

RHODE ISLAND



**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
of TEACHERS of FRENCH**

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Re: *Le Grand Concours* 2025

Cher / Chère Collègue,

On behalf of the chapter, I would like to thank you for promoting and administering this year's National French Contest. Your participation in *Le Grand Concours* this year shows your dedication to the teaching of French and your understanding of the importance of promoting the study of the French language and Francophone cultures in Rhode Island schools. **This year was indeed a successful contest with 22 % more students participating over last year.**

Ceremony for Students of French in Rhode Island

The RI chapter is very pleased to continue its annual «**Ceremony for Students of French in Rhode Island**» to be held on **Wednesday, 21 May 2025 at 6:30pm** at the **Providence Career & Technical Academy**.

Chapter Prizes

Our LGC administrator Aubrie Taylor is currently determining special prize winners and will reach out to those teachers whose students will be so honored.

Teacher Tombola

In addition, teachers will have the chance to enter an on-line drawing for a chance to win one (1) of three (3) GIFT CARDS in the amount of \$50.

Thank you again for your dedication. I wish you a smooth end of school year and a wonderful and restful summer.

Bonne continuation,

Michael Hébert
President



La Francophonie

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