folioplus, Classiques. Paris : 2005. ISBN: 2-07 030602 [Semester 2]
- In-house materials for other Culture, Media and Literature classes in Semesters 1 & 2
- French verb book (such as *Le Nouveau Bescherelle*); French dictionary

Recommended book:

Jacqueline Morton, English Grammar for Students of French (Olivia & Hill Press, 2013)