

# French Language Courses in Nice 2008

Learn French in France

Prices quoted in £ Sterling



|                                     | Age range | Lessons per wk | Max in Class | Short-term Programmes |   |        |        |                               |        | Languages for Life Programmes |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
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|                                     |           |                |              | 1                     | 2   | 3      | 4      | 5                             | 6      | 8                             | 10               | 12               | 16     |  |  |  |  |
| N:1 Languages for Life              | 16+       | 20             | 10           |                       |   |        |        |                               |        | £934                          | £1,146           | £1,370           | £1,794 |  |  |  |  |
| N:2 Standard Programme              | 16+       | 20             | 10           | £217                  | £350  | £466   | £558   | £690                          | £750   |                               |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
| N:3 Intensive Programme             | 16+       | 30             | 10           | £287                  | £462  | £617   | £741   | £903                          | £1,076 |                               | Extra week: £173 |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
| N:4 Executive French                | 20+       | 40             | 5            | £833                  | * Active conversational ability essential (B2+)     |        |        |                               |        |                               |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
| N:5 DELF Exam Programme             | 16+       | 30             | 10           |                       |   | £1,000 |        | Includes one exam fee of 100€ |        |                               |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
| N:6 A-level Easter Programme        | Yr 12/13  | 30             | 7            | £359                  | Tuition & activities only                           |        |        |                               |        |                               |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
|                                     | Yr 12/13  | 30             | 7            | £557                  | Tuition, activities & single room accomm            |        |        |                               |        |                               |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
|                                     | Yr 12/13  | 30             | 7            | £529                  | Tuition, activities, shared room with friend accomm |        |        |                               |        |                               |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
| N:7 Summer (A'level) Programme      | Yr 11/12  | 30             | 10           | £467                  |   |        |        |                               |        |                               |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
| N:8 Over 50's Programme*            | 50        | 15             | 8            | £519                  | * Low intermediate+ ability required                |        |        |                               |        |                               |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
| N:9 Combined Course                 | 16+       | 20 + 5         | 10 / 1       | £391                  | £654  | £877   | £1,084 | £1,328                        | £1,586 | £2,103                        |                  | Extra week: £259 |        |  |  |  |  |
|                                     | 16+       | 20 + 10        | 10 / 1       | £551                  | £936  | £1,268 | £1,610 | £2,003                        | £2,380 | £3,161                        |                  | Extra week: £390 |        |  |  |  |  |
| N:10 French for Teachers            | 19+       | 30             | 10           | £444                  |   |        |        |                               |        |                               |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
| N:11 Private Tuition                | 16+       | 15             | 1            | £635                  | £1,222  | £1,707 | £2,276 | Extra week: £561              |        |                               |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
|                                     | 16+       | 20             | 1            | £827                  | £1,517  | £2,245 | £2,993 | Extra week: £748              |        |                               |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
|                                     | 16+       | 25             | 1            | £1,004                | £1,897  | £2,806 | £3,741 | Extra week: £935              |        |                               |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
|                                     | 16+       | 30             | 1            | £1,204                | £2,245  | £3,367 | £4,490 | Extra week: £1122             |        |                               |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
| N:12 French & Cookery Programme     | 16+       | 20 + 10        | 10           | £593                  |   |        |        |                               |        |                               |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
| N:13 French & Art History Programme | 16+       | 20 + 10        | 10           | £593                  |   |        |        |                               |        |                               |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
| N:14 Summer Sailing PM Programme    | 16+       | 5              |              | £254                  |   |        |        |                               |        |                               |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |
| N:15 Summer Diving PM Programme     | 16+       | 10             |              | £275                  |   |        |        |                               |        |                               |                  |                  |        |  |  |  |  |

