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Over 50s French Language Courses

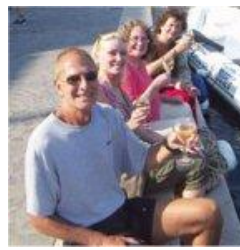


A holiday with purpose!

> French Over 50s

Nice Antibes Rouen
Tours & Paris

2012



When you wish to work on your language skills with others of your own or similar age, on a programme not solely geared to an academic syllabus, talk to CESA.

The Over 50s programmes are tailored to meet day to day language needs. The programmes are ideal if you are plan to live part of the year in a different country or have a favourite holiday destination, or visit friends or family abroad.

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| Duration | Varies, 1 to 4 weeks duration |
| No of lessons | Generally 15 to 20 per week |
| Levels offered | Varies |
| Tuition | Monday to Friday |
| Minimum age | 50yrs + (Some are open to all adults) |
| Accommodation | Refer to Course Finder or college description |

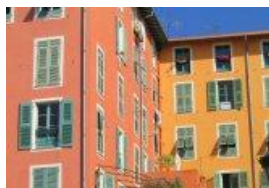
If you would rather follow a course at a different time of the year or want a different style of course you are very welcome to join students on any of the other General Language courses offered. Older students are very welcome to join a wide range of CESA courses, and frequently do so.

If you have any questions about the suitability of an Over 50 Course or any of the language courses we offer, please contact CESA, we will be delighted to help.

"The college is well placed and the staff exceptional. The chance to practise my French with other adults, stay in Nice, see Villefranche, try local wines and have a good laugh, was thoroughly enjoyable. One of the most rewarding and refreshing holidays I've had for a long time. "

Susan
Over 50s Course
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Nice

French for the Over 50s:

2012 Course Dates: **13 February, 14 May, 03 September & 22 October 2012**

Tuition: **€ 846.00** + CESA Fee: **€ 45.00**

Host accommodation, single room half-board: **€ 472.00** for 2 weeks stay

Hotels/residences: **Quoted on request**

French classes cover the topics of the cultural activities in the afternoon. Linguistic development is encouraged with the help of plays, debates and document based work. The course provides a highly practical approach to the language and is fabulous for developing self-confidence in communication and comprehension. A full social and activity programme is offered as an inclusive part of this course. The language course and all bar one of the activities are centred purely on the Over 50s students, there is only one trip where the group is integrated in with other language students.

Two weeks language course:

Open to 50+ age group

Max. 10 people per group class

15 French group lessons

Levels: Low intermediate level+ students (A2 level required)

Timetable: 09.30 to 12.15hrs (with a 30 minutes break)

An activity programme is offered over 7 afternoons, 2 evenings and includes one full day excursion

Accommodation: With local French hosts, single rm, ½ brd or can be arrange in local Hotels or residences on request

Activities can include:

Guided visit into Nice's old town, excursion to Beaulieu & Saint Jean Cap Ferrat and the Rothschild villa, wine tasting and exploring provencale cuisine, visit to the Renoir museum, Sunday afternoon at the Opera, a Salsa evening, dinner in a restaurant with college staff, an excursion to Villefrance sur Mer, Entrevaux (a medieval village) or Cagnes sur Mer. – NB: Excursions take place by bus or train and the group is accompanied by a teacher or social director (this isn't valid for the 1st Sunday and the 2nd Friday). For the visits of towns and villages they only chose short walking distances with several breaks. Except for the excursion to Entrevaux, tuition and activities are reserved to seniors only and no other student will be mixed to the group. Accommodation is carefully chosen near the school (less than 1 kilometre by walking). All activities are guided and commented in French language. The activity programme during the February session is partly focused on Carnival events.

Background Information: Established in 1992, the college is situated a few blocks south of Nice Main Railway station, some 200 metres from the Nice Etoile shopping area, 400 meters from Place Massena and 10 minutes from the Promenade des Anglais by foot. Located in a quiet residential area the college is situated in a lovely mansion, surrounded by similar styled houses from the turn of the 20th century. The year round college consists of 16 classrooms, air conditioning, a library, computer room with internet access and a student common room with a small library. There is also a small courtyard, shaded by trees where students can relax during breaks. At it's busiest during the warmer months of the year, students are advised to book early for the June to September programmes. The staff are always on hand should you have any questions once on your course.

