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GOUVERNEMENT ★ Région îledeFrance

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Learning French in a cultural and associative environment



WHO ARE WE?

La CLEF is an association that has been contributing to the cultural life of the commune for over 40 years. La CLEF offers this training course in a friendly setting, conducive to learning French culture. The project focuses on listening, welcoming and exchanging ideas... A relaxation area encourages encounters. It develops the autonomy and self-fulfilment of each individual by encouraging participation in the life of the association.

OVER 50 CULTURAL, ARTISTIC AND SPORTING ACTIVITIES

Every week, over 2,000 people come to take part in the 50 or so activities we offer (dance, sports, visual arts, music, theater and writing workshops...). Au Pair students benefit from an 80% discount on large group courses (dance, fitness, etc.).

80 CONCERTS AND EVENTS EVERY SEASON

La CLEF welcomes nearly 15,000 spectators every season (concerts, shows, exhibitions, parties...). Students can meet musicians and artists in residence, take part in vernissages and enjoy other events. **All concerts are free of charge, within the limite of available places.**



VHO CAN ATTEND? YOU ARE AN AU PAIR OR A FAMILY HOSTING AN AU PAIR

Being an Au Pair is one of the best ways to improve your language skills. Au Pairs must take French language courses (cf. Cerfa n° 15973*01). La CLEF is committed to providing them with the necessary teaching content. The Au Pair will have greater autonomy, thanks to a better level of French and new encounters.

YOU HAVE JUST ARRIVED IN FRANCE AND SIMPLY WANT TO IMPROVE YOUR FRENCH

This course is for you too. There's nothing like being a member of an association like La CLEF to help you learn French and better integrate into your city.



"The teachers are all very nice and always there when you need help. Not only did I learn a language, but I also made new friends and went to some great concerts. Great recommendation!"

Louise - German, Au Pair

HOW DO WE TEACH?

Historically linked to the Alliance Française, this course offers foreigners living in France the opportunity to learn French and become familiar with our country's culture. All our teachers have university degrees in teaching French (their mother tongue).

COMPREHENSIVE, HIGH-QUALITY FRENCH COURSES - GROUP DYNAMICS - OBJECTIVES SPECIFIC TO EACH PARTICIPANT

Helping our members benefit from the cultural and multidisciplinary context offered by La CLEF is a commitment we take to heart. That's why we don't hesitate to go beyond the classroom, offering both introductory workshops within the association (singing, impro theater, body percussion...) and cultural visits outside (museums, unusual Paris...). Or any other activity that lets you practice your language outside the classroom.

Traditional festivities, coffee breaks organized by members, active participation in all our events - these are all privileged moments of linguistic and cultural sharing.

All learning levels in small groups

La CLEF's aim is to adapt to each individual's needs and to give priority to listening. With this in mind, we have set up a number of level groups: beginner, elementary, intermediate, and expert (level A1 to B2 of CECRL - European Referential for languages). **Small** classes facilitate listening and dialogue for better student supervision.

Effective methods

Our courses enable each student to acquire a wider range of vocabulary, better expression and a more secure understanding of the language. This will enable them to better manage everyday activities and communicate in more specific areas according to their interests/needs.



Excellent preparation for diplomas

Preparation for national French language exams such as DELF, with a very high pass rate!

Modular teaching tools

Our teachers use a wide range of pedagogical materials: learning manuals, articles, applications, websites, books, discussion texts, short films, movies, online exercises, news, documentaries...

Complementary workshops

We offer free phonetics and conversation workshops in which students can participate according to their level and background.

"The courses are super enjoyable, small groups, great facilities. I'm going to sign up next year, it's a pleasure to learn like this. Thank you for everything, I'm looking forward to the next year"

Sara - Spanish, expatriate

"I studied at La CLEF for a year, the staff are super nice, a place with incredible teachers, they are very patient and very kind."

Maribel - Argentinian, expatriate