

2018-2019



CIDEF

Centre International
d'Études Françaises



UNIVERSITÉ CATHOLIQUE DE L'OUEST | FRANCE

LEARN FRENCH in Angers, in the Loire valley

Academic year | Summer courses | A la carte courses | Teacher training





Students on campus

CIDEF

Created in 1947, CIDEF is the center of French as a foreign language of the Université catholique de l'ouest (UCO), in Angers, France. It is part of the faculty of humanities. With the label qualité FLE, CIDEF courses welcome more than 1200 students and teachers per year, from all around the world. They all study on a campus situated in the city center of Angers, ten minutes away from the train station.

31 permanent teachers

28 specialty teachers

4 administrative assistants

1 200 students

60 nationalities

156 partner universities

UNIVERSITÉ CATHOLIQUE DE L'OUEST

Founded in 1875, the Université catholique de l'ouest is one of the oldest universities in western France and one of the important actors in higher education and research today.

As a multidisciplinary university with a worldview, it offers more than a hundred programs in 6 faculties:

- Education
- Humanities
- Sciences
- Human and social sciences
- Theology and religious sciences
- Law, economy and management

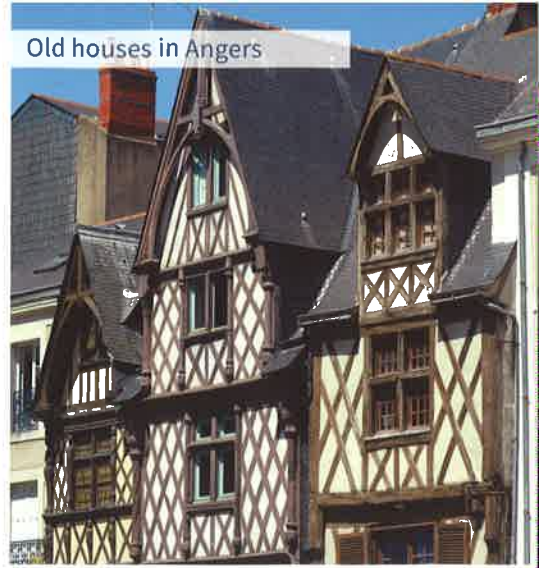


ANGERS

Typical French city

Quality of life and cultural heritage

Located in the Loire valley, a UNESCO world heritage site, Angers is a city of 160 000 residents famous for its quality of life. Capital of the old Anjou province, the 16th largest town in France, Angers is a young and dynamic city (33 000 students). It offers a variety of cultural and touristic activities in an environment which includes many green spaces, a great transportation network and numerous bicycle paths.



TESTIMONY

Mariama TOURÉ, Guinean student



"Angers is a middle-sized town where everything is nearby. It's calm and pleasant to live in. There is no stress or delinquency. This is a student town with a lot of parks like the Jardin des Plantes. It's great to rest and breathe there when you are a student. I love sport and there is much to do here in Angers!"

CIDEF made it easy for me to study French and to find the confidence to talk with local people. At CIDEF, I discover new things every day and I learn a lot. It's a great experience."

TESTIMONY

Daiki ISE, Japanese student

"Life in Angers was wonderful. People are very nice and kind. I went out with international friends I met at CIDEF. We went to bars, we organized picnics near the river. We had great moments together. At CIDEF, the classes are very varied, the teachers are very nice: it's the ideal place to learn French. The BEC offers plenty of options to meet French people and the university events are very numerous. Personally, I played football with the university team and that was great!"



Museum of Fine Arts



Castle of Angers



SUMMER 2018

NEW
«Culture and heritage»

- ➔ 1 to 4 weeks per program (20 hours per week)
- ➔ 80h intensive course (July and August) and 90 hours in September
- ➔ 20 students per group
- ➔ Cultural activities and excursions in Western France



The Maine river

TUITION FEES

- ➔ July or August 1390 € (+30 € registration fees)
- ➔ September : 1555 € (+30 € registration fees)
- ➔ 1 week : 350 €

DISCOUNTS

- ➔ A 5% discount is granted to students who have attended the preceding session in its entirety.

Buy your learning equipment (books...) at CIDEF (around 40 € per session).
The 350€ deposit and the registration fees are non-refundable.
All courses started are due.



