

Appendix 2: Grammar list

GCSE students will be expected to have acquired knowledge and understanding of French grammar during their course. In the examination they will be required to apply their knowledge and understanding, drawing from the following lists. The examples in brackets are indicative, not exclusive. For structures marked (R) only receptive knowledge is required.

French (Foundation tier)

Nouns:

- gender;
- singular and plural forms.

Articles:

- definite, indefinite and partitive, including use of *de* after negatives.

Adjectives:

- agreement;
- position;
- comparative and superlative: regular and *meilleur*;
- demonstrative (*ce, cet, cette, ces*);
- indefinite (*chaque, quelque*);
- possessive;
- interrogative (*quel, quelle*).

Adverbs:

- comparative and superlative;
- regular;
- interrogative (*comment, quand*);
- adverbs of time and place (*aujourd'hui, demain, ici, là-bas*);
- common adverbial phrases.

Quantifiers/intensifiers:

- *très, assez, beaucoup, peu, trop*.

Pronouns:

- personal: all subjects, including *on*;
- reflexive;
- relative: *qui*;
- relative: *que* (R);
- object: direct (R) and indirect (R);
- position and order of object pronouns (R);
- disjunctive/emphatic;
- demonstrative (*ça, cela*);
- indefinite (*quelqu'un*);
- interrogative (*qui, que*);
- use of *y, en* (R).

Verbs:

- regular and irregular verbs, including reflexive verbs;
- all persons of the verb, singular and plural;
- negative forms;
- interrogative forms;
- modes of address: *tu, vous*;
- impersonal verbs (*il faut*);
- verbs followed by an infinitive, with or without a preposition;
- tenses;
- present;
- perfect;
- imperfect: *avoir, être and faire*;
- other common verbs in the imperfect tense (R);
- immediate future;
- future (R);
- conditional: *vouloir and aimer*;
- pluperfect (R);
- passive voice: present tense (R);
- imperative;
- present participle (R).

Prepositions:

- common prepositions, e.g. *à, au, à l', à la, aux; de, du, de l', de la, des; après; avant; avec; chez; contre; dans; depuis; derrière; devant; entre; pendant; pour; sans; sur; sous; vers*.
- common compound prepositions, e.g. *à côté de; près de; en face de, à cause de; au lieu de*.

Conjunctions:

- common coordinating conjunctions, e.g. *car; donc; ensuite; et; mais; ou; ou bien; puis*
- common subordinating conjunctions, e.g. *comme; lorsque; parce que; puisque; quand; que; si*.

Number, quantity, dates and time:

- including use of *depuis* with present tense.

French (Higher tier)

All grammar and structures listed for Foundation tier, as well as:

Adjectives:

- comparative and superlative, including *meilleur, pire*.

Adverbs:

- comparative and superlative, including *mieux, le mieux*.

Pronouns:

- use of *y, en*;
- relative: *que*;
- relative: *dont* (R);
- object: direct and indirect;
- position and order of object pronouns;
- demonstrative (*celui*) (R);
- possessive (*le mien*) (R).

Verbs:

- tenses;
- future;
- imperfect;
- conditional;
- pluperfect;
- passive voice: future, imperfect and perfect tenses (R);
- perfect infinitive;
- present participle, including use after *en*;
- subjunctive mood: present, in commonly used expressions (R).

Time:

- including use of *depuis* with imperfect tense.

Appendix 3: Vocabulary list

The following vocabulary list is intended to assist teachers in planning their work. It provides the core generic vocabulary that all students will need to acquire. It is an essential vocabulary list that students should refer to and build on when preparing for the duration of their study for the Pearson Edexcel Level 1/Level 2 GCSE (9-1) in French.

However, students entered for the Foundation tier are required to understand and respond to common or familiar words and/or forms of words that are not on the vocabulary list. Similarly, students entered for the Higher tier are required to understand and respond to common or familiar words and/or forms of words that are not on the vocabulary list and which are less common or familiar than those used in relation to Foundation tier assessments.

Word lists

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Section 2: Topic-specific language

Although words are listed under specific topic headings, the words are not exclusive to those particular headings. Many words also relate to other themes but may be listed only in one. Many common verbs are given in the verb list with a few others included under a specific topic.

Each topic has been highlighted in **bold**.

All topics must be studied in the context of both the students' home country and that of countries and communities where French is spoken.

