

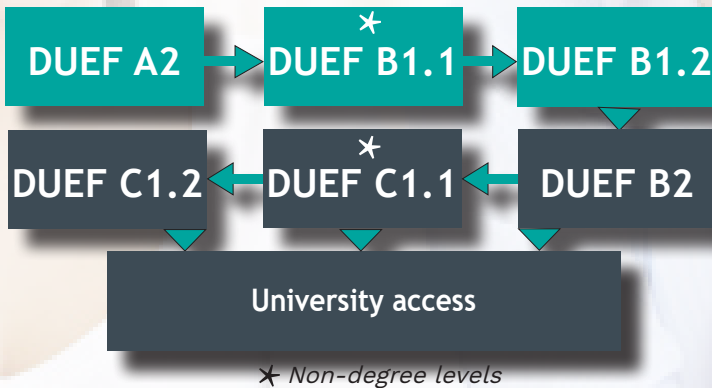
University Diploma of French Studies (DUEF)

Objectives:

The DUEF is a diploma recognized by the University of Tours and 25 other French universities. It validates a level A2, B1, B2 and C1 on the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages. The DUEF B2 or C1 allows international students who would like to pursue university studies in Tours to enroll in Bachelor's and Master's degrees after their language training.

Admission terms:

- Open to individual and exchange students (partner universities)
- High school diploma and qualification for university admission
- Minimum French level: full A1



Each DUEF level is a one-semester course:

- 12 weeks
- 240 hours (20h per week)

The courses focus on:

- Oral and written French
- Cultural knowledge
- French for university studies (level B2 & C1)

Calendar

- 2 enrollment periods: September and January
- End of classes: mid-January and end of May

School Fees

- 1 semester: 1400€ (exchange students) / 1600€ (individual students)
- 2 semesters: 2800€ (exchange students) / 2850€ (individual students)

The DUEF B2 and C1 offer two options:

-**Option 'University studies'**: this option prepares the student for university studies and is dedicated to students who have a project to enroll in university studies in Tours. Students have the opportunity to choose faculty courses according to their project.

-**Option 'French Culture'**: this option welcomes students who do not intend to enroll at the university and emphasizes French and Francophone cultures.

Teaching program (DUEF B2 & C1):

TEACHING UNITS	COURSES	HOURS	
		By semester	By week
MAIN COURSES			
WRITTEN FRENCH	Reading	36h	3h
	Writing	60h	5h
ORAL FRENCH	Listening	36h	3h
	Speaking	36h	3h
CULTURE	French Culture	24h	2h
OPTION UNIVERSITY STUDIES			
UNIVERSITY ACCESS	French for university studies	36h	3h
	University experience: faculty course	18 to 36h	1,5 to 3h
OPTION CULTURE AND SOCIETY			
CULTURAL STUDIES*	2 choices between: - Creative writing - History - Tours & Touraine - Introduction to literature - News and media - Culture and Francophonie	2x24h	2x2h
* may vary from semester to semester according to enrollment and needs.			
		240h	20h

Validation of diplomas DUEF B2 and DUEF C1 option 'University Studies' allow students to apply in a department of the University of Tours, subject to fulfilling the admission conditions imposed by the degree of their choice.

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