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PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Beginner 1.1

January 12th – March 20th, 2026

Facilitator: Conversation Group Leader(s)

Delivery: Online, Asynchronous

Course Access: A link to access your online course will be made available.

DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

This professional development course is intended for employees of the PEI Public Service, Health PEI employees, and any other professional in Prince Edward Island who wish to begin their language learning journey through professional development. It is designed for **participants who little to no background in French Language learning**. This course is designed as a prerequisite to Beginner 1.2. Beginner 1 sub-levels (1.1, 1.2, 1.3) include optional conversation groups to practice pronunciation and simple conversational situations. While attendance isn't required, participants are strongly encouraged to join as many sessions as possible. These groups offer valuable practice and a chance to connect with others.

This 10-week, non-credit course is delivered through our online learning platform, Talent LMS. In addition, virtual conversation classes will round out the learning experience, offering a range of available session times and levels each week. Synchronous conversation group sessions will take place via Zoom or Teams and a link will be provided to you along with the schedule.

NOTE:

Participants will receive either a P (Pass) or INC (Incomplete) at the end of the 10-week term. Upon successful completion, the participants will each receive an **official letter of completion** from the UPEI Office of Continuing Education and Professional Development.

For questions or concerns, please reach out to the French Language Services Office, or to the UPEI Office of Continuing Education and Professional Development at: pdp@upe.ca