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| Private household, single room, 1/2 brd                                  | £178                  | £341 | £512   | £670   | £824   | £993   | £1,265           | £1,586           | £1,908 | £2,590 |
| shared room, 1/2 brd *   | £155                  | £296 | £444   | £590   | £731   | £881   | £1,138           | £1,427           | £1,717 | £2,296 |
| Shared Apartment with French people, single room, self catering          | £125                  | £244 | £341   | £454   | £562   | £678   | £909             | £1,141           | £1,372 | £1,807 |
| shared room, self catering *   | £106                  | £207 | £290   | £386   | £478   | £576   | £773             | £970             | £1,167 | £1,536 |
| Studio bed sits, single occupancy, self catering                         | £260                  | £469 | £630   | £827   | £1,033 | £1,230 | £1,628           | £2,035           | £2,442 | £3,231 |
| High Season: 01/06 - 27/09/08  | £339                  | £627 | £867   | £1,143 | £1,428 | £1,704 | £2,260           | £2,825           | £3,390 | £4,495 |
| Student residence 1, single occupancy studio, self catering              |                       |      |        |        |        |        |                  |                  |        |        |
| Low season: 01/01/08 - 17/05/08 & 07/09/08 - 31/12/08                    | £343                  | £619 | £832   | £1,091 | £1,116 | £1,329 | £1,758           | £2,198           | £2,637 | £3,489 |
| High Season: 18/05/08 - 06/09/08   | £429                  | £791 | £1,090 | £1,435 | £1,546 | £1,845 | £2,446           | Extra week: £301 |        |        |
| Student residence 2, single occupancy rm, B&B (06/07/08 - 30/08/08 ONLY) | £413                  | £554 | £728   | £909   | £1,083 | £1,433 | Extra week: £175 |                  |        |        |
| Apartment Hotel, 4*, single occupancy, self catering                     |                       |      |        |        |        |        |                  |                  |        |        |
| Low season: 01/01/08 - 05/04/08 & 04/10/08 - 31/12/08                    | £353                  | £638 | £857   | £1,124 | £1,406 | £1,673 | £2,214           | Extra week: £270 |        |        |
| Mid Season: 05/04/08 - 28/06/08 & 30/08/08 - 04/10/08                    | £435                  | £802 | £1,103 | £1,452 | £1,816 | £2,165 | £2,870           | Extra week: £352 |        |        |
| High Season: 28/06/08 - 30/08/08   | £513                  | £958 | £1,337 | £1,764 | £2,206 | £2,633 | £3,494           | Extra week: £430 |        |        |
| 2* Hotel, single room, 5 mins walk from college                          | From £51.00 per night |      |        |        |        |        |                  |                  |        |        |
| 3* Hotel, single room, 20 mins walk from college                         | From £65.00 per night |      |        |        |        |        |                  |                  |        |        |
| 4* Hotel, single room, 5 mins walk from college                          | From £87.00 per night |      |        |        |        |        |                  |                  |        |        |

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| CESA Administration Fee    | £35.00 per person/per enrolment  |
| College administration Fee | £34.00 per person  |
| Summer supplements         | Not applicable to tuition. Applied to some accommodation, see table above for details  |
| Transfer Service           | Free service offered by hosts in private household accommodation, on <b>ARRIVAL ONLY</b> between 08.00/22.00hrs. Only offered on a Sunday. |
|                            | Transfers are NOT offered for other accommodation options.   |
| Express Mail Service       | £41.00 per letter. Used for visa documents, where original copies are required (generally only applies to long term courses).              |

### Start Dates:

Accommodation dates. Arrive: Sunday. Depart: Saturday AM after course ends.

### Languages for Life, Standard, Intensive & Combined Programmes

Students with high elementary+ ability can begin on any start dates shown below. Beginners start dates shown in **bold/red**.

NB: Students with prior knowledge can generally start on non-specified dates, by arrangement with CESA.

\* Tuesday start date due to public holiday

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| January   | 14  | <b>28</b>    |
| February  | 11  | <b>25</b>    |
| March     | 10  | <b>25*</b>   |
| April     | 07  | 21           |
| May       | 05  | 19           |
| June      | 02  | 16 30        |
| July      | 07  | 15* 21 28    |
| August    | 04  | 11 18 25     |
| September | 01  | 15 <b>29</b> |
| October   | 13  | <b>27</b>    |
| November  | 10  | 24           |
| December  | 08* |              |

