



Great News!

You are coming to Langue & Nature for an immersion.

This is your chance to really improve your English and to take everything you have learned during 7 years at school and put it all together into a solid base.

The course is intense, professional and structured but the atmosphere is pleasurable and relaxed.

Our motivated and energetic team are here to inform, guide and encourage you to make sure that you get the maximum benefit from your week with us.

The Objectives

To provide you with a communication tool by developing, understanding and practising the most effective learning methods.

To accelerate oral, audio and written skills in order to be more efficient in professional situations.

To develop mechanisms which enable you to react quickly and spontaneously.

TIMETABLE

Morning Schedule

Afternoon Schedule

08h30 – 09h00	Structured exercises	14h00 – 15h00	The Tool – « Le kit des bases grammaticales »
09h00 – 09h30	Coffee & croissants	–	– Programme C.O.M
–	– Comments & discussion	–	–
–	– about the news	15h-1545	Structured exercises on the “kit”
–	– Memorisation exercises	–	–
09h30 -10h00	« small-talk » during a walk in the countryside	15h45 – 16h00	Coffee break
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10h00 – 11h00	The Tool « Le kit des bases grammaticales »	16h00 – 17h00	Bulats practice
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11h00 – 11h15	Coffee break	17h00 – 18h00	Operational language activities + « one to one » in parallel
11h15 – 12h15	Audio exercises : the 'copycat' training		
–	–	18h00 – 18h15	Coffee break
12h15 – 12h30	Preparation of discussion & activities for lunch	18h15 – 19h00	Approach to different Business Cultures
–	– pre-lunch aperitif		
12h30 – 14h00	Lunch with prepared business role-play	19h00 – 19h15	Personal recap times
–	– Coffee	19h15-19h30	Chance to make contact with mobiles/laptops & possibility to consult teacher on the grammar programme
		19h30-21h00	Pre-dinner aperitif
		–	Dinner with prepared discussion activities
		21h00 – 21h30	Pronunciation
		21h30 – 22h30	Structured television exercise

PREPARING FOR YOUR IMMERSION

EXPRESSION

You want to sound more English?
You need key phrases to help you feel more comfortable?

Click to download your list of essentials:
[transition phrases](#)

We will be expecting you to use these expressions right from day one so please have a look before your immersion.

SPECIFIC LANGUAGE NEEDS AND WISHES

If you have any specific language needs don't hesitate to inform us using the following form :

[participant needs and wishes](#)

AUDIO

During the immersion we will work on improving listening and comprehension skills. To get started **listen to 3 TED Talks before your immersion.**

Levels A2 – B1 [talk 1](#) [talk 2](#) [talk 3](#)
Levels B2 – C1 [talk 1](#) [talk 2](#) [talk 3](#)

MEALTIMES

Mealtimes are simulations of real situations. Before you arrive **please prepare one topic for a business meeting and one for a social dinner.**

Click to download the details:

[efficient meals strategy](#)

HOW TO GET HERE

By car:

Leave the A10 at exit 3 « Laval centre » and follow the direction « Laval »

On arriving at Laval turn left at the roundabout (Giant Ring Sculpture) – direction Tours

Follow the ring road until the exit for Tours, Meslay du Maine and La Flèche – turn left here.

After leaving the first village (Forcé), turn right – direction Entrammes

After one kilometre you will see a sign for «Château de la Mazure» on the right.

Follow the road which turns into the woods until you see a sign on the left for the chateau.

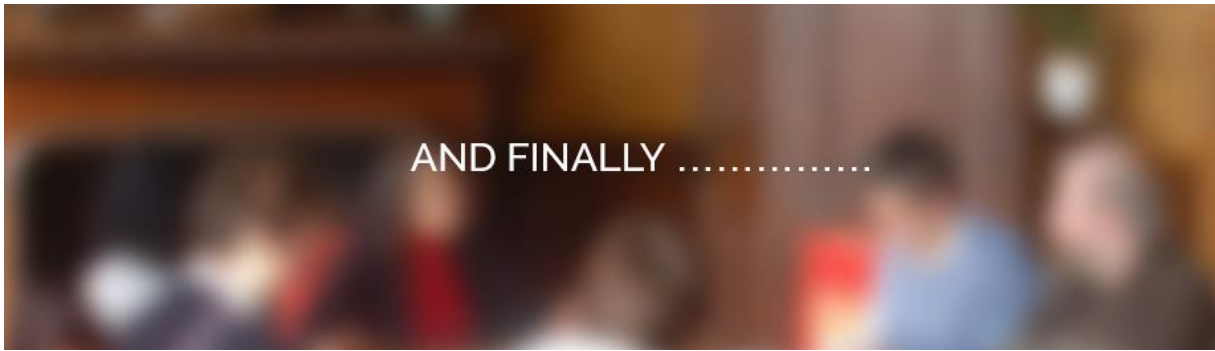
Please aim to arrive between 9 and 9:30 am on Monday morning.



By Train:

There is usually a train from Paris Montparnasse at 08h08 on Monday which arrives in Laval at 9h49. A member of the team will meet you at the station in Laval and will drive you to the chateau. You will easily recognise them as they will have a Langue & Nature sign. The departing train is usually at 18h11 on Friday. **If you are not coming from Paris, and would therefore like to take a different train, please discuss this with us before booking your tickets.**

Please inform us how you intend to travel as soon as possible.



Meals

Breakfast (coffee & croissants), lunch and dinner are all provided.

If you have any **special dietary requirements** (allergies, vegetarian, no pork, etc....)

please let us know in advance by email.

To enjoy your stay – what to bring?

We have included some outdoor walks in this course, so please bring some comfortable boots and a jacket.

Please also bring some pens and writing paper. All other teaching materials will be provided by us.

Remember that at certain times of the year the weather can turn cool,

so please bring a nice warm jumper with you.