

Primary 4-6 French Vocabulary

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Time (numbers 1 to 12)

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Il est _____ heures et demie	half past

Weather

La météo	The weather
Quel temps fait-il aujourd'hui?	What is the weather like today?
Il y a du soleil	It is sunny
Il y a du vent	It is windy
Il y a des nuages	It is cloudy
Il y a du brouillard	It is foggy

Il y a des éclairs	There is lightening
Il pleut	It is raining
Il neige	It is snowing
Il grêle	There are hailstones
Il tonne	There is thunder
Il fait chaud	It is hot
Il fait froid	It is cold
Il fait frais	It is fresh (cold and sunny)
Il fait gris	It is grey
Il fait beau	It is beautiful
Il fait mauvais	It is bad

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Colours

rouge	bleu	vert
jaune	orange	violet
rose	marron	gris
noir	blanc	

Phonics

l'alphabet alphabet

a = ah b = bay c = say d = day e = eugh f = eff
g = zhay h = ash i = ee j = zhee k = ka l = el
m = em n = en o = oh(octopus) p = pay q = coo
r = err s = ess t = tay u = ooh v = vay
w = dooble vay x = eeks y = ee grec z = xed

The g and j sounds don't appear in English. The children know how to pronounce **jaune** = yellow. That is the sound represented by zh.

Family

la famille	family
ma famille	my family
la mère	mother
ma mère	my mother
le père	father
mon père	my father
les parents	parents
mes parents	my parents
la grand-mère	grandma
la grand-mère	my grandma
le grand-père	grandpa
mon grand-père	my grandpa
la sœur	sister
ma sœur	my sister
le frère	brother
mon frère	my brother
le bébé	baby
la tante	aunt
ma tante	my aunt
l'oncle	uncle
mon oncle	my uncle
le cousin	cousin(male)
mon cousin	my cousin(male)
la cousine	cousin(female)
ma cousine	my cousin(female)

Food

la nourriture	food
la boisson	drink
le chocolat	chocolate
les bonbons	sweets
la pizza	pizza
le poulet	chicken
les pépites de poulet	chicken nuggets
la boeuf	beef
le jambon	ham
le porc	pork
l'hamburger	hamburger
les frites	chips
la glace	ice cream
l'eau	water
le coke	coke
le lait	milk
le café	coffee
le thé	tea
le jus d'orange	orange juice

Activity

1. Make a Family Tree

Draw a family tree on a large piece of paper. Include grandparents, parents, uncles, aunties, brothers, sisters and cousins. You can use photographs of family members if you have them or draw family members. Label the family trees using the correct form of my – “mon” for male family members, “ma” for female family members and mes for plurals (mes parents).

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Food

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la boisson

food
drink

pizza la pizza	beef le boeuf	soup la soupe	cheese le fromage
egg l'oeuf	coke le coca	peas les pois	carrot la carotte
crisps les chips	sausage la saucisse	apple le pomme	broccoli le broccoli
yoghurt le yaourt	jam la confiture	cheese le fromage	hamburger le hamburger
ice cream la glace	pork le porc	cream la crème	potatoes pommes de terre
lettuce la salade	chicken le poulet	croissant le croissant	fish le poisson
chips les frites	bread le pain	rice le riz	pasta les pâtes
bacon le bacon	garlic l'ail	onion l'oignon	cucumber le concombre
beans les haricot	pepper le poivron	tomato la tomate	spaghetti les spaghettis
sandwich le sandwich	turkey le dinde	cabbage le chou	prawn la crevette
pear la poire	peach la pêche	orange l'orange	lemon le citron
strawberry la fraise	raspberry la framboise	banana la banane	pineapple l'ananas
mustard la moutarde	cake le gateau	water l'eau	milk le lait
tea le thé	coffee le café	lemonade la limonade	cereal les cereals
biscuit le biscuit	sweets les bonbons	sugar le sucre	tuna le thon
orange juice le jus d'orange	apple juice le jus du pomme	pineapple juice le jus d'ananas	
candy floss la barbe à papa	apple pie la tarte au pomme	chocolate le chocolat	
chocolate bread le pain au chocolat	brussel sprouts les choux de bruxelles	custard la crème anglaise	
seafood les fruits du mer			

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3. Writing about food preferences.

Write sentences about the food you like, don't like, hate or love. Write as many as you can using the food vocabulary provided. Use "love" for your favourite food and drinks, "hate" for things you can't eat or drink, "like" for things you enjoy and "don't like" for things you're not so keen on. You can also say what your favourite food and drink is.

