



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

U.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION – ALLIED

THIRD SEMESTER – NOVEMBER 2023

UFR 3401 – UNDERSTANDING FRENCH CULTURE

Date: 08-11-2023

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:00 AM - 12:00 NOON

SECTION A - K1 (CO1)

Answer ALL the Questions

(10 x 1 = 10)

1. FIND THE ODD MAN OUT: (5 x 1 = 5)

- a) Easter Monday, White Monday, Assumption Day, Wine Harvest Festival
- b) France Inter, RTL, RMJ, M6
- c) Croissants, pain au chocolat, pain aux raisins, bœuf bourguignon
- d) Obélisque de Louxor, Grande Arche de la Défense, Arc de triomphe, Notre Dame de Paris
- e) Bonjour RATP, RTM, TISSEO, TGV

2. CHOOSE THE BEST ANSWER: (5 x 1 = 5)

- a) Europe 1 is a _____ radio station in France. (public/ private)
- b) The traditional family structure has also shifted to reflect single-parent households or civil unions known as _____. (PATS / PACS)
- c) To find out what is happening as cultural events in Paris, you can buy a _____, a weekly guide in French. (PARISCOPE/ PAR SCOPE)
- d) _____ was dedicated in 1836 to the soldiers who gave their lives to protect France during both the French Revolutionary and Napoleonic wars. (Arc de Triomphe / Louvre Museum)
- e) _____ is usually the lighter meal of the day in France. (Breakfast/ dinner)

SECTION A - K2 (CO1)

Answer ALL the Questions
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3. FILL IN THE BLANKS: (5 x 1 = 5)

- a) Multi-journey tickets are widely available on all French metro systems and cover _____ journeys.
- b) For walkers and cyclists there are ample opportunities and facilities to enjoy the _____
- c) _____ is a well-known theme park in Paris.
- d) One Enlightenment idea was the _____ of the divine right of kings.
- e) Many French take a week off in _____ to go skiing in the Alps or the Pyrenees.

4. TRUE OR FALSE: (5 x 1 = 5)

- a) Government-funded agencies cover more than 75% of health expenditures in France.
- b) Sky rock is a TV channel.
- c) The drinks before a meal are called apéritifs.
- d) France is not a nation of cinephiles and cinema-goers.
- e) If someone says a party starts at 8pm, you must get there a little afterwards just to be on the safe side.

SECTION B - K3 (CO2)

Answer any TWO of the following in 100 words each. (2 x 10 = 20)

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| 5. | Prepare and present the French family life |
| 6. | Prepare a short note on friendly greetings and different gestures used in France |
| 7. | Illustrate and present any three monuments in France |
| 8. | Explain the health care system in France |

SECTION C – K4 (C03)	
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Answer any TWO of the following in 100 words each. (2 x 10 = 20)

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| 9. | Compare Indian food habits and French food habits |
| 10. | Compare French political system and Indian political system |
| 11. | Distinguish between Indian cuisine and French cuisine |
| 12. | Classify the national and religious festivals in France |

SECTION D – K5 (C04)	
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Answer any ONE of the following in 250 words (1 x 20 = 20)

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| 13. | Summarise the French Revolution |
| 14. | Explain in detail the various modes of transport in France |

SECTION E – K6 (C05)	
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Answer any ONE of the following in 250 words (1 x 20 = 20)

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| 15. | Create a chart for French Political system |
| 16. | Combine Indian and French ingredients and develop a Franco-Indian recipe |

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