\* 2 week course maximum

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| <b>A'level Easter Programme</b>           | 31 March, 07 April One week courses  |
| <b>Summer (A'level) Programme</b>         | 07 Jul, 21 Jul, 04 Aug, 18 Aug   |
| <b>Executive French</b>                   | 04 Feb, 03 Mar, 14 Apr, 19 May, 09 Jun, 07 Jul, 18 Aug, 08 Sept, 20 Oct, 17 Nov & 15 Dec   |
| <b>Private Tuition</b>                    | Any Monday by arrangement  |
| <b>DELF Preparation Programmes</b>        | A1: 05 May, 17 Nov<br>A2: 03 Mar, 05 May, 02 Jun, 30 Jun, 25 Aug, 20 Oct, 17 Nov<br>B1: 03 Mar, 05 May, 02 Jun, 30 Jun, 25 Aug, 20 Oct, 17 Nov<br>B2: 03 Mar, 05 May, 02 Jun, 30 Jun, 25 Aug, 20 Oct, 17 Nov |
| <b>French for Teachers</b>                | 30 July, 21 Aug  |
| <b>Over 50 Programme</b>                  | 18 Feb, 19 May, 18 Aug & 13 Oct  |
| <b>Sailing Programme</b>                  | July to August   |
| <b>Diving Programme</b>                   | May to October   |
| <b>French &amp; Cookery Programme</b>     | 04 Feb, 05 May, 04 Aug & 29 Sept   |
| <b>French &amp; Art History Programme</b> | 03 Mar, 02 Jun, 01 Sep & 27 Oct  |

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| Minutes per lesson       | 45  |
| End of School Year       | 20 December 2008 Reopens 05 January 2009  |
| Public Holidays          | Lessons lost will not be made up: 24 Mar, 01 & 12 May, 14 Jul, 15 Aug and 11 Nov in 2008  |
|                          | A local excursion (free of charge) is offered on these holiday dates, instead of regular lessons.   |
| Accreditation            | CSN   |
| Exams prepared for       | DELF Exams  |
| Books & Materials        | Materials inclusive in course fees.   |
| Inclusive in course fees | Tuition as booked, administration formalities & teaching materials, guided tour of old town, French videos in college + one cultural activity per week (entrance fee not included). |
| Course notes             | 20 + 10 = 20 group lessons plus 10 private lessons<br>July/August courses are very busy periods, please do not leave bookings to the last minute                                    |

**Languages for Life Programme:** These long term courses allow students to focus on all aspects of the language over several months. In-depth study over an extended period ensures better mastery, subtler understanding and far greater long term retention of key language skills. They are very popular with Gap Year students prior to University, graduates and other adults looking to take a career break.

**Standard Programme:** Ideal for all age groups (16 yrs +) and all ability levels.

**Intensive Programme:** 20 group lessons plus a further 10 group lessons per week.

**Executive French:** 40 group lessons in a class of no more than 5 students. Designed for business people, engineers and skilled workers who want a short but intensive course to update or improve their language skills. (B2+ levels only) specific to the business environment.

**DELFL Programme:** 4 week modules leading to the DELFL exams. Students have to complete a short written test prior to acceptance on the course. Must be A1+ level. Please give CESA as much notice as possible.

**A-level Easter Programme:** Special ONE week Easter courses solely for CESA students, currently working towards their AS or A2 exams (or IB equivalent) in the UK. Highly recommended by past students. Please contact the CESA office for the French A-level factsheet.

**Summer (A-level) Programme:** Open to A-level students and those following European equivalent exams this Summer Programme covers the range of language skills required by exam students. The last day is set aside for a mock exam, in test conditions.

**Over 50 Programme:** For low intermediate+ level students (A2+ levels). French classes cover the topics of the cultural activities in the afternoon. Linguistic development is encouraged with the help of plays, debates, documents. The courses provides a highly practical approach to the language and are fabulous for developing confidence in communication and comprehension. A full social and activity programme is offered as an inclusive part of this course.

**Combined Programme:** 20 + 5 or 20 + 10 = 20 group lessons plus private lessons.

Perfect for students and adults looking for the camaraderie of the group programme and the personal attention of private one-to-one lessons. Open to all ability levels. Ideal half-term holiday one week course options.