The streetcar of Angers

DATES

- ➔ Arrival service at the station from 10.30 am to 7.00 pm.

2018	Arrival at the station. Welcoming staff from 10.30 am to 7.00 pm	Placement test (9.30 am)	Start of classes	End of classes	Departure dates
July	Monday 2	Tuesday 3	Wednesday 4	Friday 27	Saturday 28
August	Monday 6	Tuesday 7	Wednesday 8	Friday 31	Saturday September 1
September	Monday 3	Tuesday 5	Wednesday 5	Friday 28	Saturday 29



The Cathedral

un dauphin une grenouille
 un crabe une chouette
 un ours u. ieuvre
 un requin u. porilla
 un zèbre





ACADEMIC YEAR 2018-2019

- ➔ Placement test
- ➔ Levels A1 to C2
- ➔ 21 contact hours per week
- ➔ University diploma (DU) for a one-year program or French language and culture certificate for shorter courses

COURSES

		Language class	Research project	Oral expression	Oral comprehension	Phonetics	Writing skills	Grammar	Theatrical Expression	English-French translation	French for fashion business***	Business French***	Socioeconomic studies***	French for tourism***	French for academic purposes	Cultures and discovery	Sociocultural studies	French history	Art history	History of music	Philosophy	French politics	European politics	Literature 19e c.	Literature 20e c.	Theology
		Language	Language courses							French for specific purposes*					Cultural courses*											
A1	Beginner	12		3	3	3																				
A2	Elementary	9		3	3	3	3	3																		
B1	Intermediate 1	9		3	3	3	3	3								3P	3P	3P	3P							
	Intermediate 2	6		3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3P								3A	3P		
B2	Upper-Intermediate	6		3	3		3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3P									3A	3P	3A	3P
C1	Advanced	6	1																							
C2																										

■ Compulsory classes
■ Choice of courses (from 2 to 5 choices according to level)
 *** These options also prepare for CCI certifications

TUITION FEES

- ➔ One year : 5413 € (+100 € registration fees)
- ➔ One semester : 3095 € (+60 € registration fees)
- ➔ One trimester : 2565 € (+60 € registration fees)
- ➔ One week : 257 €

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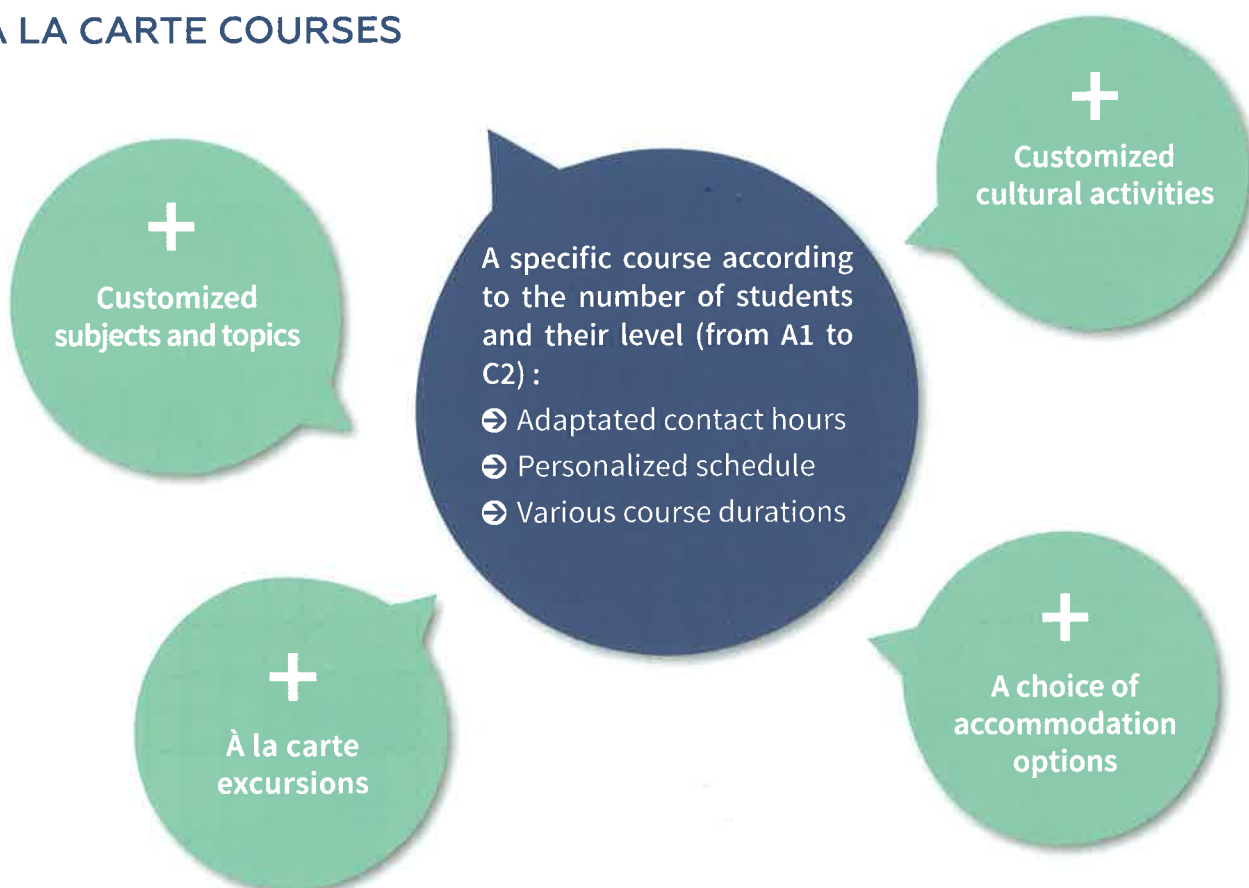
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2018					
2019					
Fall semester	Tuesday 2 October	Wednesday 3 October	Monday 8 October	Friday 21 December	Saturday 2 February
Spring semester	Tuesday 5 February	Wednesday 6 February	Monday 11 February		Saturday 8 June



