



Alliance Française

Madras - India

ALLIANCE FRANÇAISE OF MADRAS

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FRENCH
COURSE

ART
&
CULTURE

LIBRARY

EXAMINATION
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SERVICE



French classes & Cultural events
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■ A TASTE OF ALLIANCE FRANÇAISE OF MADRAS, FRENCH CULTURE

A wide variety of cultural activities are organised throughout the year in the Alliance Française network in India. The rich diversity of these initiatives **supports and enriches cultural activities at Alliance Française of Madras.** This approach also helps in the dissemination of French culture and fosters local talents.

As a part of our annual celebrations, AFM organises the following events.

- **Semaine de la Francophonie** in the month of March.
- **Fête de la musique** in the month of June.
- **Fête du cinéma d'animation** in the month of October.
- **Fête de fin d'année** (Annual day celebrations and prize distribution to AFM students) in the month of December.

Every year the student who has completed at least 4 levels at AFM and has obtained the highest marks in the **DELF B2 wins a 2 week linguistic trip to France!**

MUSIC

DANCE

CINEMA

THEATRE

VISUAL ARTS

GASTRONOMY

PERFORMING ARTS



For more details, contact us at **044 2827 9803 / 1477** or write to us at **culture@af-madras.org**

■ EDOUARD MICHELIN AUDITORIUM

The Edouard Michelin Auditorium of the **Alliance Française of Madras is an air-conditioned performing space for theater, dance, workshops, and other cultural activities.**



It has a seating capacity of 160 seats (120 seats + 40-floor seating with cushions). This hall could be the right place for those who are looking for film screenings, we are equipped with a professional projector and a screen, and for theatre plays, panel discussions, and conferences, we are equipped with professional audio & lighting systems. We provide the space for rent in 2 slots, 4 hours and 8 hours, for bookings and venue partnerships contact us.

The AFM **rents its space for activities consistent with its mission and values. AFM stands above any involvement of a political or religious character and refrains from all forms of discrimination.**

Alliance Française of Madras is extending its service **by our upcoming exhibition space in our new building**, which will be suitable for visual art exhibitions, artistic discussions, etc...



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■ FRENCH COURSES BY ALLIANCE FRANÇAISE OF MADRAS

Our General French courses are open to all. Their objective being to prepare you to live and/or communicate in a French-speaking environment. Our courses are based on CEFRL.

A1	A2	BASIC	From A1 (Beginner) to C2 (Proficient), Alliance Française of Madras offers courses in different formats to match varying requirements.
B1	B2	INDEPENDENT	
C1	C2	PROFICIENT	



COMMON EUROPEAN FRAMEWORK OF REFERENCE FOR LANGUAGES

The *Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR)*, is a guideline used to describe achievements of learners of foreign languages across Europe. The 6 reference levels below are universally acknowledged as the **European standard** for grading an individual's **language proficiency**.

CHOOSE YOUR BEST COURSE



GENERAL COURSE | WEEKDAYS OR WEEKENDS

Our General French courses for adults are open to all, **starting from the age of 16**. Their objective being to prepare you to live and/or communicate in a French-speaking environment.



KIDS & TEENS COURSE

Our French for Kids and Teens courses are open to all **Kids aged 7 - 10** and **youngsters aged 11 - 15**. Whether you want your children to learn a new language or give them the opportunity to do better in school if they are already learning French there, we have the right course for them.



CORPORATE COURSE

For companies and enterprises involved in the French markets, we can offer you **customized corporate courses** to train your team, that factor in your objectives and help you to broaden your horizons.

