



SIR ARTHUR LEWIS COMMUNITY COLLEGE
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END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE : FRE116
COURSE TITLE : Functional French I
LECTURER(S) : C. Bernard / L.Lubin / A. Larichere-Pascal
DATE : April 28, 2025
TIME : 9 a.m.
DURATION : 1HOUR
STUDENT ID # : _____

GENERAL INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS

- Students must sign **IN** and **OUT** on the examination class list.
- Write your ID number on the question paper.
- This exam has two sections.
 - Section A : Reading Comprehension
 - Section B : Writing
- Answer all the questions on the exam paper.
- Read instructions carefully before answering the questions.
- The use of a dictionary or translator is NOT permitted.

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Section A
Compréhension écrite

EXERCISE 1

(10 marks)

Read the passage below and answer the questions that follow by ticking the correct answer(s) or providing a short answer in the space provided.

MON QUARTIER

Moi, je suis Léo. J’habite en Crète, à Héraklion dans un quartier situé pas loin du centre ville qui s’appelle Mastabas. Il n’y a pas de grandes avenues mais il y a quand même beaucoup de bruit parce qu’il y a de la circulation.

Heureusement ma rue est une rue piétonne très calme. A Mastabas, la plupart des bâtiments sont de grands immeubles en béton. Mais il reste encore quelques maisons traditionnelles.

Pour moi, Mastabas est un quartier agréable à vivre. Il y a beaucoup de magasins et des services près de chez moi. Par exemple, au coin de ma rue, il y a un supermarché. A côté du supermarché, une banque et en face une boulangerie et une boucherie. Derrière la boucherie, il y a aussi une pharmacie et une auto-école.

Je connais tous mes voisins de mon âge. Ils sont très sympathiques. Nous allons tous à la même école et quand nous avons du temps, nous jouons ensemble sur la place.

1. Where does Léo live?

- ☐ A. In Athens
- ☐ B. In Crete
- ☐ C. In Paris
- ☐ D. In Heraklion

(2 marks)

2. What is the name of Léo’s neighborhood?

- ☐ A. Crète
- ☐ B. Avenue de Paris
- ☐ C. Héraklion
- ☐ D. Mastabas

(1 mark)

3. Which of the following places are mentioned as being part of the neighborhood?

- ☐ A. a library
- ☐ B. a butchershop
- ☐ C. a museum
- ☐ D. a bakery

(2 marks)

4. Where is the bank located?

- ☐ A. behind the supermarket
- ☐ B. in front of the supermarket
- ☐ C. next to the supermarket
- ☐ D. far from the supermarket

(1 mark)

5. TRUE or FALSE?

The children in the neighborhood go to different schools. ☐ TRUE ☐ FALSE

(1 mark)

6. TRUE or FALSE?
Léo lives in a quiet area.

☐ TRUE☐ FALSE

(1 mark)
7. TRUE or FALSE?
There is a supermarket round the corner from Léo.

☐ TRUE☐ FALSE

(1 mark)
8. What do children do on the public square?

(1 mark)

EXERCISE 2

(6 marks)

Read the email below and answer the questions that follow. Tick the correct answer(s).

Nouveau message

De: camille123@email.com
À: thomas456@email.com
Objet: Ciné ?

Bonjour,

Comme prévu on va au cinéma ce soir ?
Je t'attends devant le café des Trois Amis. En sortant du bus tu traverses le pont, tu tournes dans la deuxième rue à gauche et tu fais vingt mètres.
Le café est en face de l'église. Je t'attends vers 20h00.

À bientôt !

Camille

1. What type of message is this ?

☐ A. A request for information
☐ B. An invitation
☐ C. An advertisement

(1 mark)
2. What does Camille ask Thomas?

☐ A. To go out for dinner
☐ B. To come to a party
☐ C. To join her breakfast
☐ D. To go to the movies

(1 mark)
3. When is the event going to take place?

☐ A. Next Friday
☐ B. Tonight
☐ C. Next month
☐ D. Tomorrow

(1 mark)

4. What time is the event? (1 mark)

- ☐ A. 2 pm
- ☐ B. 4 pm
- ☐ C. 6 pm
- ☐ D. 8 pm

5. You are taking note of the directions given in this message. Complete the sentences by choosing the words from the list below. (2 marks)

<i>turn right</i>	<i>school</i>	<i>river</i>	<i>church</i>
<i>in front of</i>	<i>bridge</i>	<i>street</i>	<i>go straight</i>
<i>cinema</i>	<i>next to</i>	<i>inside</i>	<i>turn left</i>

- a. Get off the bus and cross the
- b. into the second street and walk twenty metres
- c. The coffee shop is opposite the
- d. Camille will be waiting the coffee shop.

TOTAL SECTION A: ____ /16 marks

WEIGHTING: ____ /10%

Section B
Production écrite

(15 marks)

You are an international student in Paris, and your school is organizing a health awareness week. As part of the event, you have been invited to give a short presentation to your classmates about your daily eating habits and how you maintain a balanced diet.

In a short speech of 60 to 80 words, describe your eating habits in **French**.

You must include:

- Greeting and closing expressions
- The name of the three main meals
- What you eat and drink for a typical breakfast, lunch, dinner and snacks
- What you eat and drink to stay healthy

[illegible]

TOTAL SECTION B: ___/15 marks
WEIGHTING: ___/10%