A LA CARTE COURSES



+ CERTIFICATION

CIDEF is exam center for:

- **TCF ANF** (Test de connaissance du français pour l'accès à la nationalité française)
- **TCF TP** (Test de connaissance du français tout public)
- **Diplôme Français de la mode** (A2), **Diplôme Français Professionnel Tourisme et Hôtellerie** (B1) and **Diplôme de Français des Affaires** (B1, B2, C1), organised by the Paris Chamber of Commerce and Industry

Students can also register for the exams of DELF and DALF at CIDEF.

To prepare the DELF and DALF exams, CIDEF offers evening classes.

EXAM SESSIONS	MONTH
DELF-DALF	January and May
DFP Mode, DFP Tourisme et Hôtellerie, DFP Français des affaires	January and May
TCF TP	December and April
TCF ANF	Every third Thursday of each month (except for April, July and August)

TEACHERS TRAINING

YOU ARE A TEACHER OF FRENCH AS A FOREIGN LANGUAGE (FLE), PLEASE PICK BELOW THE OPTION THAT SUITS YOU BEST !

NEW !
Prepare and pass a university degree in « Outils et pratiques pédagogiques FLE » (pedagogical tools and practices for French as a foreign language)

1 - Come to CIDEF

2 - Study from home

3 - Contact us

- 1 Improve your knowledge and skills in French language and culture (academic year or summer program).
- 2 Do a pedagogical teacher training through online modules. These modules have been created in collaboration with our publishing partner "Editions DIDIER". If you pass 7 and more modules, you will earn a university degree in pedagogical tools and practices for French as a foreign language (some professional training or an internship may be necessary).
- 3 Ask for one of our teacher trainers to come to your institution for a training session.

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Français Langue Étrangère



TESTIMONY

Emily HOEPPNER, American student

« Angers. At one point it was a foreign city, but now I feel as if I am at home. I have a French house with a French family and thanks to CIDEF I also have friends that come from all over the world. CIDEF gave me the opportunity to not only learn the French language and culture, but also to discover many other cultures.