J'aime _____.

Je n'aime pas _____.

J'adore _____.

Je deteste _____.

Je mange _____.

Je bois _____.

Ma nourriture préférée est...

I like _____.

I don't like _____.

I love _____.

I hate _____.

I eat _____.

I drink _____.

My favourite food is...

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Music

la musique	music
les genres de musique	types of music
le rock	rock music
le rap	rap music
le hip hop	hip hop
la pop	pop music
le métal	heavy metal
l'électro	electronic music (EDM)
la musique classique	classical music
le jazz	jazz music
l'Opéra	opera
une chanson	a song
jouer de la musique	to play music,
écouter de la musique	to listen to music
j'écoute de la musique	I listen to music
écouter la radio	to listen to the radio
chanter	to sing
Je chante	I sing_____ (name of song)
jouer	to play (an instrument)
Je joue	I play_____ (name of instrument)
l'orgue	the organ
le piano	the piano
le clavier	keyboards
le synthé	the synth
l'accordéon	the accordion

le violon	the violin
la guitare acoustique	acoustic guitar
la guitare électrique	the electric guitar
la guitare basse	bass guitar
la clarinette	clarinet
la flûte	flute
le trombone	trombone
la trompette	trumpet
la batterie	drums

Place

le parking	parking
la place de ville	town square
la bibliothèque	library
la rivière	river
le centre medical	medical centre
le pratique dentaire	dental practice
l'école primaire	primary school
l'ecole secondaire	secondary school
le poste de police	police station
la caserne de pompiers	fire station
le cimetière	cemetery
l'église	church
le parc	the park
le terrain de jeu	playing field
la rue	road
le pont	bridge
le centre sportif	sports centre
la piscine	swimming pool
le camping	camping
la maison de_____	the house of_____
ma maison	my house
les magasins	the shops
la quincaillerie	hardware store
le supermarché	supermarket
le café	café
le restaurant	restaurant
la banque	bank
l'hôtel	hotel
Le garage	garage
la boucherie	butchers
la boulangerie	bakery

la confiserie	sweet shop
la poissonnerie	fishmongers
la blanchisserie	laundromat
le kiosque	newsagent
la pharmacie	pharmacy
la poste	post office
le parcours de golf	golf course
le terrain des boules	bowling green
la pharmacie	pharmacy
le cinéma	cinema
le theatre	theatre

Directions

gauche	left
droit	right
tout droit	straight ahead
allez	go
tournez	turn
prenez	take
traversez	cross
la rue	street
tournez à droit	turn right
tournez à gauche	turn left
prenez la rue à droit	take the street on the right
prenez la rue à gauche	take the street on the left
traversez la rue	cross the street
première	first
deuxième	second
troisième	third

Prepositions

sur	on
dans	in
à côté de	next to
devant	in front of
derrière	behind
entre	between
en face de	opposite
ici	here
la bas	over there
près de	near to
loin de	far from
sous	under

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Write sentences about the music you do or don't like, and the instruments you play.

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Je n'aime pas_____.

I don't like_____.

J'adore_____.

I love _____.

Je deteste_____.

I hate_____.

Je joue_____.

I play_____.(instrument)

Ma musique préférée est...

My favourite fmusic is...

Je ne joue pas d'un instrument de musique I don't play an instrument.

3. Map of Callander

Draw or print out a map of Callander. Put numbered dots on the map in the correct locations then make a key with the names of shops and services in the Town in French. Try to include as many as you can.

4. Using Prepositions to describe Location

Can you write a short piece of writing describing the location of a particular shop or public building? Use the prepositions to give the most precise description you can

Eg. La bibliothèque est sur South Church Street, à côté du poste de police, près de l'église et la rivière.

The library is on South Church Street, next to the police station, near the church and the river.

To say "to the" in French, you use de and either le or la, depending if the word is gendered male or female. But de le is changed to du, whereas de la stays as it is.

5. Giving directions

Can you write direction to a location in Callander from a specific place, like the school, or from your home. You can use prepositions to add detail to your direction.

Eg. School to Dreadnought

Tournez à droite. Allez tout droit. Traversez le pont et prenez la première rue à gauche. Traversez la rue et prenez la première rue à droite.. Traversez la rue et l'hôtel est là, en face de la Poste, à côté du parking.

Turn right. Go straight ahead. Cross the bridge and take the first street on your left. Cross the road and take the first street on the right. Cross the road and the hotel is there, opposite the post office next to the car park.

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https://acharts.co/france_singles_top_100

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<https://www.radio.net/s/francemusique>