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A resource for parents to access French language materials to support students registered in Core French and French Immersion. School divisions and CEFR Language levels are available as an age and language ability reference [Ministry of Ontario Learn-at-home](#)
Primary (K–3) Junior (4–6) Intermediate (7–8) Secondary (9–12)



Online reading platforms	Description	Access
 <p>https://boukili.ca/fr</p>	<p>Primary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> An online platform of illustrated books with both text and read aloud features. 	<p>Students login with their classroom code</p>
 <p>http://ebookkids.com/</p>	<p>Primary-Junior</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> An online platform of illustrated books. The collection offers both text and audio books 	<p>No log-in required</p>
 <p>http://www.universalis-edu.com/</p>  <p>https://junior.universalis-edu.com/</p>	<p>Junior-Intermediate-Secondary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Online Encyclopedias directed to Junior and Older learners Great for all language levels (A1-B2) and all grades (4-12) 	<p>Accessible through the VLE for OCDSB students and directly online.</p>
Audio Books & Podcasts	Description	Access
 <p>https://ici.radio-canada.ca/premiere/enfants-et-famille</p>	<p>Primary-Junior-Intermediate-Secondary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Collection of audio short stories and novels Great for all language levels (A1-B2) and all grades (1-12) 	<p>No log-in required</p>

 <p>https://ici.radio-canada.ca/ohdio/balados</p>	<p>Secondary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collection of Podcasts on a variety of themes, • Great for language levels A2-B2 and all grades 7-12 	<p>No log-in required</p>
 <p>Espace Jeune: https://jeunes.banq.qc.ca/pj/ecouter/raconte/</p>	<p>Primary-Junior-Intermediate-Secondary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collection of audio short stories and novels • Great for all language levels (A1-B2) and all grades (1-12) 	<p>No log-in required</p>
<p>Online Magazines</p>	<p>Description</p>	<p>Access</p>
 <p>https://numerico.cforp.ca/magazines/MiniMag</p>	<p>Primary CEFR levels A1–A2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An online magazine geared to young learners • Articles on nature, science, technology, social studies • Recipes, crafts, games • Comic strips 	<p>No log-in required</p>
 <p>https://ici.radio-canada.ca/ohdio/balados</p>	<p>Junior-Intermediate CEFR levels A2–B1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An online magazine geared to Junior learners • Articles about animals, nature, the environment, technology etc. • Recipes, crafts, games • Comic strips 	<p>No log-in required</p>
 <p>https://numerico.cforp.ca/magazines/Quad9</p>	<p>Intermediate CEFR levels A2–B2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An online magazine geared to older French learners 	<p>No log-in required</p>
 <p>https://actujour.fr</p>	<p>Intermediate-Secondary CEFR levels A2–B2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A collection of articles • Each text which can be adjusted to language level of choice 	<p>No log-in required</p>

 <p>https://lesexplos.com/</p>	<p>Primary-Junior CEFR levels A1–A2 An online magazine. Each issue includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Illustrated reports about animals, nature, the environment, technology etc. • A recipe or craft • Pages of games • Three comic strips: Hugo et Marjo, Mini-Jean et Lapibot. 	<p>No log-in required</p>
 <p>https://www.lesdebrouillards.com/</p>	<p>Junior-Intermediate CEFR levels A2–B1 An online magazine. Each issue includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Illustrated reports about animals, nature, the environment, technology etc. • Illustrated reports about ecology, sciences etc. • Collectible informative charts • Comics and games • Interactive chronicles 	<p>No log-in required</p>
 <p>CURIUM LE MAGAZINE SCIENCE, TECHNO ET SOCIÉTÉ https://curiummag.com/</p>	<p>Secondary CEFR levels B1–B2 An online magazine. Each issue includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Files on hot news topics pertaining to science and technology. • Reports and debates pertaining to the environment, social problems, ethics and the role of youth in society • Articles about le futur, and careers of tomorrow • Chronicles on sports, culture, comic strips, exchanges by readers etc. • The comic strip Les autres d'Iris Boudreau 	<p>No log-in required</p>
<p>Online Videos</p>	<p>Description</p>	<p>Access</p>
 <p>https://www.tv5unis.ca/collections/tv5mondeplus-jeunesse</p>	<p>Primary-Junior-Intermediate-Secondary CEFR levels (A1, A2, B1, B2)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A great collection of videos about francophone culture and current events from around the world. As students watch videos, the site takes them through a variety of comprehension questions and weaves in grammar within the context of the video. 	<p>No log-in required</p>