■ CURRICULUM FOR ADULTS (16+ YRS)

CEFR	Level & Hours	Cumulation	Exam	Books	
A1	A1	120 + 20	140 HRS	Internal A1.1	Cosmopolite 1
				DELF A1	
A2	A2.1	60 + 10	210 HRS	Internal A2.1	Cosmopolite 2
	A2.2	60 + 10	280 HRS	DELF A2	
B1	B1.1	80 + 10	370 HRS	Internal B1.1	Cosmopolite 3
	B1.2	80 + 10	460 HRS	DELF B1	
B2	B2.1	100 + 10	570 HRS	Internal B2.1	Cosmopolite 4
	B2.2	100 + 10	680 HRS	DELF B2	
C1	C1.1	110 + 10	800 HRS	Internal C1.1	Cosmopolite 5
	C1.2	110 + 10	920 HRS	DALF C1	

BASIC

INDEPENDENT

PROFICIENT

Highly Professional Teachers – Mix of activities, online and offline – support of the **“My Alliance – Apolearn”** (refer page 11) platform – Group class with peers on video – Continuous evaluation of progress – Cultural activities and online Library.

The General French courses for adults is open to all, **from the age of 16 and above**. Whether you wish to get started or get better in French, you will find a course suited to your level among those we offer, from **level 1 (beginners) to level 5 (advanced)**.

To know more about our courses, timings and tariffs please consult the Course Details sheet that is updated every month.

You are welcome to our reception for inquiries !



Course info.

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■ CURRICULUM FOR TEENS (11 - 15 YRS)

CEFR	Level & Hours		Cumulation	Exam	Books
A1	Teens 1	90	90 HRS	Internal A1.1	Adomania 1
	Teens 2	90	180 HRS	DELFA1	Adomania 2
A2	Teens 3	90	270 HRS	Internal A2.1	Adomania 3
				DELFA2	
B1	Teens 4	90	360 HRS	Internal B1.1	Génération B1
	Teens 5	90	450 HRS	DELFB1	
B2	Teens 6	90	540 HRS	Internal B2.1	Génération B2
	Teens 7	90	630 HRS	DELF B2	

PACE FOR TEENS (11 - 15) & KIDS (7 - 10)

Weekends | Saturday & Sunday | 2 days a week

For young adults **aged 11 to 15**, we offer 7 levels of teens classes as per the above curriculum. We accompany your children in their learning process and train them in a syllabus that helps them to develop their competencies and to perform better at school if they are already learning French there.

We have the right course for them!

We organise **Summer camp for kids on demand**. Whether you want your children to learn a new language or give them the opportunity to do better in school if they are already learning French there, we have the right course for them.



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■ PRIVATE COURSES

You look for a solution to speed up your learning process, to address specific needs and requirements, to work on specialized language, to get a closer follow up for analyzing your strengths and weaknesses or to get a **flexible specific timing**.

Get private tuitions at the Alliance française. Our teacher will develop **tailor made course** for your need and pace.

Learn French at your convenience!



For more details, contact us at **044 287 9803 / 1477** or write to us at **coursecounsellor@af-madras.org**

■ CORPORATE COURSES

Our Corporate course are tailored made to respond to your business group class needs, adapting to your objectives and constraints.

Give your business a French Touch!



For more details, contact us at **044 287 9803 / 1477** or write to us at **corporate@af-madras.org**

COURSES
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■ EXAMINATIONS & TEST

DELFL DALF

DELFL DALF are official diplomas issued by the French Ministry of Education.

They have a lifetime validity and consist of 6 independent diploma corresponding to the 6 levels of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages.

Any candidate is free to register directly for the desired examination, with no prerequisite.

For each level, **4 skills are assessed: listening, speaking, reading and writing.**

The Alliance française of Madras also offers two other versions of the DELFL:

- **DELFL Junior**, suitable for young candidates **aged 11 to 17**

- **DELFL DALF TOUT PUBLIC**, for all

DELFL DALF – CALENDAR AND FEES

March April June July September December

LEVEL	AF STUDENTS	NON AF STUDENTS
A1 & A2	INR. 5,600/-	INR. 8,000/-
B1 & B2	INR. 6,720/-	INR. 9,600/-
C1 & C2	INR. 7,420/-	INR. 10,600/-

Fees are exclusive of GST



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e-TEF CANADA

TEF CANADA assesses the French language proficiency of people who want to immigrate to Canada. This test is officially recognised by the Department of Citizenship and Immigration of the Canadian Federal Government.

