

Bloomfield Schools Board Submission Form

MEETING DATE: March 19th

ITEM TITLE: French club

ACTION REQUESTED BY: Mr. Decret (BHS Science teacher) PRESENTED BY: Mr. Decret

ACTION REQUESTED: Creation of a French Club at BHS

ITEM SUMMARY: Club where students can learn some bases in French as well as discover French culture

Brief history to refresh the Board's memory (if applicable)

Answer the following:

Request: I would like to be allowed to open a French club at BHS. It would be after school and/or during lunch break.

Benefit or impact to the District: Students will learn how to speak French and discover French culture

Reason for Request: Students asked me to teach them some French vocabulary and want to know more about France

Cost: / What Budget: /

Mandate: Yes No

BUDGET OR GRANT? Budget Grant

SUMMARY BY/TITLE: _____

ATTACHMENTS: French club presentation

ROUTE FOR STAFF REVIEW:	Reviewed by:	Comments:
<input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable		
<input type="checkbox"/> FINANCE	_____	_____
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French club

Why?

Several students told me they would like to learn French and to know more about French culture. As a science teacher, I cannot propose a French class as a foreign language class.

What will be proposed to the students?

Language Learning Sessions: Basics of the French language through interactive lessons and activities designed to build confidence in speaking, reading, and writing French. Very basic lessons for the first year and if students are willing to continue,

Cultural Discovery: Experience the heart and soul of French. We explore an array of cultural aspects, including French food (King's cake, crepes,...), cinema, music, literature, and traditions (Mardi Gras, Candlemas, ...).

Cultural Exchange Events: Students will exchange with native French. I already do this with my students but every time I do this activity, it is a day I do not teach science. Only student who are enrolled in the club will have this opportunity.

When? One hour, twice a week (Wednesday during lunch break and Thursday after school).

Assignments and grades: None.

Requirements to be part of the club: Having passing grades. I would like the club to be a privilege.

Enrollment: At the beginning of the school year (or semester?)

Fee: None

