
FRENCH IMMERSION OFFERING

The Swan Valley School Division is committed to the continuation of a French Immersion offering, within a Swan River school setting, for students who elect this alternative. The nature of the programming offered, at each grade level, is determined by the interrelation of the number of students within a grade(s) and the Division's capacity to offer the optimal program possible at that grade level, given resources available.

The Division will provide for K-6, 7-8 and 9 to 12 programming as follows:

Grades K -6

The Division will continue to support the full Immersion Program, Kindergarten (100%) and Grades 1-6 (75%), as long as student numbers make the program viable. Annual personnel allocations will be provided, subject to student numbers per grade, K-6.

Grades 7 & 8

The Division will provide assurance and support to the continuance of the Immersion Program, 7-12 (50%), or, if student numbers are too low, at minimum, a maintenance type program consisting of the française grade credit and one other course instructed in French per grade level.

Grades 9 -12

An Immersion Program (50%) to continue for those students who enter Senior I with the Immersion Program background at any grade where numbers justify and providing the Division can recruit qualified Immersion teaching personnel.

A maintenance type program consisting of the française grade credit course and one other course instructed in French at any grade, Grades 9-12, will be offered where Immersion numbers are too low to maintain a full program. The Division will continue to explore Distance learning opportunities to support Immersion programming.