TEF Canada tests all **4 language skills: Listening, Speaking, Reading & Writing.**

For exam calendar & fees details, scan the QR code



e-TEFAQ

TEFAQ assesses the French language proficiency of people who want to immigrate to Québec. This test is officially recognised by the **Ministry of Immigration and Cultural Communities (MICC) in Québec.**

TEFAQ candidates can choose between 2 to 4 sections depending on their requirements: Listening, Speaking, Reading & Writing.

For exam calendar & fees details, scan the QR code



In order to help you to prepare yourself to e-TEF, TEF Canada, DFP B2, Alliance Française of Madras is partnering with the e-learning test preparation platform **Prepmyfuture!**

Prepmyfuture is an ONLINE platform which allows you to autonomously prepare for specific exams/tests with the following features: **Study plan, lessons & activities, tests, and analytics.**

For details, scan the QR code



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DFP - DIPLOME DE FRANÇAIS PROFESSIONNEL * DFP DIPLOME DE FRANÇAIS PROFESSIONNEL

Diplôme de français Professionel (DFP) Diploma in French for business is a certification offered by the Paris Chamber of Commerce and Industry. It assesses the candidate's oral and written communication skills in French in professional situations. We suggest you to **prepare the B2 Level in our regular course and enrol to the DFPB2.**

You are a student or a professional (administrative or company personnel), and you need to communicate with other French Speaking professionals, the French for Business Diploma will enable you:

- To differentiate yourself in the job market.
- To acquire new responsibilities.
- To develop new markets around the world.
- To strengthen your relationships with French speaking clients or partners.



■ TRANSLATION SERVICE

The Translation Cell of the Alliance Française de Madras has been offering **quality translation and interpretation services for over 3 decades** and is authorized by the French embassy in India to attest translations – the only such authorized translation body in all of Tamilnadu.

Additionally, the cell has forged strong relationships with many corporate clients in various domains including engineering, manufacturing, sales and marketing, finance, software and technology, and pedagogy.

The Cell gives equal importance to all projects it receives and the **translations are professional of high-quality and always guarded by a strict code of confidentiality.**



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■ MY ALLIANCE - ANYTIME ANYWHERE

made by Apolearn

Enrich your french course with **My Alliance**. 24x7 autonomous learning platform for our students that nurtures their linguistic competencies.

■ **CONNECTIVITY 24x7**

■ **ACCESS ON COMPUTER, SMARTPHONE, TABLET, ETC**

■ **ONLINE EXERCISES**

■ **FRANCOPHONE FRIENDS ARE JUST ONE CLICK AWAY**

Students can download the Apolearn app & login with their **"My Alliance"** id



*for mobile and tab users, fill your
"Votre email: & Mot de passe:"
in "Adresse URL": <https://afinde.apolearn.com/>

ADD FRENCH TO YOUR EDUCATIONAL GOALS AND ENSURE A GLOBAL CAREER!

Reasons to learn French language...

A language

- for **travel !**
- of **art & culture !**
- of **love and reason !**
- for **higher education !**
- of **international relations !**
- for **learning other languages !**
- for the **international job market !**



■ BECOME AN ALLIANCE FRANÇAISE OF MADRAS MEMBER!



Become a member of the Alliance Française of Madras, share the values and mission. Alliance Française has a foothold in Chennai **since 1953 and works at fostering Indo-French mutual understanding through the development of languages and cultures.** We offer a platform in Tamil Nadu to go beyond cross-cultural boundaries and to flourish relation between people of France and of India.

