

**Graduate study program: French Language & Literature - Education (double major)**

**Duration of study:** 4 semesters.

**Admission requirements:** Completion of the three-year French Language & Literature program.

**Competencies acquired upon finishing the program:** The first three semesters are dedicated to acquiring specific competencies and skills required of French teachers in various educational institutions. Students acquire theoretical and practical knowledge in: psycholinguistics, second & third language acquisition, classroom discourse analysis, foreign language teaching, teaching French as a foreign language, research methodology, and French language, linguistics, and literature. Students acquire additional pedagogical competencies (pedagogical-psychological and didactic-methodical education) through joint modules for all teaching programs, sharpen their social skills, and create an understanding that language acquisition is a lifelong process. All the acquired competencies, together with professional practice in educational institutions, serve students as the basis for their professional development. Furthermore, students gain the basic knowledge necessary for scientific research in the fields of philology, as well as the knowledge and skills that allow them to work in sectors other than education--such as tourism or publishing. The program is based on obligatory courses that have a corresponding number of ECTS points. There are also an array of elective courses which enable students to acquire more specialized knowledge that will be beneficial to their specific career path.

During the fourth semester, they will choose a topic for their graduation thesis, with the assistance of their mentor. They are then required to present and defend their graduation thesis to university faculty. The competencies and skills acquired during this study will enable graduates to work at positions that require fluent French communication, particularly teaching French as a foreign language.

**Professional title acquired upon finishing the study program:** Master of French Language & Literature - Education

**Course list by semester:**

Course unit code	1 <sup>st</sup> SEMESTER	Status (M / E)	Hours per week			ECTS
			L	S	E	
FRN 424	French Language VII	M	0	0	30	2.0
FRN 430	Foreign Language Teaching	M	15	30	0	3.0
FRN 420	Teaching Literature in French as a Foreign Language Classroom	M	15	15	0	3.0
FRN 422	French Medieval Literature	E	15	15	0	2.0

FRN 429	An Introduction to the Second Language Research Methodology	E	15	15	0	2.0
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> SEMESTER</b>						
FRN 525	Second Language Acquisition	M	30	0	0	3.0
FRN 425	French Language VIII	M	0	0	30	2.0
FRN 501	French as a Foreign Language Teaching Methodology	M	30	15	0	3.0
FRN 428	History of the French Language	E	15	15	0	2.0
FRP 421	French Toponymy & Anthroponymy	E	15	15	0	2.0
FRN 410	Theater Workshop	E	0	0	60	2.0
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> SEMESTER</b>						
FRN 523	Teaching Practice I	M	0	0	45	3.0
FRN 515	Theater & Film in the Classroom	M	15	15	0	3.0
FRN 514	French Language IX	M	0	0	30	2.0
FRN 427	Foreign Language Classroom Discourse	M	15	15	0	3.0
FRN 518	French Poetry of the 20 <sup>th</sup> Century	E	15	15	0	2.0
FRN 516	Lexicology & Lexicography	E	15	15	0	2.0
<b>4<sup>th</sup> SEMESTER</b>						
FRN 522	Graduation Thesis	M	0	0	0	12.0
FRN 524	Teaching Practice II	M	0	0	30	2.0
FRN 410	Theatre Workshop	E	0	0	60	2.0

M = mandatory course

E = elective course

L = lectures

S = seminars

E = exercises