**French for Teachers:** Improve or up date your language skills (C1 & C2 levels) with your peers from around the world at an advanced level and refresh your knowledge of cultural, social and economic life. Specific workshops include: modern techniques and methods of teaching / pedagogic and group dynamic / tools and games to use in class / improvement, evaluation and control of skills.

**Private Tuition:** 15/20/25 private one-to-one lessons per week with private tutors. Maximum impact and course intensity.

Open to all levels. Lessons are tailored to meet your specific needs i.e. preparation prior to exams, practise prior to a business presentation or a new job, or concentration on communication skills. Not available during the summer session period.

**Diving Programme:** offered May/Oct PADI 1st level In conjunction with N1:3 language courses

Every session is preceded by a briefing and all dives are rigorously monitored.

**Sailing Programme:** offered July/August Total of 10 sessions of catamaran sailing In conjunction with N:2 language courses.

Both sports options require medical certificate from participating students & permission forms from parents for Under 18's

**French & Cookery Programme:** Combine general French studies (A2+ level) with two afternoons dedicated to the terminology specific to the cook, vocabulary, origins and characteristics of French cuisine, how to read a French cookery book and French expressions. Plus 4 afternoons of guided sessions by a professional Chef, one afternoon of wine and cheese tasting at the college and also a visit to the Lycee Hotelier in Nice (a guided tour of the hotel school and lunch, except in July and August, when this session transfers to a gastronomic restaurant as the Hotel school is closed). Good elementary French (or above) essential.

**French & Art History Programme:** Combine your general French studies with a dedicated programme of Art History studies, lead by a French Teacher with an Art History degree. Two afternoons on Arts vocabulary, evolution of the main French artists over the centuries, analysis of reproductions (shown on a large screen at the college) and debates. Four afternoons of guided museum visits: Matisse museum, Modern Art museum, Chagall museum and the Theatre de al Photo. Three afternoons of lectures on Art techniques and practice including a photographic project (chosen by students with tutor). Following advice on photographic techniques students take pictures over 3 days prior to a debriefing session, comparing, contrasting and debating the photographs taken. B1 level French (or above) essential.

**LINK Programme:** Why not study in two or three locations? You can study for two weeks (or more) in each college on a LINK Programme. Please ask the CESA staff for suggestions!

\* shared room with another student, only offered to couples or friends booking together

Age restrictions: **16/18 year olds may only take private household accommodation**, other options open to 18 yrs+ students

**Private households:** Stay with local hosts, single room (or shared room with a friend) on a half-board basis. Hosts live in apartments in and around central Nice, allow for a 15/35 min commute to college each morning.

The hosts may have more than one student staying with them at a time.

**During the summer, younger students are taught on a separate site to the main year round centre and accommodation is arranged with hosts closer to the relevant college site.**

**Shared apartments:** Share with local French people, but on a self catering basis, popular with the more independently minded student, who still wants French contact out of class.

**Studio bedsits:** within walking distance or rarely more than 15 mins bus ride from college, a one room studio with kitchenette and bathroom. Two or three roomed flats also possible on request. Bed linen and TV included.

**Student Residence 1:** Minimum age 17 yrs old. Approx 20 mins walk from college and 5 mins from the Old Town. Studios have air con, TV & phone. One main room with kitchenette and private bathroom for one person.

**Student Residence 2:** Students must be 18 yrs old. Under 10 mins by bus from town centre and main school. Rooms have private shower, W.C. and fridge. Ben linen provided. Breakfast is included but there are no cooking facilities.

Minimum booking period is 2 weeks. Simple and cheap, summer time accommodation, in a university hall of residence.

**Apartment Hotel:** Just a 10 min. walk from college the Hotel offers higher standard studios, air con, phone, sat TV, safe, parking (70 Euro per week) and bed linen. Studios for one quoted above, also available for two or up to 4 people at extra cost.

**Local Hotels:** Please specify the style of room/hotel required when enrolling.

NB: Nice is a very popular city, please book well in advance for Spring/Summer accommodation options to avoid disappointment.

Accommodation notes

Contact details:



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