2017-2018 WCSD French Program Evaluation Rubric

Evaluator Number

5

Program Number

10

Name of Text

Encore

Publisher

Cengage Learning

Rate This Text Overall

- [ ] High
- [x] Mid
- [ ] Low

Three Modes of Communication

How well does this support the INTERPRETIVE mode?

What does this look like in the materials?
Comments?

Passages and texts are very interesting. Mid-advanced level with relevant cultural points.

- ( ) Not at all
- ( ) Minimally
- (•) Adequately
- ( ) Consistently

How well does this support the INTERPERSONAL mode?

What does this look like in the materials?
Comments?

- ( ) Not at all
- ( ) Minimally
- (•) Adequately
- ( ) Consistently

How well does this support the PRESENTATIONAL mode?

What does this look like in the materials?
Comments?

Activities are repetitive and allow for practice of the grammar/ vocabulary.

- ( ) Not at all
- ( ) Minimally
- (•) Adequately
- ( ) Consistently

How well are the 3 modes progressively taught from first year to third year?

What does this look like in the materials?
Comments?

One book only

- (•) Not at all
- ( ) Minimally
- ( ) Adequately
- ( ) Consistently

Core Practices

Text supports the use of the target language at least 90% of the time.

What does this look like in the materials?
Comments?

Very much! Grammar is taught in context with examples given and students encouraged to derive meaning. Little cultural notes with colorful pictures are dispersed throughout the chapter.

- ○ Rarely
- ○ Sometimes
- ● Frequently
- ○ Consistently

Grammar and vocabulary are presented in context and not explicit.

What does this look like in the materials?
Comments?

In the context of scenarios/pictures with students to infer. Also indexed out in each chapter

- ○ Rarely
- ○ Sometimes
- ● Frequently
- ○ Consistently

Authentic resources and texts are used to increase proficiency in the interpretive mode.

What does this look like in the materials?
Comments?

- ○ Rarely
- ● Sometimes
- ○ Frequently
- ○ Consistently

Listening comprehension is authentic and promotes proficiency.

What does this look like in the materials?
Comments?

Was difficult to access

- ○ Rarely
- ● Sometimes
- ○ Frequently
- ○ Consistently

Listening comprehension and reading/writing activities are connected

Comments?

Workbook and online resources were simplistic and lacking

- (●) Rarely
- ( ) Sometimes
- ( ) Frequently
- ( ) Consistently

Communication (Interpersonal) activities in text are authentic and promote proficiency

Comments?

- (●) Rarely
- ( ) Sometimes
- ( ) Frequently
- ( ) Consistently

Presentational activities in text are authentic and promote proficiency

Comments?

- ( ) Rarely
- (●) Sometimes
- ( ) Frequently
- ( ) Consistently

Nevada Academic Content Standards for World Languages

Communities: Communicate and interact with cultural competence in order to participate in multilingual communities at home and around the world.

What does this look like in the materials?

Comments?

Different fancophone cultures were presented thoughout

- ○ Rarely
- ● Sometimes
- ○ Frequently
- ○ Consistently

Comparisons: Develop insight into the nature of language and culture in order to interact with cultural competence.

What does this look like in the materials?

Comments?

Interesting cultural notes throughout

- ○ Rarely
- ○ Sometimes
- ● Frequently
- ○ Consistently

Connections: Connect with other disciplines and acquire information and diverse perspectives in order to use the language function in academic and career-related situations.

What does this look like in the materials?

Comments?

- ○ Rarely
- ○ Sometimes
- ● Frequently
- ○ Consistently

Cultures: Interact with cultural competence and understanding. Learners use the language to investigate, relate, and reflect on the relationship between products, practices, and perspectives.

What does this look like in the materials?

Comments?

- ○ Rarely
- ○ Sometimes
- ○ Frequently
- ○ Consistently

Level of Proficiency

At which level of proficiency is this text and what is the evidence? Check all that apply

- [ ] Novice Mid
- [x] Novice High
- [x] Intermediate Low
- [x] Intermediate Mid
- [ ] Intermediate High
- [ ] Advanced Low

	Strengths	Weaknesses
1st Year		
2nd Year		
3rd Year		

Check all that apply:

- [ ] Tiered Resources
- [ ] Differentiation Opportunities
- [ ] Student-Centered Assessment
- [ ] Explicit Can-Do Statements
- [ ] AP Theme Connections with the 3 P's
- [ ] Visually Appealing Options
- [ ] Culturally Reflective of Francophonie
- [x] Accessible Via Technology
- [ ] Tasks Are Backwards Mapped to AP
- [ ] Rubrics