

French

Review of Colours, Days, Months, and Seasons

Goal

- to have students begin to appreciate the French culture, and to learn the basics of the French language.

Materials

- magnetic flash cards with colours, days, months, and seasons in French

Sequence of Lesson

Warm-Up

- review the colours; say the English word and ask if anybody knows how to say the French word
- ask them to repeat after me; I will go through the colours

Activity 1

- review the months in French
- matching: write the months in English on the whiteboard; have volunteers come up and see if they can match the French word to it
- review the seasons in French
- matching: write the seasons in English on the whiteboard; have volunteers to come up and see if they can match the French word to it

Activity 2

- review the days of the week in French
- play Heads Up, Seven Up
 - instead of names, however, give the days of the week cards to the students and when the other students guess they say the day of the week the person has instead of the student's name

Closing

- I will say a French word that we discussed during today's class; I will have the students give me the English word (example: if I say "Mercredi" a volunteer will say "Wednesday")

Assessment

- informal: discussion and observation.