

## Business French B2.1 & B2.2 (target niveau)

Course Materials	Communication Situations		Grammar
	oral	written	
<p><b>e.g.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Course homepage</li> <li>▪ Articles from higher level newspapers and magazines</li> <li>▪ Corporate websites</li> <li>▪ Excerpts of documentaries on economic themes</li> <li>▪ Interviews with economic experts or business people</li> <li>▪ Exercises in more complex technical vocabulary</li> <li>▪ Vocabulary of argumentation and differentiation</li> <li>▪ Documents on the economic situation of France</li> <li>▪ Current documents on the legal and/or political background of the economy (depending on theme: labor law, environmental regulations etc.)</li> </ul>	<p><b>e.g.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Media reports on course themes</li> <li>▪ Presentations on specific economic themes and/or companies</li> <li>▪ Discussions of presentations</li> <li>▪ Round Table discussions of corporate strategies, economic problems and solutions</li> <li>▪ Analyses of corporate strategies (advertising or environmental policies etc.)</li> <li>▪ Building arguments and argumentation strategies from various standpoints</li> <li>▪ Analysis of graphs and figures</li> <li>▪ Discussion of economic states or current economic issues</li> </ul>	<p><b>e.g.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Comprehensive written work or portfolio on course themes</li> <li>▪ Presentation notes/handouts</li> <li>▪ Summaries (Reports)</li> <li>▪ Articles</li> <li>▪ Argumentative texts</li> </ul>	<p><b>Review and consolidation depending on need – e.g.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Past events (use of various tenses)</li> <li>▪ Tense agreement</li> <li>▪ Conditional forms (review and finer points)</li> <li>▪ Present participles and gerunds</li> <li>▪ Emphatic language</li> <li>▪ Purpose, cause and effect (conjunctions, diverse expressions etc.)</li> <li>▪ Conjunctions</li> <li>▪ Passive</li> <li>▪ Indirect speech</li> </ul>
<p><b>Recommended Dictionary and Supporting Websites</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Online specialized dictionary of the EU: IATE</li> <li>▪ Online french dictionary: CNRTL</li> </ul>			