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Le Diplômant: French Language and Culture Short Program is a 24-week complete academic experience with personalized support to build your project. At the end of the course, students take the **DELFL** (Diplôme d'études en langue française) or **DALFL** (Diplôme approfondi de langue française) and **receive ECTS credits** which they can transfer to their university for their future curriculum. This program is an EABHES accredited program.

Key points of Le Diplômant

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A preparation for your future

This program allows students to prepare to pursue professional or personal projects and are at the end of their program positioned to move toward their goals

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An Intensive 26 lessons per week formula

INTENSIVE	20 lessons of general French / week + 6 lessons of Culture and current events / week + preparatory module for DELFL / DALFL exams + monthly academic and professional preparation workshop	👥 + 🗣️
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Regular educational monitoring

- Pathway program with ECTS credits
- Preparation workshops
- Individual pedagogical follow-up
- Monthly evaluation
- Ev@lang test at mid-term
- DELFL / DALFL diploma
- Personal project

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A program for students with an intermediate level

A1.2 level required to enter the program
(Beginner students may apply if they register in a beginners' class before the program)

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Regular & personalized support

- Educational interview + analysis of the student's project
- Regular individual or small group coaching
- Delivery of an individualized project at the end of the course**
- Assistance in registering for social security



Class Times

Morning

Monday to Wednesday
from 9 am to 1 pm
& Thursday from 9 to 12 am

Afternoon

Monday to Wednesday
from 1:30 to 5:30 pm &
Thursday from 1:30 to 4:30 pm

Students are placed in a class either in the morning or in the afternoon depending on their level of French.



No. of students

14 students

- 10/12 students on average
- 16 students in case of high attendance



Calendar

Program dates

From 23/09/24 to 28/03/25



Required level

A1.2 level

* Ev@lang was developed by the Evaluation and Certification Department of France Éducation International. It is a test that allows you to quickly and accurately assess your level of French. It is aligned with the proficiency levels of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) and has the added advantage of offering 12 levels for greater accuracy.

** The Personal Project is an opportunity for students of the Le Diplômant program to explore in depth an academic, professional or personal interest with dedicated support. Examples of subjects: a photographic or writing project to discover Paris; studies on particular subject in preparation for the integration of a Master's degree, etc...





Workshops

The monthly workshops of the Le Diplômant program are designed **to facilitate the integration of students into French university or professional life** at the end of their studies. Each month, a different theme of preparation is offered. Throughout the program, students benefit from specialized teaching, opportunities to present the progress of their individual work and coaching experiences.

This bouquet of activities allows students to discover their own abilities and refine the rest of his course.

Workshop topics include:

- Preparation of CV and cover letter
- Preparation for academic and professional interviews
- Public speaking and taking notes
- Practical aspects of French universities and companies
- Presentation of students' individual projects
- Coaching exploration

How to apply for Le Diplômant ?



Step 1

Submit an application with the following documents:

- Registration form,
- Cover letter,
- CV,
- Photocopy of passport.



Step 2

For students from outside the European Union, **contact the Campus France office** in your country.



Step 3

After the Campus France interview, make an appointment **with the visa service** in your country.

Our Diplômant Program allows **students to prepare for further studies in France**, a professional endeavor, or a personal project. Students who enter this program receive special support for their projects. Acceptance into this program implies the student's commitment to intensive work throughout their stay at Etoile.

To apply for the program, please **provide the registration form, the photocopy of passport, a CV, a cover letter** (1-2 pages) and a proof of A1.2 or higher level in French (if you do not have an official certificate, we will send you an Ev@lang test to take). In the cover letter, we invite to explore the following points:

- academic or professional background
- experiences abroad / with cultures different from your own
- goals (academic, professional, personal) after your studies at Etoile
- project you wish to pursue during your studies at Etoile.



Program duration	6 months (24 weeks)
Program dates	From 23/09/24 to 28/03/25
Minimum level of French	Level A1.2
Estimated level at the end of the standard course	B1 - B2 - C1
Standard 20 lessons of general french / week	
Intensive 20 lessons of general french + 6 of Culture & current events / week	✓ +
Higher Education Preparation Module	✓
Placement test before the start of the course	✓
Monthly evaluation	✓
Monthly one-on-one tutoring	✓
Attendance certificate	✓
Preparation for the TCF exams	
TCF official final certification (core sections only)	Optional
Preparation for the DELF A2, B1, B2 or DALF C1 exams	✓
DELF A2, B1, B2 or DALF C1 exam	✓
Official Ev@lang mid-term test	✓
Official ECTS transcript & certificate of achievement	✓
Certificate of Aptitude for Higher Education	
Regular individual or small group coaching	✓
Delivery of an individualized project at the end of the course	✓
Admission by application only	✓
Educational interview + analysis of the student's project	✓
Orientation service and validation of the file by the admission commissions of the grandes écoles	
Skills pathway: academic methodology and preparation for employability	
Introduction to selected specialties	

Opinion

It's the best place in the world to learn French, all the personal is super kind, they will not only teach you the language but also all about the culture, 100% Satisfied with everything. It was a great experience in Paris, thanks to you all.

Richard
(Google review)

**Price per session**

24 weeks

5 600 €

Administrative fee 140 €

*Option for le Diplômant***Price per additional week**Before and/or after
le Diplômant program**210 €**

Online:
Autonomous online course





Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) - Le Diplômant French Course

What is the objective of the program Le Diplômant?

Le Diplômant prepares students not only to reach advanced proficiency in French, but also to develop the skills necessary to pursue higher education studies or professional experiences in France.

Students who successfully complete all modules of the program earn ECTS (European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System) and take the exams to earn the DELF B1, B2 or DALF C1 diploma. Obtaining the DELF B2 is often a prerequisite for international students wishing to study in French institutions. Therefore, this course provides students with the opportunity to prepare for this exam and strengthen their application for higher education.

How long does the program last?

The program runs for a fixed duration of 6 months, starting in September and ending in March.

Can students take additional courses before or after the program?

Yes, students have the option to enroll in supplementary courses before or after the 24-week program.

What is the minimum entry requirement for the program?

To enter the program, students must have at least an A1.2 level of French proficiency. However, beginners are also welcome if they enroll in our French classes at least 3 weeks before the start of Le Diplômant.

What exams will students take at the end of their training?

At the end of the training, students will take the DELF or DALF exams, depending on their level of proficiency.

Beyond the 15 hours of French lessons, what else do students study in the program?

Students also study in an online course focused on French culture and current affairs, as well as monthly skills workshops that prepare students for studying or working in France. Individual academic coaching takes place throughout the program to assist in students' success.

What are the ECTS credits earned through the program? What are the requirements to earn credits?

The European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System (ECTS) is used to quantify and compare academic credits across Europe. The 30 ECTS credits earned through Le Diplômant are internationally recognized for university credit transfer. In order to receive the ECTS transcript, students must successfully complete all modules of the program with sufficient grades and attendance record.

Is there any flexibility in the program's schedule?

No, the program runs at fixed dates from September to March. It is essential for students to adhere to the designated timeline to complete the training successfully.

Will successful completion of the DELF B1, B2, or DALF C1 guarantee entry into a French university?

While these language certifications can strengthen a student's application, admission requirements for French universities may vary. The Diplômant program aims to assist students, but ultimate acceptance into a French university depends on meeting the specific university's criteria.

