


Combing through the Strands of 21st Century Skills in French and Spanish

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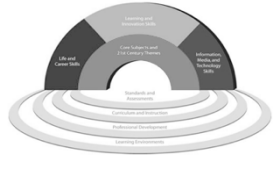
Introduction <http://www.p21.org/route21/>

Core Subjects and 21st Century Themes

Core Subjects

Mastery of core subjects and 21st century themes is essential for students in the 21st century. Core subjects include:


- English, reading or language arts
- World languages
- Arts
- Mathematics
- Economics
- Science
- Geography
- History
- Government and Civics







ACTFL Standards


- **Aligning The ACTFL Standards to 21st Century Skills**
 - *Communication
 - *Collaboration
 - *Critical thinking and Problem solving
 - *Creativity and Innovation
 - *Information Literacy
 - *Media Literacy
 - *Technology Literacy
 - *Flexibility and Adaptability
 - *Initiative and Self-direction
 - *Social and Cross-cultural Skills

*Productivity and Accountability
*Leadership and Responsibility





Strand	Activity
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Civic Literacy 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. French strike activity, elections (political parties) 2. Legislative documents 3. Current events – podcasts, news articles, emags
	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Employability Skills 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Host international student 2. Email hosts / international penpals 3. Public speaking/ paraphrasing
	


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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financial literacy 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Currency exchange activities http://www.xe.com/ucc/ 2. Spanish ATM use 3. Make change/handle money/simulate buying 4. Supermarket ads, catalogs
	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health Literacy 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Food habits activities http://www.mangerbouger.fr/ 2. <i>French Women Don't Get Fat</i>
	

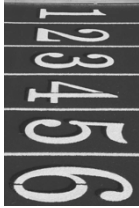
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Technology Literacy 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. French email account http://fr.yahoo.com/ 2. Text activity/homework 3. Dangers of electronic translators 4. Online shopping (Anne Lair – UNI) 5. Create Facebook page (fake or real) 6. Language register issues 7. Cell phone photos of real-life pertinent material 8. Keyboard differences/accent marks
	


1-to-1 technology initiative
ipads & macbooks


<p>advantages</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • very current on culture • many authentic examples at our fingertips • potential to be in touch with native speakers <p>drawbacks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • electronic translators • distractions in class (email, FB) 	<p>ideas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • voxopop.com • lingt • jot application (ipad) • fotopedia (ipad) 
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<p>Strand</p> <p>Civic Literacy</p> 	<p>Activity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public Service Announcements (technology literacy) • Passport/Visa requirements and applications US vs Hispanic countries • News- Point of view
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<p>Strand</p> <p>Employability Skills</p> 	<p>Activity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Want Ads (Technology Literacy) • Class blog - careers and world languages • Infomercial
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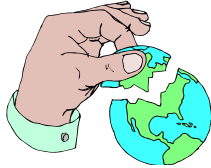
<p>Strand</p> <p>Financial Literacy</p> 	<p>Activity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International Money Market- cost of living • Exchange Student Financial Advice • Buy/Sell
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<p>Strand</p> <p>Health Literacy</p> 	<p>Activity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food pyramid – cultural menus • International health care • Sports and exercise
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<p>Strand</p> <p>Technology Literacy</p> 	<p>Activity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social Network – A new identity • Multimedia cross cultural topic presentation • Podcasting/enhanced podcasting
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Ideas from Colleagues

What activities could you share that address 21st century skills?



¡ Gracias! Merci! Danke!

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