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| Course Duration | 1-16 weeks+ | Over 50s course : 2 weeks |
| Minutes per French lesson | 45 | |
| Minimum age | 16 yrs | |
| No. of Classrooms | 16 main college / 12 summer college | |
| No. of students /quietest months | 50 per month | |
| No. of students /busiest months | 250 per month | |

Antibes

French for the Over 50s:

2012 Course Dates: **23 January, 14 May, 29 October 2012**

Tuition: **€ 560.00** + CESA Fee: **€ 45.00**

Medium Residence, studio accommodation: Single room **€ 288.00**

Shared room (friends & couples): **€ 172.00 per person**

Higher standard residence or staying with French hosts also an option: Please discuss with CESA

Summer Supplement for May session : single : € 128.00 per wk per person

double: € 200.00 per wk per person

The course provides a highly practical approach to the language and is fabulous for developing self-confidence in communication and comprehension. It is aimed at helping students improve their French whilst discovering the art, culture, gastronomy and countryside of the Riviera.

Two weeks language course :

Open to 50+ age group

Max.12 people per group class

20 French group lessons

Levels: Low intermediate level+ students (A2 level required)

Timetable: 08.45 to 12.00hrs

An activity programme is offered over 4 half days per week, 1 evening and includes one full day excursion.

Accommodation: In High Standard Residences, single or double studios, ½ brd (breakfast and lunch at the schools restaurant Monday to Friday).

Activities can include: Visit to Antibes town, Saint Paul de Vence, Cannes, or The Maeght Foundation. Excursion and wine tasting in 'Chateau du Bellet', visit to the Picasso Museum or Vallauris (famous for its pottery). Game of Petangue (boules), cooking lesson of Provençal dishes, visit to Grasse Perfumery in Fragonard, or a trip to Gourdon or Gorges du Loup. Trip to Monaco and the Museum of Oceanography and Aquarium in Monaco. Full day excursion to valberg (January session) or Nice (May and November sessions). Cultural evening: to go and see a show depending on theatre programmes or Aperitif accompanied by traditional Provençal specialities.

Background information:

The school was established in 1985, and just a few minutes walk from Antibes. The school is in a beautiful house surrounded by flowering gardens and set in a calm environment, with a pleasant view of the Mediterranean Sea.

All the classrooms are bright with ample lighting, and equipped with TV and Video. There are also a number of outdoor classrooms that are a positive delight during fine weather. Tape recorders, video cameras and overhead projectors are also regularly used as teaching aides. There is a library that is open to students Monday to Friday. Students can eat their meals in the self-catering restaurant, which has a panoramic view of the sea.

A second college site is used during the busiest months of the year, near the Antibes port. This site has fewer facilities but this is more than compensated for by the beautiful setting, surrounded by Provençal cafes and shops, in this historic town.

NB: Students cannot choose which site they are placed in, however for most of the year, the majority of classes take place at the main college site.

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| Course Duration | 1 - 24weeks+ | Over 50s course : 2 weeks |
| Minutes per lesson | 45 | |
| Minimum age | 17yrs | |
| No. of Classrooms | 17 indoor / 4 outdoor | |
| No. of students /quietest months | 180 per month | |
| No. of students /busiest months | 250 per month | |



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Rouen

French for the Over 50s:

There are three great course options that CESA recommends to our older clients. If you'd like to improve your French and eat fabulous French food at award winning restaurants, try the **Gourmet French** course, if you'd prefer to work on your French cookery skills, the French & Cookery course is for you or if you love Impressionist Art, join the Discover Normandy programme and indulge the Art lover in you.

Gourmet French

One week language course (mixed age groups)

Spring & Autumn dates

15 French group lessons plus

3 excursions (always culinary related) & 3 gourmet meals in the week

Max. 15 people per group

Levels : All levels

Normandy is famous for its rich cuisine and well known cheeses. The Course offers French in the morning, then afternoon visits to local producers of regional specialities with 3 evening gourmet meals at renowned restaurants. Enjoy a gastronomic experience of a lifetime.

Course Dates: 06 February 2012 05 March 2012
 16 April 2012 08 October 2012
 19 November 2012

Tuition: € 1064.00 + CESA Fee: € 45.00

Host accommodation, single room, half-board: € 194.00 En suite: € 285.00

French & Cookery

One week language course (mixed age groups)

Spring & Autumn

10 French group lessons plus

3 lunches & 3 afternoon cookery sessions in Culinary school, per week

Max. 15 people per class

Levels : All levels

This course is a must for those wishing to combine language learning with the art of cookery and Normandy is the ideal place to do it. The Rouen Culinary School offers expert culinary demonstration and practice on top of the French language skills programme and at the end of the course each student will be able to prepare a sumptuous regional menu (and enjoy a good lunch for three of the 5 course days).

