



Faculties of Humanities and Theology

## FRAC02, French: Beginners' Course II, 10 credits

*Franska: Nybörjarkurs II, 10 högskolepoäng*

First Cycle / Grundnivå

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### Details of approval

The syllabus is an old version, approved by The pro-dean for First-Cycle Studies at the Faculties of Humanities and Theology on 2018-03-16 and was valid from 2018-08-31, autumn semester 2018.

### General Information

The course is offered as a freestanding course. It can normally be included in a first or second cycle degree.

*Main field of studies*

French

*Depth of study relative to the degree requirements*

G1F, First cycle, has less than 60 credits in first-cycle course/s as entry requirements

### Learning outcomes

On completion of the course, the students shall be able to

#### Knowledge and understanding

- account in Swedish for several elementary aspects of French grammar
- master a basic French vocabulary
- describe in Swedish some features of French culture and social life, and make certain comparisons with Swedish circumstances
- account in Swedish for the most basic pronunciation principles of French

### **Competence and skills**

- use several elementary structures in French grammar
- participate in a prepared simple conversation in French
- write short, simple texts in French with the help of aids
- understand most of an oral presentation in well articulated French on familiar topics
- read and understand short and simple texts in French with the help of bilingual dictionaries and relevant grammars

### **Judgement and approach**

- discuss and take a position on issues of gender, ethnicity, cultural encounters and cultural diversity from different perspectives
- take a critical position on source material and their own knowledge acquisition

### **Course content**

FRAC02 is the second beginners' course in French and is a development of FRAC01. It focuses on spoken and written French, and on French culture.

It consists of two modules: Part I, 5 credits, and Part II, 5 credits.

Part I (5 credits) and Part II (5 credits) provide training in pronunciation, grammar, vocabulary, and basic written and oral communication in French.

### **Course design**

The teaching consists of lessons combining lectures, individual exercises and group exercises in equal measures.

### **Assessment**

Part I is assessed through three written assignments.

Part II is assessed through a written invigilated exam and an oral presentation.

Three opportunities for examination are offered in conjunction with the course: a first exam, a re-take and a catch-up exam. At least two further re-examinations on the same course content are offered within a year of the end of the course. After this,

further re-examination opportunities are offered but in accordance with the current course syllabus.

The examiner, in consultation with Disability Support Services, may deviate from the regular form of examination in order to provide a permanently disabled student with a form of examination equivalent to that of a student without a disability.

*Subcourses that are part of this course can be found in an appendix at the end of this document.*

## **Grades**

Marking scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction.

The grades awarded for Part I are Fail and Pass. The grades awarded for Part II are Fail, Pass and Pass with Distinction.

For a grade of Pass, the student must have been awarded this grade for both modules. For a grade of Pass with Distinction, the student must also have been awarded this grade for Part II and observed the deadlines in Part I.

## **Entry requirements**

To be admitted to the course, students must have passed FRAC01 (French: Beginners' Course I) or the equivalent.

## **Further information**

1. The course is offered at the the Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University.
2. It replaces parts of course FRAB01, French: Beginners' Course I, 1-15 credits, and course FRAB02, French: Beginners' Course II, 16-30 credits.
3. The credits allocated for course content that in whole or in part is commensurate with another course can only be credited once for a degree. For further details see the current application information and other relevant documentation.
4. The module titles in Swedish:
  1. Franska: Nybörjarkurs II, Delkurs I
  2. Franska: Nybörjarkurs II, Delkurs II

## Subcourses in FRAC02, French: Beginners' Course II

Applies from V19

- 1901 Part I, 5,0 hp  
Grading scale: Fail, Pass
- 1902 Part II, 5,0 hp  
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction

Applies from H18

- 1801 French: Beginners' course II, Part I, 5,0 hp  
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 1802 French: Beginners' course II, Part II, 5,0 hp  
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction