



French Total Immersion Club and National French Contest

**Cultural
Snacks,
conversation &
games
*en français***

**8
Sessions
Of
Immersive style
French
exposure**

Location: World Language Classroom on 3rd floor

Dates: Wednesday, January 9th – Wednesday, February 27th

Hours: 3:15-4:00 pm

Grades: 1st – 6th

Contact: Madame Suzanne Cordon
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Registration Deadline: Monday, January 7, 2019!

**Oral
language
development
with a focus on
vocabulary
building**

**Great activities
to help
get your child
speaking in
French!**

Wednesday, Feb 20

French Contest

French Total Immersion Club and National French Contest 2019

Meadowbrook School is offering an immersion style French club with Madame Suzanne Cordón. Students in grades first through sixth are eligible. The children will be fully exposed to the French language and immersed in the culture as they enjoy French snacks and engage in authentic listening activities and games based on real-world situations in the language. The club will prepare the students for the National French Contest and will be as educational as it will be fun!

Important details:

-DATES: Wednesday, January 9th – Wednesday, February 27th

-TIME: 3:15 pm – 4:00 pm

Please pick your child up at 4:00 pm in the lobby promptly. After-school care is available after 4:00 pm for an additional fee.

Combined French Club & National French Contest participation FEE: \$85.00 per child. This fee includes eight sessions of French Immersion Club, contest preparation materials, prizes, a theme-related cultural snack each afternoon, and participation in the National French Contest. Please make checks payable to Meadowbrook School.

-REGISTRATION: All participants must complete the registration form below and include the entire required fee.

-DEADLINE: Registration forms and full payment must be submitted by **Monday, January 7th, 2019** in order to make the deadline for the National French Contest registration. There is a limit and registration will be on a first-come, first-served basis. Please do not hesitate to call or e-mail if you have any questions.

REGISTRATION FOR French Total Immersion Club and National French Contest 2019

Student's Name _____ Grade _____

Fee Enclosed _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Food Allergies/necessities _____

National French Contest Details 2019

Meadowbrook is offering all first through sixth grade Meadowbrook students the opportunity to participate in the National French Contest again!

The contest will be held on **Wednesday, February 20th** at The Meadowbrook School from **3:15 pm – 4:30 pm.**

This is the only day of French Club that will go until 4:30 pm.

Each year public and private schools in Pennsylvania, and around the country participate in this annual *Grand Concours* sponsored by the AATF, American Association of Teachers of French.

A first through sixth grade student, who chooses to participate in this year's *Grand Concours*, will complete the listening part of the contest on this day.

It is a fun and optional extra-curricular experience, and there is no failure nor are there negative consequences to the contest. Participation does not affect your child's grade at Meadowbrook.

The French club is designed to prepare your child for the contest. Prior to the contest, the students will become very familiar with the format and expectations of the contest. Meadowbrook has been very successful in the past and we have had students in various grades rank as high as in the 95th percentile nationally and have received bronze, silver and even gold medals.

Students who achieve a high score on the listening part of the contest are invited to participate in an oral interview which is also conducted at Meadowbrook School.

There is a *Distribution des prix*, award ceremony at Chestnut Hill College in May that all contest participants are welcome to attend to recognize the high achievers, to celebrate the contest and the French Language.

I encourage any interested students to experience this immersion style club and contest. It is but the first of many similar competitions that students will face in their future study of foreign language. The experience alone of participating has merit.

I appreciate your prompt return of the registration form and payment, by **Thursday, December 18th** in order to reserve your child's spot in the French Club and 2019 National French Contest.

Feel free to e-mail me with any questions, scordon@themeadowbrookschool.org

Sincerely,
Suzanne Cordón