 <p>https://www.tfo.org/fr/</p>	<p>Primary-Junior-Intermediate-Secondary CEFR levels (A1, A2, B1, B2)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Videos for all levels and grades, sectioned into four areas <ul style="list-style-type: none"> » <i>MiniTFO</i> — Videos and educational games for ages 2 to 8 years » <i>FlipTFO</i> — Series, humorous videos and educational videos for ages 9 to 12 years » <i>PlusTFO</i> — Movies, documentaries and reports for adolescents and adults » <i>TVO Learn</i> — (Learning resources developed by the Ministry - arranged by grade level and course code) 	<p>No log-in required</p>
 <p>https://www.idello.org/fr</p>	<p>Primary-Junior-Intermediate-Secondary CEFR levels (A1, A2, B1, B2)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Collection of videos on a variety of themes and topics. 	<p>Account required. Free with OCDSB. <i>Parent-Child Activities</i></p>
 <p>https://ici.radio-canada.ca/jeunesse/maj</p>	<p>Intermediate-Secondary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> News videos designed for adolescents Great for all language levels (A1-B2) and grades (6-12) 	<p>No log-in required</p>
 <p>https://coucou.telequebec.tv/</p>	<p>Primary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Videos to develop listening skills A1-B2 Great for grades 1-3 Strategies for parents and teachers in the classroom and for distance learning. 	<p>No log-in required Of particular interest for K-2:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>La clef: compter, lire, écrire en famille</i>
 <p>https://cubesenergie.com/fr/ecole-primaire-du-quebec/defi/idees-pour-bouger</p>	<p>Primary-Junior</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vidéos: yoga, dance, cardio, physical activity Fiches d'activités Core, FI, ESL 	<p>No log-in required</p>

 <p>https://enclasse.telequebec.tv/</p>	<p>Primary-Junior</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Videos to develop listening skills A1-B2 Great for grades 1-6 Strategies for parents and teachers in the classroom and for distance learning. 	<p>No log-in required Of particular interest for grades 1-4:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tétéquébec en classe L'école à la maison: épisodes et segments Le canal squat: nouvelles Les animaux <p>Of particular interest for grades 1-8</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Primaire
Digital Book Loans	Description	Access
 <p>https://soraapp.com/welcome/login/330135</p>	<p>Primary-Junior-Intermediate-Secondary CEFR levels (A1, A2, B1, B2)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Online library with French, English, fiction and non-fiction books. 	<p>Accessible through the VLE for OCDSB students</p> <p>Quick-start guide for students</p>
	<p>Primary-Junior-Intermediate-Secondary CEFR levels (A1, A2, B1, B2)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Online library and activities Zone Enfants Zone adultes et ados 	<p>To obtain a temporary card:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> https://bibliooottawalibrary.ca/fr/getacard
French Language Learning Resources	Description	Access
 <p>http://francolab.ca/</p>	<p>Intermediate-Secondary CEFR levels (A2, B1, B2)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A collection of videos, images, websites, songs to help students perfect their French through listening and oral discussion. Appropriate for A2-B2 learners in grades 7-12 	<p>No log-in required</p>

 <p>http://francolabjunior.ca/</p>	<p>Primary-Junior CEFR levels (A1, A2, B1, B2)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Videos to develop listening skills (A1-A2) in younger learners (grades 1-5) 	<p>No log-in required</p>
 <p>https://on.cpf.ca/en/</p>	<p>Parent Support and information for those with students in FSL Programs</p>	<p>No log-in required</p>