

Quatre amis

Soap Opera/Series

Format: Soap opera / Series. Scripted dialogues. Filmed on location in Rouen, Normandy, France.
Target group: From (almost) beginners' level.:A1, A2, B1 Age: Teenagers. Adults.
Total running time: 100 minutes divided into 10 episodes.
Additional material: Subtitled version (French), teachers guide, transcripts, photos and demo.

Target language used only.



Quatre amis is a series intended for students of French as a foreign language. In ten short continuous episodes we follow four young people in their daily life and how their friendship develops with their ups and downs. And there is for sure romance in the air! The series includes real life situations featured by native French actors and actresses as well as young drama students.

Alima and Céline are long time friends. When school starts they get to know a new student, Emma, an extroverted girl who is a little different from the other pupils of the class. In their class there is also another new student, Marc, who repeats a year.

The friendship between Emma and Alima evolves and Céline feels left out. However, the relationship between Céline and Marc gets more profound, they see each other more and more and gradually their friendship turns into romance. But Emma and Alima also cast their eyes on Marc. We follow the young students in various situations at home, at the lycée, in a gym, in a café and a crêperie, etc.

There is also a parallel romantic story involving two of the parents; Céline's mother and Marc's dad.

The series ends with a party and the day after Emma leaves for Canada to see her father.

The people in the series talk natural and simple French. There is no need for those watching the series to have an extended knowledge of French; beginners or students having studied very little French will have no problems following the series. They will soon realize that they understand more French than they were aware of and they will learn quite a lot of French without even thinking of it.

The students can't wait to find out what happens next in this continuous 10-episode story filmed on location in Rouen.



Titles:

1: La rentrée	(09.30)	6: C'est où ?	(09.15)
2: À la cantine un mercredi	(06.45)	7: Au club de gym	(10.45)
3: Samedi	(10.15)	8: À la maison	(12.00)
4: On est dimanche	(09.30)	9: On prepare un voyage	(11.30)
5: Ça ne va pas ?	(12.00)	10: La fête	(08.30)