

# Tests and Diplomas

## DELF-DALF

**DELF (Diplôme d'études en langue française)** and **DALF (Diplôme approfondi de langue française)** are official qualifications awarded by the French Ministry of Education (Centre international d'études pédagogiques, CIEP) to certify French language competence of candidates from outside of France. For each of the six diplomas (A1, A2, B1, B2, C1, and C2), four skills are evaluated: listening, speaking, reading, and writing. **Alliance Française is the only test centre in Bangladesh for all DELF-DALF examinations.**

## TCF AND TEF

**TCF (Test de connaissance du français)** is a test conducted by the French Ministry of Education (CIEP) to determine French-speaking level of non-French speakers. Each TCF candidate receives a certificate endorsing him/her on one of the six levels of the proficiency scale (A1, A2, B1, B2, C1, and C2) defined by the Council of Europe.

**TEF (Test d'évaluation du français)**, awarded by the French Chamber of Commerce and Industry (Chambre de commerce et d'industrie de Paris Île-de-France, CCIP), is a test to assess French language competence for non-native speakers. It is especially useful for immigration to Canada, getting admission in French universities or for professional purposes.

**Alliance Française de Dhaka is the only official centre in Bangladesh for TCF, TCF Québec, TCF-ANF, TEF, TEF Canada, TEFaQ, etc.**

## CAMBRIDGE/EDEXCEL O-LEVEL AND A-LEVEL FRENCH

Students can prepare for GCE and IGCSE French examinations by taking tailor-made classes at Alliance Française de Dhaka .

# Higher Studies in France

The quality of French higher education is widely recognised throughout the world. If you choose France for higher studies, Campus France — the French national agency for the promotion of higher education — can help you choose your programme, look for financial assistance, navigate through the visa process, and prepare for your stay.

Find more at [campusfrance.org/en](http://campusfrance.org/en) and [f/CampusFranceBangladesh](https://www.facebook.com/CampusFranceBangladesh) or e-mail your queries at [bangladesh@campusfrance.org](mailto:bangladesh@campusfrance.org)



# The Alliance Française

The Alliance Française is a worldwide network of about 1,100 associations spread over 130 countries. It aims at promoting cultural exchanges with France, spreading the French language and fostering a better relationship between people. Every year, about half a million students come to the Alliances Françaises around the world. Every Alliance Française is a non-profit making association, governed by a locally-elected Executive Committee composed of voluntary personalities.

Alliance Française de Dhaka has been at the heart of French cultural exchanges in Bangladesh since 1959 and it offers more than 50 years of expertise in teaching French. The curriculum is based on the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages which is recognised worldwide and sanctioned by the French Ministry of Education.

Alliance Française de Dhaka is supported by the contributions of its members, of its esteemed sponsors and benefits from the support of the French Embassy. Thanks to these generous contributors, Alliance Française de Dhaka is able to undertake a large variety of courses and cultural activities.

# Good Reasons to Learn French

**The World Language:** Spoken by more than 220 million people, French is the second most widely-learned foreign language after English.

**The Language for the Job Market:** Being able to communicate in French is a great asset in the international job market. Many international organisations such as UN, EU, UNESCO, NATO, International Red Cross use French as either official, administrative or working language.

**The Language of Culture:** French is the international language of cooking, fashion, theatre, visual arts, dance and architecture. French is the language of Édith Piaf, Hugo, Jules Verne, Marie Curie, Molière, and Zinedine Zidane.

**The Language for Travel and Immigration:** The ability to speak even a little French makes it so much more enjoyable to visit Paris and other regions of France. Furthermore, immigration candidates for Canada can also avail significant advantages if they can speak French.

**The Language for Higher Education:** French can open up study opportunities at renowned French universities and business schools. French institutions consistently figure prominent in nearly all worldwide rankings.



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**Office Hours:** Monday to Thursday from 2:30 pm to 9 pm. Friday and Saturday from 9 am to 12 noon and 5 pm to 8 pm. Office is closed on Sunday (classes may run).

# Add a French touch to your life —

Alliance Française welcomes you!



