



Dear Parents and Guardians of FSL students,

Registration is now open for the Diplôme d'études en langue française (DELFDALF). The DELFDALF is an official certification given by France's National Ministry of Education to non-native French speakers after completing a set of proficiency tests. It is valid for life and is recognized anywhere in the world. Prairie Rose, in partnership with the Southern Alberta French Language Resource Centre, offer the opportunity for our students to take the DELFDALF at A1, A2, B1 and B2 levels respectively.

### **DELFDALF Exam Schedule - Fall 2025**

#### **Written exams (10:00 a.m., Crescent Heights High School):**

- **B2: Monday, November 17, 2025**
- **B1: Tuesday, November 18, 2025**

#### **Oral exams:**

- **Saturday, November 22, 2025 and Saturday, November 29, 2025**  
*Exact oral times will be shared closer to the exam dates.*

If you have a preferred **oral exam date**, please contact **Emma Piayda** at [epiayda@mhc.ab.ca](mailto:epiayda@mhc.ab.ca) as soon as possible. We will do our best to accommodate requests.

#### **Registration deadline: Friday, October 17, 2025.**

This is a **hard deadline** - late registrations cannot be accepted.

Please register **only if your student is available for both the written and oral components.**

If you would like your student to participate in this exam, please complete the following Google Form:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSec6VzmFUtzTJzz1xsKtasXuwIFC3aSnEdb3rmiZEXPRjurKA/viewform?usp=sharing>

When you register, please choose B1 (grade 10) or B2 (grade 12) as the level. The application requests personal information, such as the student's nationality, because it is included on the Diploma from the Ministry of Education in France. If your student's first language is English, please choose "Anglais" which is the French word for English. The full cost of the exam is \$250 per student; however, all fees are being covered by the Southern Alberta French Language Resource Centre (SAFLRC) so there is no cost to students.

#### **Why complete the DELFDALF? A DELFDALF diploma offers:**

1. International recognition of French proficiency:
  - Lifelong certification, whether obtained in the candidate's country or another country.
  - Based on the same international standard used in 164 countries (CEFR).

- Facilitates interprovincial dialogue across Canada.
2. A testimonial to one's success in learning French:
    - Recognition of the candidate's accomplishments to date on the path to French proficiency.
    - Is an official document, recognized internationally, that enriches the candidate's school or professional portfolio.
  3. Advantages for postsecondary education:
    - Recognized internationally by francophone postsecondary institutions, including a growing number in Canada.
    - Acceptance into a university in France (B2 or higher level).
  4. Enhances one's resume:
    - A description in meaningful terms what the candidate is capable of in French.
    - An aid for professional advancement.
    - Helps to open doors to a wide range of career and recreational opportunities throughout Canada and around the world. If you have any further questions, please contact your teacher or me at the below email address.

Results and certificates will be sent to your child's teacher who will then send them home.

If you have any further questions, please ask your teacher or contact me at the email address below.

Thank you,

Emma Piayda,

French Facilitator, South-Eastern Alberta

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