

# DELF: ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY STUDENTS





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- Since 1904, Alliance Française Vancouver is a non profit organization that offers the francophone and francophile community its language and cultural expertise.
- As part of a large network of French language centres worldwide, we are committed to excellence by being the official DELF test centre in Vancouver.
- The Alliance Française Vancouver is made of a dynamic team of certified French as a Second Language teachers, certified DELF examiners, and official TEF-TCF examiners.
- We offer a holistic approach to learning French by holding a media library with more than 11,000 books, films and magazines and a vibrant community of over 12.5K+ members.

The official DELF testing centre in Vancouver, accredited by France Education International

# **DELF**

# Diplôme d'études en langue française

An international diploma awarded by the French Ministry of Education to certify the competency of candidates in the French language.



#### THE ADVANTAGES OF THE DELF EXAM

A proof of language proficiency that opens a world of academic and professional opportunities!

- Life-long diploma
- Internationally recognized
- Valid for external credits in BC (Grades 10 to 12)
- Enhances education and career opportunities
- Useful for post-secondary admissions in French speaking countries (B2 level)





# **DELF LEVELS**

The DELF tests French language proficiency for ages 11 to 18. It has four levels: A1, A2, B1, and B2 following the Common European Framework of Reference for languages (CEFR)

#### A1 LEVEL

The exam focuses on basic communication skills in French, such as asking and answering simple questions, and engaging in basic conversations.

#### **A2 LEVEL**

The exam tests the ability to communicate more effectively in French, with a focus on more complex grammatical structures and vocabulary.

#### **B1 LEVEL**

The exam assesses the ability to understand and participate in discussions on a range of topics, with an emphasis on expressing opinions and providing arguments.

#### **B2 LEVEL**

The exam tests the ability to understand and produce written and spoken language on more abstract and complex topics, such as politics, culture, and society.

All tests are divided into two sections: a collective or group exam (listening and reading comprehension, written production) and an individual exam (oral production and interaction).

### **DELF**

# French language diploma for children & teens

The DELF has been tailored for children and teens and allows them to validate and certify their French language abilities. It can also be used to qualify for school credits.

#### **DELF Prim: 8 to 11 years old**

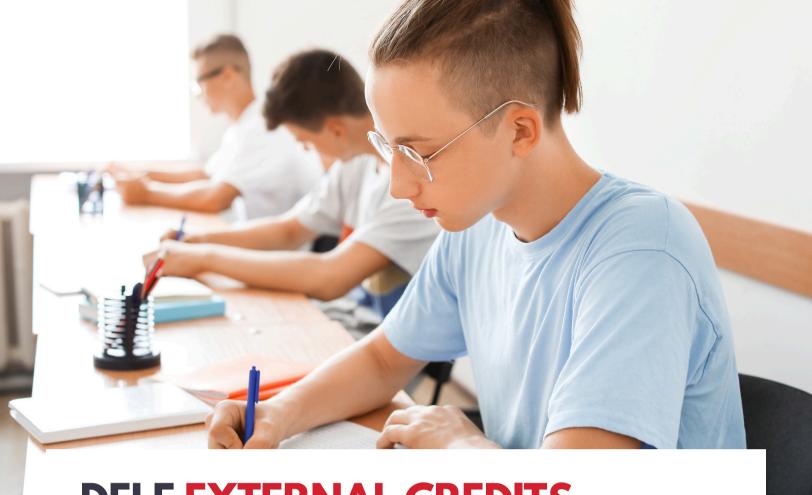
- Open to all candidates. Exam tailored for children 8 to 11 years old.
- Two session / year.
- Available levels: A1.1, A1, A2.
- Registration through Alliance Française Vancouver.

#### **DELF Junior: 12 to 18 years old**

- Open to all candidates. Exam tailored for teenagers.
- Two session / year.
- Available levels: A1, A2, B1, B2.
- Registration through Alliance Française Vancouver.

#### **DELF Scolaire: 12 to 18 years old**

- Registration through the candidate's school.
- Teacher and/or school must contact Alliance Francaise Vancouver to organize the exam.
- Two session / year.
- Available levels: A1, A2, B1, B2.



# **DELF EXTERNAL CREDITS**

DELF certification qualifies for external credits under the **British Columbia**Ministry of Education External Credentials Program.

DELF DIPLOMA	GRADES	EXTERNAL CREDITS
Al	10	4 External credits
A2	11	4 External credits
B1	12	4 External credits
B2	12 (French immersion)	4 External credits

# **DELF**

## **Exam locations**

DELF exam is divided into two sections: a collective or group exam (listening and reading comprehension, written production) and an individual examination (oral production and interaction).

#### **Collective Exam**

At Alliance Francaise Vancouver
OR at your school. If you have
more than 30 candidates, the
collective exam can take place in
your school. Please contact us for
more information.

#### Individual Exam

At Alliance Française Vancouver.
each candidate will receive an
individual appointment within two
weeks of the collective exam.

### Our ideal location with complete facilities

Located between Oakridge and Langara skytrain stations, we offer spacious, supervised areas with modern equipment and facilities for your students, for both group and individual exams. We also have a coffee shop available for breaks, as well as security surveillance throughout the building to ensure the safety of all students. Underground parking is also available from the back lane..



# HOW TO REGISTER Your school

# **6 WEEKS**

before the exam: Registrations are open. We will send the school and/or teacher the registration forms.

# **EXAM DAY-**

# 2 MONTHS

minimum before the exam: Planning and organization. Get in touch with us!

# **3 WEEKS**

before the exam:
Registrations are closed.
We will send the school /
teacher the notification
letters for each candidate.

The school / teacher will receive the results' certificate within

**6 WEEKS** of exam completion.



#### **DELF Prim'**

May December

#### **DELF Junior**

June October

#### **DELF Scolaire**

April May November

Once we have discussed the overall process, we can establish a date, sign an agreement and walk you through the steps needed to take to make your DELF session a success.



# **CONTACT US**

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