When I return to the United States, I know that my life is going to change because I am returning with more experience and more knowledge of the exterior world. France helped me to decide what I want to do after I finish my studies. For this, and all the other treasures that I found in Angers and at CIDEF, I must thank all who were a part of this experience, the best experience of my life. »





HOUSING AND CATERING

SUMMER 2018 - HOMESTAY

➤ HOMESTAY

DESCRIPTION	PERIOD	PRICE
Homestay + 3 meals per day on campus [July and August]	One month	1 152 €
	One week	315 €
Homestay + lunch on campus July, August and September]	One month	769 €
	One week	219 €
Homestay with all breakfasts and dinners + lunch on campus [July, August and September]	One month	1 069 €
	One week	294 €

➤ IN PRIVATELY-OWNED STUDENT RESIDENCES

DESCRIPTION	PERIOD	PRICE
Room + 3 meals per day on campus [July and August]	One month	1 320 €
	One week	357 €
Room + lunch on campus [July and August]	One month	981 €
	One week	272 €
For September : contact us. It depends on availabilities		

Included:

- Weekend lunches and dinners (from the arrival evening to the lunch on departure day)
- A housing insurance with civil liability

Not included:

- Weekend breakfasts (on campus)
- Lunch for the participants of the excursions (bring a picnic)

➤ **For Board only or self-catering options in individual rooms or apartments: please contact us.**

ACADEMIC YEAR – HOMESTAY – 2018-2019

➤ HOMESTAY

DESCRIPTION	PERIOD	PRICE
Homestay + with access to the kitchen	One trimester	1 131 €
	Fall semester	1 488 €
	Spring semester	1 577 €
Homestay + with all breakfasts + 3 dinners per week + access to the kitchen	One trimester	1 692 €
	Fall semester	2 236 €
	Spring semester	2 372 €

Housing insurance with civil liability already included in the price

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Pour tout logement chez l'habitant :

- Signature of Housing Charter.
- A security deposit must be paid (one month's rent without meals).
- Non refundable mandatory housing deposit (350 €).
- Mandatory housing insurance subscribed in France.





ACTIVITIES AND EXCURSIONS

EXCURSIONS

⇒ Day trips or half day trips: 70 €

⇒ Package of 5 visits: 340 €

(Lunch is not included: the participants must bring a picnic – no catering on site).

VISITS AND CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

⇒ Half-day visits and activities

⇒ To be reserved at CIDEF: Minimum 15 persons.



Chenonceau castle



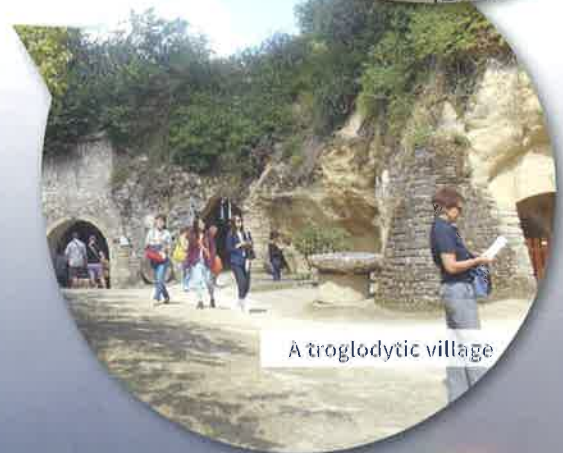
Cooking class



Traditional boat trip



American cemetery in Normandy



A troglodytic village





LES + UNIVERSITAIRES

- ➔ **Library** (culture, exhibitions and work in a calm environment)
- ➔ **Cultural service** (music, theatre, concerts, debates, conferences...)
- ➔ **Welfare service** (a nurse and several health professional available..)
- ➔ **Housing service**
- ➔ **Printing service** (copy, print)
- ➔ **Campus ministry** (a place to discuss religious culture, spirituality and life)
- ➔ **2 cafeterias**

LES + CIDEF

- ➔ **The Bureau des échanges culturels [BEC]**
It offers cultural and sport activities, meeting French people and students as well as getting in touch with people from Angers who want to make students discover their way of life and culture.



CIDEF Student in the library

TESTIMONY

Lucas LAVERE PROPER, American student

"I rediscovered myself during the 4 months I spent in Angers, in France and in Europe. Thanks to CIDEF and BEC, I had plenty of opportunities to meet French people, to explore this wonderful country and to better understand the language. I had the opportunity to taste a lot of different typical dishes and to discover more than a thousand impressive buildings and monuments. Actually the people offered me my best memories.

Before arriving, I had simple wishes: I wanted to improve my French but in fact I'll come back home with new friends and with unforgettable memories.