Course Dates: 06 February 2011 05 March 2011
 16 April 2011 08 October 2011
 19 November 2011

Tuition: € 990.00 + CESA Fee: € 45.00

H Host accommodation, single room, half-board: € 194.00 En suite: € 285.00



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Discover Normandy

One week language course (mixed age groups)

Spring through to Autumn

15 French group lessons plus

guided visit to Rouen Museum, Cookery PM & Painting PM in the week

Max. 15 people per class

Levels : All levels

An amazing programme dedicated to improving your French, appreciating the wonderful Impressionist Art associated with Normandy & France, and to enjoy the food and culture of the city of Rouen.

Activity programme (*please view as an example only, maybe subject to alteration*):

Monday PM: A guided tour of Rouen city

Tuesday PM : Visit to Les Audelys /Pissarro Museum & Chateau Gaillard (Richard the Lionheart's Castle)

Wednesday PM : Rouen Museum for a special guided tour of the Impressionists Exhibition

Thursday PM : A Painting class, to better understand Monet's painting style (at extra cost : € 80.00)

Friday PM : Free afternoon or optional Cookery class

Saturday (all day) : Optional excursion (at additional cost) to Monet's House and Gardens at Giverny (open May/October : € 55.00)

Course Dates: 16 April 2012
08 October 2011

Tuition: € 864.00 + CESA Fee: € 45.00

Host accommodation, single room, half-board: € 194.00 En suite: € 285.00

Background Information:

Established in 1992, the year round French language school in Rouen is a private, centrally located town building, with its own car park and courtyard. Housed in a modern building on the left bank of the River Seine at Rouen, the school is bright and airy. There is a metro stop just by the school, so it is easy to reach, from all areas of the city. The college is just 5 minutes walk from bustling commercial area known as St Sever (the pedestrian zone includes a shopping mall with over 200 shops).

With 12 classrooms, the language school can accommodate both the group courses and the smaller intensive group and one-to-one classes, as well. There is a resource centre with 10 computers for student use, with free internet access. WiFi access is also available for those wishing to use their personal laptops. In addition the French language school offers a small library and audio visual material including CDs and DVDs available for students.

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| Course Duration | 1-25 weeks+ |
| Minutes per French lesson | 60 |
| Minimum age | 16 yrs |
| No. of Classrooms | 12 |
| No. of students /quietest months | 60 per month |
| No. of students /busiest months | 85 per month |



Tours

French & Wine Course:

Course Dates: 11 June, **18 May** 2012,
 16 July, **23 July** 2012
 03 September, **10 September** 2012
 01 October, **08 October** 2012
 Dates in **bold** = Wine Appreciation course takes place

Two weeks group tuition + Wine tuition: € 890.00+ CESA Fee: € 45.00
 + Host accommodation: € 360.00 plus college accommodation fee: €45.00
One week group & private tuition + Wine tuition: € 722.00+ CESA Fee: € 45.00
 + Host accommodation: € 180.00 plus college accommodation fee: €45.00



Follow a **one or two week French course**, with the Wine Appreciation course as a supplementary one week course. A fabulous chance to explore the beautiful city of Tours, improve your French and your wine knowledge and study in a beautiful and very adult orientated French language school.

Two week course duration (can be extended)

Open to all ages on set start dates (ideal for adult students)

Max. 7 people per group class

26 French group lessons + Wine Appreciation

Levels: A2 level required *Check your level*

Timetable: 09.00 to 12.15hrs (with a 15 minutes break) + 13.45 to 16.30 (Tuesday & Thursday) or 09.00 to 12.45hrs + 14.00 to 16.45 (Wednesday) in July/August

plus a one week Wine course :

~ 5 lesson per week wine appreciation course

~ Wine history, wine-makers, grape variety, French wine regions, and vocabulary.

~ White and red wine-making, wine-tasting, choosing, buying, storing and serving wine: dos, don'ts and other advice.

Accommodation: With local French hosts or can be arrange in local Hotels or residences on request

French AM Course

You will feel at ease and confident, and you will progress fast. Because of the small number of students in each class, the teachers can focus on spoken French. Your oral participation is encouraged by the relaxed and cordial ambiance and only French is ever spoken!