Theme: Identity and culture

- **Who am I?**: relationships; when I was younger; what my friends and family are like; what makes a good friend; interests; socialising with friends and family; role models
- **Daily life**: customs and everyday life; food and drink; shopping; social media and technology (use of, advantages and disadvantages)
- **Cultural life**: celebrations and festivals; reading; music; sport; film and television

Theme: Local area, holiday and travel

- **Holidays**: preferences, experiences and destinations
- **Travel and tourist transactions**: travel and accommodation; asking for help and dealing with problems; directions; eating out; shopping
- **Town, region and country**: weather; places to see; things to do

Theme: School

- **What school is like**: school types; school day; subjects; rules and pressures; celebrating success
- **School activities**: school trips; events and exchanges

Theme: Future aspirations, study and work

- **Using languages beyond the classroom**: forming relationships; travel; employment
- **Ambitions**: further study; volunteering; training
- **Work**: jobs; careers and professions

Theme: International and global dimension

- **Bringing the world together**: sports events; music events; campaigns and good causes
- **Environmental issues**: being 'green'; access to natural resources

Section 1: High-frequency language

Common verbs

to accept	accepter
to check	vérifier
to choose	choisir
to clean	nettoyer
to click (ICT)	cliquer
to climb; get on(to)	monter
to close	fermer
to come	venir
to contact	contacter
to continue/carry on	continuer
to cope/manage/get by	se débrouiller
to copy	copier
to cost	coûter
to count, intend; count on (someone)	compter; compter sur
to cross, go across	traverser
to cry	pleurer
to decide	décider
to depart/leave	partir
to describe	décrire
to deserve	mériter
to die	mourir
to discuss	discuter
to draw	dessiner
to drink	boire
to drive	conduire
to earn	gagner
to eat	manger
to end	(se) terminer
to enjoy oneself	s'amuser
to enter/go in	entrer
to escape	s'échapper
to explain	expliquer
to fail	rater

Common verbs (continued)

to fall	tomber
to fall asleep	s'endormir
to feed, nourish	nourrir
to fill/fill in	remplir
to find	trouver
to finish, end	finir
to fly	voler to
follow	suivre
to forget; to leave something behind	oublier
to forgive	pardonner
to get angry	se fâcher
to get dressed	s'habiller
to get undressed	se déshabiller
to give	donner
to give back	rendre
to give (a gift)	offrir
to go	aller
to go (in a car)	rouler
to get dressed	s'habiller
to get into (bus, car, train)	monter (dans)
to get out of (bus, car, train)	descendre (de)
to get up	se lever
to go down	descendre
to go for a walk	se promener
to go out	sortir
to go to bed	se coucher
to go up	monter
to harm/damage	endommager
to hate	détester
to have	avoir
to have to/must	devoir
to hear	entendre
to help	aider
to hold	tenir
to hope	espérer
to hurry	se dépêcher

Common verbs (continued)

to hurt (oneself)	(se) faire mal
to improve	améliorer
to inform	informer
to introduce (an item, an idea)	introduire
to introduce (a person)	présenter
to invite	inviter
to jump	sauter
to knock, hit	frapper
to knock over	renverser
to know (a fact)	savoir
to know (person, place)	connaître
to land	atterrir
to last	durer
to laugh	rire
to learn	apprendre
to leave; to depart	partir
to leave (somewhere, somebody)	quitter
to leave behind (an object)	laisser; oublier
to lend	prêter
to light, turn/switch on	allumer
to like	aimer
to listen	écouter
to live (inhabit)	habiter
to live	vivre
to look after ¹	s'occuper de
to look after/mind (child, dog)	garder
to look for	chercher
to look like, to resemble	ressembler
to lose	perdre
to love	adorer
to manage, to cope	se débrouiller
to manage (business)	gérer
to mean to (do)	avoir l'intention de (faire)
to mean/to signify	signifier
to meet	rencontrer
to miss; to be lacking	manquer

Common verbs (continued)

to miss (train, bus etc.)	rater
to need	avoir besoin de
to note	noter
to offer; to give a present	offrir
to open	ouvrir
to order	commander
to organise	organiser
to park	garer; stationner
to pass	passer
to phone	téléphoner
to place	poser
to please	plaire (à)
to prefer	préférer to
present	présenter
to prevent	empêcher
to produce	produire
to pull	tirer
to push	pousser
to put	mettre
to put back	remettre
to read	lire
to receive	recevoir
to recommend	recommander
to refund	rembourser
to regret, be sorry	regretter
to remember	se rappeler/se souvenir
to rent/to hire	louer
to repair	réparer
to repeat	répéter
to replace	remplacer
to reply	répondre
to research	rechercher
to reserve	réserver
to rest	se reposer
to return; to go back	rentrer(home); retourner (to school)