Don't be shy! Speak with French people! Go and meet French high school kids to share your language and culture with them and to discover their point of view! Travel in unknown cities, to Paris and in Europe if you are lucky, one or two counties in Europe if you can. Don't forget to discover the other cultures! This is also one of CIDEF's goals."





REGISTRATION AND CONDITIONS

REGISTRATION

➔ ON THE CIDEF WEBSITE

On-line registration www.uco.fr/cidef-inscription

➔ WITH THE REGISTRATION FORM (SEE BELOW)

- 1- Fill in, sign and send the registration form (form to be signed by the parent if the student is under age).
- 2- Attach an "end of secondary study certificate" or a document proving your registration in your home university.
- 3- Pay a 350€ deposit and the application fees per registered session. The deposit will be deducted from the tuition fees*.
- 4- Pay a 350€ deposit if you book accommodation through CIDEF. The deposit will be deducted from the housing fees.
- 5- Attach a photocopy of your passport.

When we receive your documents, an official certificate or pre-registration will be sent.

* *Payment by using an international money order, bank check on a French bank or bank transfer.
Note: the bank fees are to be paid by the student.*

VISA

The administrative formalities necessary to enter France must be carried out by the student. Upon arrival at CIDEF, if you have a 4-month visa or more, the OFII procedure is mandatory.

CONDITIONS

Our courses are open to students from all nationalities ending their high-school studies. It is possible to arrive any time during the program (except for beginners who must arrive at the beginning of each session). Short programs (from one to several weeks) are possible during the regular CIDEF courses.

All courses started are due .

Cancellation fees : the application fees and the deposits (350€ for tuition and 350€ for housing) are non refundable in case of cancellation.

INSURANCE

There is a mandatory subscription to a French social security system (about 217€/ year) for a more than 3-month stay for all students who are under the age of 28 (free for people under 20). A birth certificate translated into French by a certified translator will be asked upon arrival for the one-year long programs and more.

Additional medical insurance and repatriation insurance are highly recommended.

Liability (civil responsibility) insurance and comprehensive housing insurance subscribed to in France are mandatory.

REGISTRATION FORM (please fill in clearly using capital letters)

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BP 10808 – 49008 ANGERS cedex 01 – France / Tél. 33(0)2 41 81 66 30

NAME.....

FIRSTNAME DATE OF BIRTH /.... / 19.... IN (city).....

NATIONALITY NATIVE LANGUAGE.....

SEX: F M

YOUR ADDRESS IN YOUR COUNTRY

CITY

COUNTRY TEL. (...) E-MAIL@.....

STUDIES IN YOUR COUNTRY

YOUR HOME UNIVERSITY

HAVE YOU ALREADY COME TO CIDEF? YES NO WHEN : COURSE N° :

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I REGISTER FOR THE SUMMER 2018

July 2018
August 2018
September 2018

I register for the academic period/...../ 20..... au/...../ 20.....

HOUSING

I have already found accommodation by myself
My address in Angers is

I will look for accommodation by myself

Please ask UCO housing service to provide me with accommodation
for the duration of my course (350 € deposit).

Academic year : homestay

Room + access to the kitchen
Room and all breakfast and 3 dinners per week + access to the kitchen

Summer : homestay

Homestay + 3 meals per day on campus (except September)
Homestay + lunches on campus
Homestay and half board + lunches on campus

Summer in privately-owned student residences in July and August
(September: please contact us).

I REGISTER FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2018 / 2019

Trimester (October to December)
Fall semester
Spring semester
The academic year (October to June)

PAYMENT

A 350€ deposit for tuition fees and for housing are to be paid for each registration period. I enclose one or two deposits + the application fees, which is the sum of..... € (international money order, a check in euros made out to the UCO-CIDEF, payable into a French bank, or wire transfer if you ask for our bank details by email). This sum is non-refundable.

The deposit(s) will be deducted from the tuition and housing fees (if applicable). The balance (tuition fees and housing fees) will be paid upon arrival at CIDEF. Any course, once started is due in full.

On receipt of this registration form, the deposit fees, the application fees and the required documents, we will send you an official certificate of pre-registration.

Date :/...../ 20.....

Signature of the student
(or parent if the student is underage).