# My French Class

LEVEL AND SESSIONS	NAME OF CLASSES	DIPLOMA AT HAND	NUMBER OF HOURS	FEES PER SESSION (BDT)			PRICE OF FULL SET OF TEXTBOOK WITH DVD (BDT)
				WEEKDAYS MORNING	WEEKDAYS EVENING	WEEKEND	
<b>Extensive Adults</b> (aged 16+)			4 or 6 hrs/week	•	•	•	
<b>A1</b>	<b>4 sessions</b>	A1.1, A1.2, A1.3, A1.4	40 hrs/session	<b>6,200</b>	<b>6,800</b>	<b>8,200</b>	Tendances A1 <b>2,000</b>
<b>A2</b>	<b>4 sessions</b>	A2.1, A2.2, A2.3, A2.4	40 hrs/session	<b>6,200</b>	<b>6,800</b>	<b>8,200</b>	Tendances A2 <b>2,100</b>
<b>B1</b>	<b>5 sessions</b>	B1.1, B1.2, B1.3, B1.4, B1.5	60 hrs/session	<b>8,500</b>	<b>8,800</b>	<b>10,000</b>	Tendances B1 <b>2,500</b>
<b>B2</b>	<b>5 sessions</b>	B2.1, B2.2, B2.3, B2.4, B2.5	60 hrs/session	<b>8,500</b>	<b>8,800</b>	<b>10,000</b>	Écho B2/Tendances B2 <b>2,750</b>
<b>Intensive Adults</b> (aged 16+, two modules within one session)			8 hrs/week				
<b>A1</b>	<b>2 sessions</b>	A1 (1+2), A1 (3+4)	76 hrs/session	<b>11,500</b>	<b>12,300</b>	<b>13,500</b>	Tendances A1 <b>2,000</b>
<b>A2</b>	<b>2 sessions</b>	A2 (1+2), A2 (3+4)	76 hrs/session	<b>11,500</b>	<b>12,300</b>	<b>13,500</b>	Tendances A2 <b>2,100</b>
<b>Extensive Teenagers</b> (aged 13–15)			4 hrs/week				
<b>A1</b>	<b>4 sessions</b>	ADO A1.1, A1.2, A1.3, A1.4	40 hrs/session	n/a	<b>6,800</b>	<b>8,200</b>	Décibel 1 <b>2,350</b>
<b>A2</b>	<b>4 sessions</b>	ADO A2.1, A2.2, A2.3, A2.4	40 hrs/session	n/a	<b>6,800</b>	<b>8,200</b>	Décibel 2 and 3 <b>2,350 EACH</b>
<b>B1</b>	<b>4 sessions</b>	ADO B1.1, B1.2, B1.3, B1.4, B1.5	40 hrs/session	n/a	<b>6,800</b>	<b>8,200</b>	Génération 3 <b>2,350</b>
<b>B2</b>	<b>5 sessions</b>	ADO B2.1, B2.2, B2.3, B2.4, B2.5	40 hrs/session	n/a	<b>6,800</b>	<b>8,200</b>	Tendances B2 <b>2,750</b>
<b>Children: Kids</b> (aged 6–8) <b>and Prim or Junior</b> (aged 9–12)			1 or 2 hrs/week				
<b>Kids</b>	<b>6 sessions</b>	Kids 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 <sup>1</sup>	10 hrs/session	n/a	<b>2,700</b>	<b>3,800</b>	Les petits loustics 1 <b>2,350</b>
<b>A1.1</b>	<b>4 sessions</b>	Prim 1, 2, 3, 4	20 hrs/session	n/a	<b>4,000</b>	<b>5,250</b>	Jus d'orange 1 <b>2,350</b>
<b>A1</b>	<b>4 sessions</b>	Junior A1.1, A1.2, A1.3, A1.4	20 hrs/session	n/a	<b>4,000</b>	<b>5,250</b>	Jus d'orange 2 <b>2,350</b>

## MY CALENDAR

**4 sessions a year:** in January, April, July, and October  
**Admission starts a month in advance:** in December, March, June, and September

## MY FRENCH-SPEAKING SKILLS

- ✓ **Basic user:** Basic ability. Can understand sentences on familiar matters. Can communicate in simple terms. Can write simple notes and messages.
- ✓ **Independent user:** Effective and spontaneous command of the language. Can join in conversation and express in a clear and detailed manner.

## MY ADDITIONAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES

✓ Translation and interpretation (Bangla ↔ French ↔ English) ✓ Multimedia library **Médiathèque Jules Verne** (books, magazines, audio CDs, films, and Wi-Fi) ✓ Access to **Culturetheque**, the French online multimedia library ✓ **Café la Véranda** ✓ Exhibitions at **La Galerie** and **Galerie Zoom** ✓ Cultural activities (concerts, festivals) and workshops (guitar, interior design, dance, painting, photography, piano, classical music, theatre, violin) ✓ Screenings of French films at **Auditorium Nouvelle Vague**

<sup>1</sup> 'KIDS 6' CONSISTS OF 1H 30M CLASSES, 15 HRS/SESSION.  
<sup>2</sup> IA OR INTERNAL ASSESSMENT CONSISTS OF MID-SESSION PROJECT WORK OR TEST AND END-OF-SESSION TEST.  
<sup>3</sup> COMMON EUROPEAN FRAMEWORK OF REFERENCE FOR LANGUAGES (CEFR) BY THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE IS A GUIDELINE TO DESCRIBE ACHIEVEMENTS OF LEARNERS OF FOREIGN LANGUAGES ACROSS EUROPE.

