100 most commonly used French words

1. **le** (det.) *the*; (pron.) *him, her, it, them*   
2. **de** (det.) *some, any*; (prep.) of, from   
3. **un** (det.) *a, an*; (adj., pron.) one  
4. **à** (prep.) *to, at, in*  
5. **être** (verb) *to be*; (noun [m.]) *being*  
6. **et** (conj.) *and*  
7. **en** (prep.) *in, by*; (adv., pron.)   
8. **avoir** (verb) to have; (noun [m.]) assets  
9. **que** (adv., pron., conj.) *t*hat, which, who, whom   
10. **pour** (prep.) *for, in order to*   
11. **dans** (prep.) *in, into, from*  
12. **ce** (det., pron.) *this, that*  
13. **il** (pron.) he, it   
14. **qui** (pron.) *who, whom*   
15. **ne** (adv.) *not*  
16. **sur** (prep.) on, upon; (adj.) sour  
17. **se** (pron.) *oneself, himself, herself, itself, themselves*   
18. **pas** (adv.) *not*; (noun [m.]) footstep  
19. **plus** (adv.) *more, no more*  
20. **pouvoir** (verb) *to be able to, c*an; (noun [m.]) power  
21. **par** (prep.) *by*  
22. **je** (pron.) *I*  
23. **avec** (prep.) *with*   
24. **tout** (adj., adv., pron., det.) all, very   
25. **faire** (verb) *to do, make*   
26. **son** (det.) *his, her its*; (noun [m.]) *sound; bran*   
27. **mettre** (verb) *to put, place*  
28. **autre** (det., pron.) *other*  
29. **on** (pron.) *one, we*  
30. **mais** (conj., adv.) but  
31. **nous** (pron.) *we, us*   
32. **comme** (conj., adv.) *like, as*   
33. **ou** (conj.) *or*   
34. **si** (conj.) *if, whether*; (adv.) so  
35. **leur** (det., pron.) *their, theirs, them*   
36. **y** (adv.) *there*; (pron.) it  
37. **dire** (verb) to say; (noun [m.]) saying   
38. **elle** (pron.) *she, her*  
39. **devoir** (verb) *to have to, ow*e; (noun [m.]) duty  
40. **avant** (prep., adv.) *before*; (noun [m.]) front  
41. **deux** (det., noun [m.]) *two*  
42. **même** (adj., pron.) *same*; (adv.) even  
43. **prendre** (verb) *to take*  
44. **aussi** (adv.) *to, also*; (conj.) as  
45. **celui** (pron.) *that, the one, he, him*  
46. **donner** (verb) *to give*  
47. **bien** (adv.) *well*; (noun [m.]) good  
48. **où** (adv., pron.) *where*  
49. **fois** (noun [f.]) *time(s)*  
50. **vous** (pron.) you  
51. **encore** (adv.) *again, yet*  
52. **nouveau** (adj.) *new*; (noun [m.]) new (thing)   
53. **aller** (verb) *to go*  
54. **cela** (pron.) *that, it*   
55. **entre** (prep.) *between*56. **premier** (det., adj.) *first*  
57. **vouloir** (verb) *to want*; (noun [m.]) will, desire   
58. **déjà** (adv.) *already*   
59. **grand** (adj., adv.) *great, big, tall*  
60. **mon** (det.) *my*   
61. **me** (pron.) *me, to me, myself*  
62. **moins** (adv.) *less*; (prep., noun [m.]) minus  
63. **aucun** (det., adj., pron.) *none, either, neither, not any*  
64. **lui** (pron.) *him, her*   
65. **temps** (noun [m.]) *time*  
66. **très** (adv.) *very*  
67. **savoir** (verb) *to know*; (noun [m.]) learning, knowledge   
68. **falloir** (verb) *to take, require, need*  
69. **voir** (verb) *to see*   
70. **quelque** (det., adj., adv.) some   
71. **sans** (prep.) *without*  
72. **raison** (noun [f.]) *reason*   
73. **notre** (det.) *our*  
74. **dont** (pron.) *whose, of which*  
75. **non** (adv.) *no, not*76. **an** (noun [m.]) *year*  
77. **monde** (noun [m.]) *world, people*  
78. **jour** (noun [m.]) day  
79. **monsieur** (noun [m.]) *mister, sir, gentleman*  
80. **demander** (verb) *to ask for*  
81. **alors** (adv.) *then, so*  
82. **après** (adv., prep.) after  
83. **trouver** (verb) *to find*  
84. **personne** (noun [f.]) *person*; (pron.) anyone, nobody   
85. **rendre** (verb) *to render, return, yield, give up*  
86. **part** (noun [f.]) *share*   
87. **dernier** (adj). *last*  
88. **venir** (verb) *to come*  
89. **pendant** (adj.) during; (prep.) for; (noun [m.]) *pendant*  
90. **passer** (verb) *to pass*  
91. **peu** (adv.) little  
92. **lequel** (pron.) *who, whom, which*   
93. **suite** (noun [f.]) *result, follow-up, rest*   
94. **bon** (adj., adv.) good; (noun [m.]) coupon, voucher   
95. **comprendre** (verb) *to understand*96. **depuis** (prep., adv.) *since*   
97. **point** (adv.) *at all*; (noun [m.]) *point*  
98. **ainsi** (adv.) *thus*  
99. **heure** (noun [f.]) *hour*  
100. **rester** (verb) *to stay*