

# OUR EDUCATIONAL OFFER FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL







## THE FRENCH SCHOOL IN WARSAW

#### AN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

The French School in Warsaw (Lycée Français de Varsovie - LFV) founded in 1919, is an international educational institution which offers the French national curriculum for more than 700 students from 45 countries.

It is the only school in Poland accredited by the French Ministry of Education. LFV is part of the **worldwide educational network** managed by the (Agence pour l'enseignement français à l'étranger - AEFE) which associates 580 French schools all over the world.

Being part of this network allows all students from the French School in Warsaw to pursue their school education in another French school abroad, without any break in their curriculum

#### A SECULAR AND CIVIC EDUCATION

Academic excellence is a goal we have for all our students, and we aim for it with kindness and care, so our alumni can take control of their lives in an ever-changing world.

French school education is secular. No religious class is offered at the school and the curriculum focuses on transmitting civic and moral values, while respecting the diversity of religious beliefs

The teaching staff of the French school in Warsaw organizes many school trips and various educational projects in order to help children maintain contact with the Polish language and culture, but also discover French traditions, and make them more aware of the need to protect the environment and respect people from other cultures.



# THE FRENCH MIDDLE SCHOOL

#### DEEPENING KNOWLEDGE AND LEARNING NEW SKILLS

The four-year middle school is the first stage of a two-tier secondary education. At this stage, students consolidate and deepen the knowledge they have acquired in various subjects (foreign languages, sciences, history, geography, fine arts and sports).

At the end of middle school, students graduate with the **Diplôme National du Brevet (DNB)**, which certifies the completion of the first level in secondary education. The pass rate for this exam has been 100% for years.

In science classes, the emphasis is put on the **investigation process** itself in order to develop students' creativity, stimulate their critical sense, and arouse their curiosity as well as **interest in scientific and technological progress.** 

#### MAIN AREAS OF THE CURRICULUM:

- · using languages to think and communicate;
- methods and tools to learn effectively;
- · becoming a committed citizen;
- natural systems and the technical world;
- representations of the world and human activity.





#### ORGANIZATION AND CHARACTERISTICS

The French Middle School of the Lycée français de Varsovie welcomes children ages 11 to 15.

#### Middle school includes 4 grades:

6ème : 11-year-olds5ème : 12-year-olds4ème : 13-year-olds3ème : 14-year-olds

At the Middle school, our students start their day at 8.00 AM. Twice a day, they enjoy a recreation time which lasts 15 minutes, so they can relax. In the middle of the day, they have an one-hour break to eat lunch. Classes end normally at 5.15 PM, depending on the number of optional activities and extra languages courses the student take part in.

**Learning languages is considered a priority** at our school. Language classes do not only focus on teaching linguistic skills, but also on exploring the cultural, historical and literary aspects of the language. An important place is given to literary works, history-geography, and the arts:



• English is taught at all levels: 4h per week in 6ème grade, 3h from the grade 5ème.



• **German or Spanish:** students can choose between German and Spanish which are taught from the 5ème class (second grade of middle school) with 2.5 hours of language courses per week.



• **Polish is taught at all levels.** There are two teaching profiles: Polish as a native language: 4h + 1h of History-Geography in Polish per week; Polish as a foreign language: 2h per week.





# ONLY AT THE FRENCH SCHOOL IN WARSAW

#### INTERNATIONAL POLISH PROGRAM

Since 2020, the French school in Warsaw is offering a **unique linguistic and cultural curriculum** for students interested in learning in depth Polish language. This program is open to all pupils enrolled at the school starting from grade CP.

#### Children can benefit from:

- 4 hours of Polish language and literature per week;
- 1,5-2 hours of history-geography in Polish per week (great emphasis is placed on the particularities of the History of Poland and the countries of Central and Eastern Europe, while following the requirements of the French program);
- educational, cultural and artistic projects related to the History and heritage of Poland are organized throughout the year.



### INFORMATION AND ADMISSIONS

#### Middle School

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More information about us on our website: Ifv.pl

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## ADMISSION PROCEDURE

STEP 1: Online application



STEP 2:

Review of the educational file by the head office of the school



STEP 3:

Confirmation and payment of application fee