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TODAY'S CLASSROOM

A Graduate Diploma in Advanced Professional Studies for elementary, middle, and secondary teachers, developed by Field Programs in partnership with School District #36 (Surrey). This program is designed for both beginning and experienced French speakers and will be delivered in both English and French.

**BEGINNING IN SURREY JANUARY 2016**

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## THE GRADUATE DIPLOMA

The Graduate Diploma in Advanced Professional Studies in Education (GDE) is a two-year 30-credit program of study for teachers whose primary focus is school-based educational practice. It provides the opportunity for you to engage in focused, sustained reflective inquiry. Completion of the diploma allows teachers to move from TQS category 4 to TQS category 5 or from 5 to 5+.

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- A Bachelor's degree from a recognized university.
- A teaching certificate based on a recognized teacher preparation program.
- Evidence of ability to undertake advanced work in education.

(Under exceptional circumstances, applicants without a teaching certificate but who have a Bachelor's degree and significant teaching or leadership experience in education may be accepted into the program. Teachers without a Bachelor's degree may be allowed to use the credits from this program towards an undergraduate degree but must contact the Field Programs office regarding this possibility).

## HOW TO APPLY

Before you begin – See the Field Programs website at [www.educ.sfu.ca/fp](http://www.educ.sfu.ca/fp) for admission guidelines and application information, including a checklist of required supporting documents. You can download required information from this site.

Step 1: Apply to SFU graduate school online - [go.sfu.ca/paprd/gradapplication.html](http://go.sfu.ca/paprd/gradapplication.html)  
Program: Core French, Surrey  
Start Date/Term: January 2016 (Spring)

Step 2: Gather your supporting documents.

Step 3: Upload your supporting documents when prompted to do so.

Step 4: Submit your official transcripts.

Your application package will be considered complete once we have received your online application and all your supporting documents.

## DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS: Nov 13, 2015

Online applications open June 19, 2015. Applications may be closed before the deadline if cohort capacity is reached. Priority will be given to students from the sponsoring district.

## ADMISSION AND REGISTRATION, CONTACT

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