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Dear Family,

I'm pleased to introduce you to *Discovering French—Nouveau! Blanc*. This level two program allows students to practice real-life communication skills in French and exposes students to the culture typical of France and the French-speaking world.

Currently in French class, your student is activating some of the basic communication skills that he or she learned last year, such as counting, talking about the weather and asking and answering questions. In Unit 1, your student will be learning to give basic information about him or herself, to describe family members and friends, to talk about feelings, and to talk about plans and recent events. Your student will also be reviewing verbs—**aller**, **être**, **faire**, and **venir**—as well as expressions using those verbs, and reviewing the formation of adjectives as well as learning all the various ways to ask questions. In addition, students are becoming more familiar with the diversity of France and its inhabitants.

Please feel free to call me with any questions or concerns you might have as your student practices reading, writing, listening, and speaking in French.

Sincerely,