

Debating society's big questions politely

French 4 (high school) · Test Answer Key

Level: French 4 (high school, ACTFL Intermediate Mid) · **Standards:** ACTFL Intermediate Mid, WL 1.2 Interpretive, WL 1.3 Presentational, WL 4.1 Language Comparisons

Question 1 Vocabulary (2 points)

(a) le chômage; (b) une bourse

Scoring: 1 point each.

Question 2 Choose the mood (2 points)

(a) est; (b) ait

Scoring: 1 point each.

Question 3 Conjugate (2 points)

(a) soyez; (b) ayons

Scoring: 1 point each.

Question 4 Reading a chart (3 points)

(a) 12; (b) 3; (c) 23

Scoring: 1 point each.

Question 5 Translate (2 points)

(a) Je ne pense pas que le système soit juste. (b) Certes, mais il faut agir.

Scoring: 1 point each; the subjunctive is required in (a).

Question 6 Correct the sentences (2 points)

(a) Il faut que tu viennes... (b) Je ne pense pas que ce soit possible.

Scoring: 1 point each.

Question 7 Polite disagreement (2 points)

Model: **Je ne suis pas convaincu(e). Je vois les choses autrement.**

Scoring: 1 point per correct, polite phrase.

Question 8 Reading (2 points)

(a) Finding housing. (b) A warm welcome.

Scoring: 1 point each.

Question 9 Write (3 points)

Model: **Je pense que l'éducation ouvre des portes. Il faut que chaque enfant puisse étudier. Certes, les moyens sont limités, mais c'est une priorité.**

Scoring: 1 point for je pense que + indicative, 1 point for il faut que + subjunctive, 1 point for a concession.