

BHASVIC

Course outline - 30 weeks

Language: French

Level: 3

Coursebook: Defi 3 (B1): Méthode de français, Livre de l'élève, By Pascal Biras et al, (Editions: Maison des langues, 2019)

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In level 3 we cover units 1-4.

Please note that this is a proposed course content, it may vary depending on the level of the group.

Topics and Vocabulary	Grammar	Communicative objectives
 <u>Unit 1</u> Memory and emotions Migrations, origins and genealogy Work and career plans Expressions of opinions 	 Using past, imperfect and present perfect tenses Past participle agreement with avoir Future tense, talking about projects. Possessive adjectives 	 Expressing feelings and emotions Talking about the past Expressing satisfaction and dissatisfaction Talking about projects, plans and hopes for the future.
 <u>Unit 2</u> Traditions and modernity Cultural codes in traditional storytelling Feelings and emotions 	 Il faut que / il ne faut pas que Subjunctive present Direct and indirect objects Use of en and y 	 Talking about traditions, meaning and relevance today. Telling a story with events in the past / present Giving advice and making recommendations

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Unit 3 • Words and languages • Hobbies and interests • Language and communication • French-speaking world	 Pronouns lequel, duquel, auquel Verbs of opinion and use of indicative and subjunctive Indefinite adjectives: certains, plusieurs, quelques Si + imperfect and conditional tenses 	 Expressing interests, opinions, agreement and disagreement Talking about language and cultures, influence and origins Expressing hypotheses
 <u>Unit 4</u> Performing arts Talking about a show Cinema and the theatre: awards, review, popularity Working in the arts Expressions with faire et prendre 	 Use of don't Present participle Expressing posterity and anteriority Expressing simultaneity Plus-prefect 	 Talking about the arts Describing people, objects and actions Discussing films and plays Summarising a story Talking about someone's artistic career Talking about simultaneous and sequential events