

# AQUINAS COLLEGE

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## *France*

- LOCATION:** Perpignan, France
- DURATION:** Program will coincide roughly with Spring Semester (mid-January to the end of May).
- ELIGIBILITY:** Students must be full-time students of at least sophomore status, have completed FH 201 or its test equivalent, have an openness to cross-cultural experiences and living with French families, and not be on academic or discipline-related probation.
- HOUSING:** Students stay in homes with French families.
- ACADEMICS:** Upon arrival, students will take a placement exam. Students will participate in courses including:
- Written and Spoken French
  - Commercial French
  - Study of the Press
  - French Civilization through Song
  - DELF Preparation
  - French Cinema or French Literature
  - Additional variable elective courses

Aquinas College will use the Grade Conversion guide issued by World Education Service in posting the students' grades to their Aquinas transcripts upon completion of the program:

<i>French Scale</i>	<i>Grade Description</i>	<i>US Equivalent</i>
<i>16 - 20</i>	<i>Tres Bien</i>	<i>A+</i>
<i>14 - 15.9</i>	<i>Bien</i>	<i>A</i>
<i>12 - 13.9</i>	<i>Assez Bien</i>	<i>B</i>
<i>10 - 11.9</i>	<i>Passable</i>	<i>C</i>
<i>8 - 9.9</i>		<i>D</i>

- COST:** Aquinas Spring Semester Full-Time Tuition + \$7100  
Estimated Program Fee (Program Fees will be confirmed on acceptance letters)  
Program fee includes:
- Room & Board for duration of program
  - Round-Trip airfare from Grand Rapids
  - Int'l Student ID

**OTHER COSTS:** Passport and visa; textbooks; personal spending on gifts, food, travel, etc.; postage.

**MORE INFORMATION:** To watch videos about our international programs or for more information about this program, visit our website: [www.aquinas.edu/intprograms](http://www.aquinas.edu/intprograms)

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