Common verbs (continued)

to ring (a bell)	sonner
to save	sauver
to say	dire
to see	voir
to seem	sembler
to sell	vendre
to send	envoyer
to serve	servir
to show	montrer
to sign	signer
to sing	chanter
to sit down	s'asseoir
to sleep	dormir
to smile	sourire
to speak	parler
to spend (money)	dépenser
to spend (time)	passer
to squash	écraser
to stay	rester
to steal	voler
to stick	coller
to stop	(s)'arrêter
to study	étudier
to succeed	réussir
to switch off	fermer/éteindre
to take	prendre
to take off (plane)	décoller
to take off (clothes etc.)	ôter
to tell/recount	raconter
to tell/to say	dire
to thank	remercier
to think (about)	penser
to think, believe	croire
to throw	jeter
to touch	toucher
to travel	voyager

Common verbs (continued)

to try	essayer
to understand	comprendre
to use	se servir de; utiliser
to visit (person)	rendre visite à
to visit (place)	visiter
to wait for	attendre
to wake up	se réveiller
to walk	marcher; aller à pied
to want	vouloir
to want, desire	désirer
to warn	prévenir
to wash	(se) laver
to wear	porter
to weigh	peser
to win	gagner
to wish	souhaiter
to work	travailler
to work (function)	marcher
to write	écrire

Common verbs (continued)

Common adjectives

active	actif/active
alike; the same	pareil/le
easy	facile; simple
expensive	cher/chère
exciting	passionnant
fair	juste
famous	célèbre
fantastic	fantastique
fashionable	à la mode
fast	rapide
fat	gros/grosse
favourite	favori/favorite; préféré
former	ancien/ne
free (at no cost)	gratuit
free (unoccupied, available)	libre
friendly	amical
frightening	effrayant
full	plein
fun; amusing	amusant
funny (comical)	drôle; marrant; rigolo/te
generous	généreux/généreuse
good	bon/ne
good (well-behaved)	sage
grateful	reconnaissant
great (fantastic)	chouette; super; génial
great (marvellous)	formidable
happy	content; heureux/euse
hard	dur
hardworking	travailleur/travailleuse
healthy (food/way of life)	sain
heavy	lourd
high; tall (building)	haut
honest	honnête
hot	chaud
ideal	idéal

Common adjectives (continued)

in a good mood	de bonne humeur
in a hurry	pressé
independent	indépendant
intelligent; clever	intelligent
kind	gentil/gentille
large	gros; grand
last	dernier/dernière
lazy	paresseux/euse
light	léger/légère
locked	fermé à clef
long	long/ue lost perdu
magnificent	magnifique
marvellous	merveilleux/euse
mature	mûr modern moderne
naughty	méchant; vilain
necessary	nécessaire
negative	négatif/ve
new (brand new)	neuf/neuve
new	nouveau/nouvel/nouvelle
next	prochain
nice; likeable	sympa (sympathique)
noisy	bruyant normal normal
numerous	nombreux/euse
old	vieux/vieil/vieille
old (former)	ancien/ne
old fashioned	démodé
open	ouvert
optimistic	optimiste
other	autre
own	propre
(im)patient	(im)patient
peaceful	tranquille; calme

Common verbs (continued)
Common adjectives (continued)

perfect	parfait
pessimistic	pessimiste
pleased	content
pleasant	agréable
(im)polite	(im)poli
popular	populaire
positive	positif/ve
practical	pratique
pretty	joli
quiet	tranquille; calme
ready	prêt real
	réel/le
reasonable	raisonnable
recent	récent
recognised/well known	reconnu
responsible	responsable
rich	riche
ridiculous	ridicule
ripe	mûr
rotten	pourri
sad	triste
safe	sauf/sauve
same	même
satisfied	satisfait
selfish	égoïste
sensational	sensationnel/elle; (sensass)
serious	sérieux/ieuse; grave
short	court
shy	timide
silent	silencieux/ieuse
silly	bête
situated	situé
slim	mince
small; short (person)	petit
strict	sévère; strict

Common adjectives (continued)

strong	fort superb
	superbe
surprised	surpris; étonné
talkative	bavard
thin, narrow	étroit
tidy	rangé
tired	fatigué
tiring	fatigant
true	vrai
typical	typique
ugly	laid; moche
unbelievable	incroyable
unfair	injuste
unhappy	malheureux/malheureuse
unhealthy	malsain
unpleasant	désagréable
useful	utile
useless	inutile
valid	valable
valuable	d'une grande valeur
weak	faible
wet	mouillé
worried	inquiet/inquiète
wise	sage
young	jeune

Common adverbs

straight away	tout de suite (for) a
long time	longtemps
(un)fortunately	(mal)heureusement
again	encore
almost	presque
already	déjà
always	toujours
cheap(ly)	bon marché