A non-profit Society, the Alliance Française of Madras set up in accordance with the articles of Society and the aims of the Alliance Française founded in Paris in 1883 whose continuity and observance are being carried out by the "ALLIANCE FRANÇAISE FOUNDATION" in Paris since 1st of January 2008 , holding the objective of disseminating French language in the city of Chennai and other parts of Tamil Nadu, gathering within its fold all those who wish to contribute to developing knowledge and taste for French language and culture.

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■ MULTIMEDIA LIBRARY

Welcome to the leading French library in Chennai!

Enjoy an open to all dynamic collection of items for every age, language level, and interest. A membership (free for AFM Madras Students) is required to access specific services: borrowing documents, access to internet, e-library, etc.

Our resources include a vast range of **textbooks, audiobooks, fiction, magazines, DVDs, Playstation, CD rom for self learning, TV5 MONDE channel, Videos On Demand, children's books...**

Members can view online the resources available in our library using OPAC at: **mediatheques-afinde.org**

Ours is not just another library, but a veritable cultural & intellectual melting pot, thronged by people of different nationalities, age groups, professional and intellectual orientations. Located at the heart of one of the most happening places in Chennai, the library houses a collection of **over 6,200 books on various subjects like Philosophy, Psychology, Social Sciences, Science & Technology, French Language, Translation, Music, Art, Cinema, Literature, Children's Literature etc.** A major part of the collection is in French, yet we do have a considerable number of English books as well.

CULTURETHÈQUE

To make learning more interesting monthly activities are conducted like quizzes, postcard exchanges, storytelling, board games, etc. Get the opportunities to know better the French language and culture. Interaction with French natives is organized once a month with Chennai Accueil.

Culturethèque is a Digital platform where one can have access from anywhere to French books, news papers, magazine and movies apart from the resources available in our library.

Access to Culturetheque is free for our Members.

Become a member at AFM Library, scan the QR code

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■ CHOOSE THE ALLIANCE FRANÇAISE

An institution that is recognised worldwide with **834 Alliances Françaises** (of which 14 are in India) present in 132 countries. More than **68 years of experience in the teaching of French in Chennai (since 1953)**. A modern approach to language teaching that, right from the outset, is oriented towards acquiring the ability to communicate in concrete situations.

A team of qualified faculty, regularly trained with the support of the French Embassy in India and the network of the Alliance Française institutions. **The only institution in Tamil Nadu accredited to conduct official certified French exams & tests such as DELF DALF, DFP, DELF Junior, e-TEF Canada and e-TEFAQ.** A variety of cultural activities like **films, concerts, theater plays, exhibitions, happens throughout the year.** Library membership offered with access to more than **9,000 documents: books, magazines, CDs, DVDs,** etc.

2,900+ students had faith in us in 2021. **Register now to avail our student benefits**

- ◆ My Alliance - 24x7 learning platform
- ◆ Concession on DELF DALF diploma exams
- ◆ Complimentary workshops
- ◆ Free library membership
- ◆ Free access to students activities

■ ONLINE OR VISIT US TO REGISTER

Register online or visit the Reception of the Alliance Française of Madras during working hours. One of our Counsellors will advise you on **courses best suited to your level and your preferred timings.** Fill up and sign the Registration Form.

Pay the fees fully on the date of registration. Payment can be made: in cash / by cheque drawn on a local bank / by credit card / Bank transfer.

BANK DETAILS:

A/c Name : Alliance Francaise of Madras

A/c type : Savings

Bank Name: ICICI Bank

A/c Number : 000901108959

IFSC Code : ICIC0000009

Branch : Nungambakkam Branch

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As an Indo-French Cultural Center,
the Alliance Française of Madras works to promote the cultural
relations between India and France in Tamil Nadu.

Created in 1953, it is an Indian Society affiliated to the
"Fondation Alliance Française", whose headquarters is in Paris.
The Alliance Française network is present in more than 132
countries, on the 5 continents

The Alliance Française of Madras is supported by the
Embassy of France in India.

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