## MY ADMISSION AND PAYMENT PROCEDURE

We have a hands-free computer-based system available at our centres that only requires you to bring your NID, passport or birth certificate.  
**For payments:** only cash deposit at Dhanmondi, Uttara or Gulshan branch of Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC, together with specific bill from us.

## MY SPECIAL COURSES

- ✓ Preparation (DELFL-DALF, TCF, TEF, O and A levels) and conversation classes
- ✓ Private, corporate, tailor-made, and external courses for institutions

<sup>4</sup> DELFL-DALF ARE CONDUCTED IN MARCH, JUNE, SEPTEMBER, AND DECEMBER (PLEASE CONSULT TEST-EXAM CALENDAR).  
<sup>5</sup> A NEW STUDENT SEEKING ADMISSION IN ANY LEVELS OTHER THAN A1-1 OR RESUMING AFTER A BREAK OF MORE THAN TWO CONSECUTIVE SESSIONS HAS TO TAKE A PLACEMENT TEST TO BE ASSIGNED THE RIGHT CLASS LEVEL, EXCEPT WHEN A SIX-MONTH-OLD PROOF OF STANDARDISED PROFICIENCY IS PROVIDED.

# My Curriculum

EXTENSIVE	HOURS	CUMULATION	TEST	INTENSIVE	CEFR <sup>3</sup>	BOOKS
A1.1	40	40	IA <sup>2</sup>	A1 (1+2)	BASIC USER	DÉCIBEL 1 TENDANCES A1
A1.2	40	80	IA			
A1.3	40	120	IA			
A1.4	40	160	<b>DELFL A1</b>	A1 (3+4)		
A2.1	40	200	IA			
A2.2	40	240	IA	A2 (1+2)		DÉCIBEL 2 TENDANCES A2
A2.3	40	280	IA			
A2.4	40	320	<b>DELFL A2</b>			
B1.1	60	380	IA	n/a	INDEPENDENT USER	DÉCIBEL 3 TENDANCES B1
B1.2	60	440	IA			
B1.3	60	500	IA			
B1.4	60	560	IA			
B1.5	60	620	<b>DELFL B1</b>			GÉNÉRATION 3 TENDANCES B1
B2.1	60	680	IA			
B2.2	60	740	IA			
B2.3	60	800	IA			
B2.4	60	860	IA			
B2.5	60	920	<b>DELFL B2</b>			TENDANCES B2 ÉCHO B2/TENDANCES B2

## MY TESTS AND EXAMS (FEES IN BDT)

**DELFL-DALF Diplomas:**<sup>4</sup>

DELFL Prim A1.1	<b>2,500</b>
DELFL Prim A1	<b>2,500</b>
DELFL Prim A2	<b>3,000</b>
DELFL A1	<b>2,500</b>
DELFL A2	<b>3,000</b>
DELFL B1	<b>3,500</b>
DELFL B2	<b>4,000</b>
DALFL C1	<b>4,500</b>
DALFL C2	<b>5,000</b>

**Placement Tests:**<sup>5</sup>

Regular	<b>1,500</b>
Late-intake	<b>3,000</b>

**CCIP and CIEP Tests:**<sup>6</sup>

	L <sup>6</sup>	R <sup>6</sup>	W <sup>6</sup>	S <sup>6</sup>
TEF	<b>13,000</b> COMPULSORY		<b>5,000</b>	<b>5,000</b>
TEFaQ	<b>5,000</b>	<b>5,000</b>	<b>5,000</b>	<b>5,000</b>
TEF Canada	<b>20,000</b>			
TCF	<b>11,000</b> COMPULSORY		<b>5,500</b>	<b>5,500</b>
TCF Québec	<b>5,500</b>	<b>5,500</b>	<b>4,500</b>	<b>4,500</b>

<sup>6</sup> 'L' STANDS FOR LISTENING SKILLS, 'R' FOR READING SKILLS, 'W' FOR WRITING SKILLS, AND 'S' FOR SPEAKING SKILLS, RESPECTIVELY.