PM Wine Appreciation Course

Each course is divided into three afternoons and lasts for a total of five and a half hours. The College Director gives the first lesson on wine history, grapes, wine-makers, French wine regions and vocabulary. This lesson finishes with some Vouvray tasting in the college's own wine cellar, dating from the 15th century. During the following two lessons, presented by a wine specialist, you will learn about wine-making and the correct way to taste red and white wines. Choosing, buying, storing and serving wine: dos, don'ts and other advice.

In response to student demand, the college also offer other courses on food given by local specialists:

a cheese course, a course that harmonises cheeses and wines, a foie gras course.

Background information:

The French language school was established in 1985. It is located in the heart of the lively old town with its 15th century homes and plenty of cafes. It occupies a beautifully renovated and elegant 18th century building. From the classroom window you can admire the Charlemagne tower, one of the town's oldest monuments.

The school provides the perfect environment for those who require serious study in small group lessons. Situated on three floors, the college comprises of 10 classrooms for group study with additional smaller rooms for private tuition lessons. At it's busiest during the warmer months of the year, students are well advised to book early for the summer programmes .

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| Course Duration | 1-13 weeks+ | French & Wine : 2 weeks |
| Minutes per French lesson | | 45 (60-Private Tuition) |
| Minimum age | | 16 yrs |
| No. of Classrooms | | 10 |
| No. of students /quietest months | | 25 per month |
| No. of students /busiest months | | 60 per month |



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Paris

French for Adults:

2012 Course Dates: **Open all year** (closes over Christmas wk)

Beginners : Only 1st Monday of the month

Course Duration : One week plus (2 week minimum recommended)

One week course Tuition: € 462.00 + CESA Fee: €45.00

Host accommodation, single room, B&B: € 253.00 En suite B&B: € 330.00

Two weeks course Tuition: € 845.00 + CESA Fee: €45.00

Host accommodation, single room, B&B: € 506.00 En suite B&B: € 660.00

A short French language course aimed at adults, and very suitable for students in the 50 years plus age range who wish to study with their peers (and other adults mainly in their 30's/40's) in a beautiful and elegant college in central Paris. The course concentrates on exploring general French language skills and offers a systematic study of French grammar, according to the student's level with an emphasis on improving communication skills.

Start dates: Beginners are accepted, but only on the first Monday of each month, all other levels can start any Monday (except Christmas week).

One or two weeks language course

Open to all adults

Max. 6 people per class

15 group lessons per week

Levels: Beginner (pre A1) to Advanced (C1)

Timetable: French classes are held in the morning

Accommodation: With local French speaking hosts, single rm, B&B (some en suite options available at extra cost), half-board also available or Hotels/studio apartments **Sunday/Saturday**

Activities: Whatever the weather, or time of year, Paris provides you with plenty of opportunities to fill your free time. As the majority of college students are in their 20's are older, most prefer to arrange their own social life, generally with new college friends. The college works with a local company that offers a range of exciting tours exploring the many facets of Paris and different French regions. It offers a stimulating and provocative backdrop for your experience of France and French life. As the college is quite small, it does not arrange weekly events for students in its own right. However college students regularly ask the staff and the tour company for advice on trips and visits and there are always plenty of options to choose from!

Background Information:

The school was established in 1984 and is located near the Place Clichy, in the 9th district of Paris. It occupies all of an 18th century town house and is only 15 minutes stroll by foot from the Opera Garnier and Bvd Hausseman in the 9th district. The school provides the perfect environment for those who require serious study for private tuition or in a small group setting. Situated on 3 floors, the college comprises of 10 classrooms for group and private lessons. Students can relax in the common room or the school terrace between classes. They have free access to email. There is also a library of French DVDs and CD-Rom's to help in self-study and a video room for student use. At it's busiest during the warmer months of the year, students are well advised to book early for the Spring and Autumn programmes, and whilst the French school is quieter in August (when the Parisians are away on holiday) accommodation can be harder to arrange so early bookings are recommended.

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| French language course duration: | 1 - 8 weeks |
| Minutes per French lesson: | 60 minutes |
| Minimum age: | Officially 18 yrs * |
| Classrooms: | 10 |
| No. of students/quietest months | 25 per month |
| No. of students/busiest months | 50 per month |

* Generally speaking students are older - mainly 30's/60's age range.



