Typing Accents for French Class

Average PC*		
é	(*e accent aigu*)	control + ', then e by itself
à	(*a accent grave*)	control + `, then a
è	(*e accent grave*)	control + `, then e
ô	(*o accent circonflexe*)	control + shift + 6, then o
â	(*a accent circonflexe*)	control + shift + 6, then a
î	(*i accent circonflexe*)	control + shift + 6, then i
ï	(*i tréma*)	control + colon (:), then i
ë	(*e tréma*)	control + colon (:), then e
ç	(*c cédille*)	control = comma (,), then c

*These codes are guidelines for use with Microsoft Word that should work with versions of Office 97 and later. Codes should be similar for other programs in Windows.

Macintosh Computers		
é	(*e accent aigu*)	option + e, then e by itself
à	(*a accent grave*)	option + `, then a
è	(*e accent grave*)	option + `, then e
ô	(*o accent circonflexe*)	option + i, then o
â	(*a accent circonflexe*)	option + i, then a
î	(*i accent circonflexe*)	option + i, then i by itself
ï	(*i tréma*)	option + u, then i
ë	(*e tréma*)	option + u, then e
ç	(*c cédille*)	option + c
œ	(*o dans l'e*)	option + q

Alternate accent codes on PC for French
Press **ALT** + the corresponding **number** at the same time.

ALT+	Character	ALT+	Character
0156	œ	**0140**	Œ
0224	à	**0192**	À
0226	â	**0194**	Â
0228	ä	**0196**	Ä
0231	ç	**0199**	Ç
0232	è	**0200**	È
0233	é	**0201**	É
0234	ê	**0202**	Ê
0235	ë	**0203**	Ë
0238	î	**0206**	Î
0239	ï	**0207**	Ï
0244	ô	**0212**	Ô
0246	ö	**0214**	Ö
0249	ù	**0217**	Ù

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