

BHASVIC

Course outline – 30 weeks

Language: French

Level: 5

Coursebook: Defi 4 (B2): Méthode de français. Livre de l'élève, by Pascal Biras et al, (Editions: Maison des langues, 2020)

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In level 5 we use units 1-4

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

Topic and vocabulary	Grammar	Communicative objectives
<u>Unit 1 – About Cities</u> • Cities, a source of inspiration • City life • Cities and their transformation • Urban development and technology	 Expressing causation and consequence Avoiding repetitions The neutral pronoun 'le' Review previously studied grammar 	 Evoking feelings about city / city life Talking about the challenges of cities Talking about town planning Imagine the city of the future
<u>Unit 2 – About food</u> • Origin of our food • Rural and urban agriculture • Global and local food • Reacting to food related issues	 Expressing opposition and concession Impersonal structures The pronoun 'ça' Review previously studied grammar 	 Talking about agriculture and regional food Being indignant, judge Giving solutions to problems Expressing a paradox

Topic and vocabulary	Grammar	Communicative objectives
 <u>Unit 3 – From head to toe</u> Beauty standards Evolution of standards Gender & identity The potential of the human body 	 The passive form Future perfect The tenses of the past Review previously studied grammar 	 Talking about beauty Debating on the importance of physique and appearance Talking about la trans-identité Talking about the body and the image we have of it. Discussing the limits/potential of the human body
<u>Unit 4 – About love and friendship</u> • Romantic relationships • Marriage • Love in films and series. • Friendship	 Double pronouns (COD, COI, 'y', 'en') Reported Speech (past) The past conditional Review previously studied grammar 	 Talking about romantic relationships Talking about love in movies and series Discuss the concept of friendship. Making a friendly statement