

PARENT A GLANCE

Find out what your child is **learning** and how to **help**.

Subject	French 7th Grade	French 8th Grade			
Ideas students are learning	Students will discuss the Francophone world and understand the conventions of greeting and leave-taking.	Students will form and use certain verbs, understand how to obtain information, to order food, and make plans.			
Skills	Students will use nouns, verbs, adjectives, and pronouns, and use classroom vocabulary and learned phrases.	Students will ask questions, give a tour of the school, order a meal, discuss likes/dislikes, and extend and respond to invitations.			
Work and assignments look for	Students will construct and present a conversation using targeted vocabulary, and create an original alphabet song.	Students will create a collage of likes and dislikes, an ideal school schedule, a comic strip, and a 5- day weather forecast.			
Questions Parents can ask	Where is French spoken? What is formal speech? How does a French-speaker greet and take leave of others?	How does a French-speaker obtain information, express likes and dislikes, and issue or decline an invitation?			
Special Notes	Encourage students to create flashcards of vocabulary and to practice with the cards 10 minutes daily.	Encourage students to maintain accumulative verb conjugation charts and to practice vocabulary daily.			