INFORMATION - FRENCH 2 Placement Test

To qualify for French 2, students must demonstrate competence in applying the following items in French. Currently, our French 1 text is D'accord 1 (Vista Higher Learning)(2019).

Vocabulary

- asking and answering basic questions
- greetings, farewells, polite expressions
- numbers, telling time, days, months, dates
- weather, seasons
- school activities, courses & supplies
- family, home and neighborhood
- food, utensils, cafés and restaurants, grocery shopping
- leisure activities, such as movies, sports, etc.
- expressions with avoir (avoir faim, etc.)
- expressions with faire (faire du vélo, etc.)
- clothing, shopping, sizes and colors
- stages of life and celebrations
- vacations, travel by plane and train, hotel stay
- the house, household chores, grooming and daily routines

Grammar

- gender of nouns
- articles (definite, indefinite & partitive)
- adjectives (regular, irregular, possessive & demonstrative)
- negation with ne ... pas
- contractions with à and de
- making comparisons
- using disjunctive pronouns (moi, toi, lui, etc.)
- the present tense (le présent) of regular -er, -ir and -re verbs, common irregular verbs and common reflexive verbs
- verb + infinitive (including aller + infinitive to express immediate future)
- the past tense (le passé composé) of regular verbs conjugated with avoir
- using indirect object pronouns (me, te, lui, nous, vous, leur) in various structures (1 verb, 1 verb in past tense, 2 verbs) in the affirmative and/or the negative
- using direct object pronouns (me, te, le, la, nous, vous, les) in various structures: (1 verb, 1 verb in past tense, 2 verbs) in the affirmative and/or the negative