

FRAN394 — Children’s and Young Adult Literature in French

Section A01 (1.5 units) | Winter 2027 | online hybrid



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This course explores children’s and young adults’ literature written in French from a perspective that immediately grants literary value to the phenomenon. It surveys Francophone production, from fairy tales to fantasy, from comic books to poetry. Students will explore the vast and varied literary production destined for children and young adults, from several geographical areas and periods of cultural history, and will analyze it for academic, teaching and cultural mediation purposes. The course includes an experiential and community-engaged learning component.

Schedule

Mondays, 4:30pm—7:20pm

The course will be delivered both synchronously and asynchronously.

A detailed calendar will be shared with students.

Classroom

UVic online environment: Zoom & Brightspace.

Instructor

Dr. Pierre-Luc Landry, Ph.D. (he/they)

Office hours: Wednesdays, 10:00am—12:00pm

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Language of Instruction

French

Mandatory course materials will be specified ahead of the beginning of the term. Students will be asked to procure a few books for this class.

Prerequisite (undergraduate students)

FRAN275—Writing in French I; or permission of the School of Languages, Linguistics and Cultures.

Prerequisite (in-service and pre-service K-12 educators)

Admission into the Micro-certificate in Teaching French Immersion (Continuing Studies).

Assignments