Common verbs (continued)
Common adverbs (continued)

especially	surtout
everywhere	partout
fairly; quite	assez
hardly	à peine
here	ici
immediately	immédiatement; tout de suite
loud(ly)	fort
never	jamais
not yet	pas encore
nowhere	nulle part
often	souvent
over there	là-bas
perhaps	peut-être
quickly	vite
rarely	rarement
rather	plutôt
really	vraiment
recently	récemment
sometimes	quelquefois
somewhere	quelque part
soon	bientôt
standing	debout
still	toujours
there	là
together	ensemble
too	trop; aussi
up there	là-haut
usually	d'habitude; normalement
very	très
well	bien

Prepositions

above	en haut; au-dessus de
after	après
against	contre
among	parmi
around	autour de
at (someone's house)	chez
at the end of	au bout de
at, to	à
before	avant
behind	derrière
between	entre
far from	loin de
from	de/à partir de
in (inside)	dans
in front of; in the front	devant
in the background; at the back	au fond
in the foreground	au premier plan
in the middle (of)	au milieu (de)
near (to)	près (de)
next to	à côté de
nowhere	nulle part
on (on top of)	sur
opposite	en face de
outside	dehors
through	par
towards	vers
under	sous
until	jusqu'à

Common verbs (continued)

Colours

black	noir
blue	bleu
brown	marron; brun
chestnut brown	marron; châtain (invariable)
dark	foncé
green	vert
grey	gris
light	clair
pink	rose
red	rouge
violet	violet
white	blanc/he
yellow	jaune

Numbers

1	un(e)	31	trente et un
2	deux	32 etc.	trente-deux
3	trois	40	quarante
4	quatre	50	cinquante
5	cinq	60	soixante
6	six	70	soixante-dix
7	sept	71	soixante et onze
8	huit	72	soixante-douze
9	neuf	73	soixante-treize
10	dix	74	soixante-quatorze
11	onze	75	soixante-quinze
12	douze	76	soixante-seize
13	treize	77	soixante-dix-sept
14	quatorze	78	soixante-dix-huit
15	quinze	79	soixante-dix-neuf
16	seize	80	quatre-vingts
17	dix-sept	81	quatre-vingt-un
18	dix-huit	82 etc.	quatre-vingt-deux
19	dix-neuf	90	quatre-vingt-dix
20	vingt	91	quatre-vingt-onze
21	vingt et un	92 etc.	quatre-vingt-douze
22	vingt-deux	100	cent (m)
23	vingt-trois	101	cent un(e)
24	vingt-quatre	120	cent vingt
25	vingt-cinq	200	deux cents
26	vingt-six	1000	mille (m)
27	vingt-sept	1100	mille cent
28	vingt-huit	2000	deux mille
29	vingt-neuf	1.000.000	un million (m)
30	trente	2.000.000	deux millions (m)

Ordinal numbers

first	premier/première
second	deuxième
eleventh	onzième
twenty first	vingt-et-unième

Quantities and measures

a bottle (of)	une bouteille (de)
about twenty	une vingtaine (de)
about a hundred	une centaine (de)
a dozen	une douzaine (de)
a jar (of)	un pot (de)
a little of/few	(un) peu (de)
a litre (of)	un litre (de)
a lot (of)	beaucoup (de)
a little (of)	un peu (de) a
kilo (of)	un kilo (de)
gramme	gramme (m)
centilitre	centilitre (m)
centimetre	centimètre (m)
metre	mètre (m)
kilometre	kilomètre (m)
less	moins (de)
more	plus (de)
(some) more	encore (de)
a packet (of)	un paquet (de)
a piece (of)	un morceau (de)
a slice (of)	une tranche (de)
a tin, box (of)	une boîte (de)
enough	assez (de)
half	demi
many	beaucoup (de)
quantity	quantité (f)
quarter	quart (m)
quite a few	pas mal (de)
several	plusieurs
some	quelques
third	tiers (m)
too much; too many	trop (de)
weight	poids (m)

Common verbs (continued)

Some useful connecting words

according to	selon
also	aussi
and	et
because	parce que; car
because of	à cause de
but	mais
even if	même si
finally	enfin; finalement
first of all	(tout) d'abord
however	cependant; pourtant
if	si
in order to	pour
or	ou
perhaps	peut-être
since	puisque
so	donc
then	alors; ensuite; puis
therefore	donc

Time expressions

after	après
afternoon	après-midi (m)
already	déjà
always	toujours
as soon as	dès que
at the start	au début
at the same time	en même temps
before	avant
day	jour (m)
day (a whole day)	journée (f)
during/for	pendant
early	de bonne heure; tôt
evening	soir (m)
evening (a whole evening)	soirée (f)
every day	tous les jours
fortnight	quinzaine (f); quinze jours
from	à partir de
from time to time	de temps en temps
just now, in a little while	tout à l'heure
immediately	immédiatement; tout de suite
later	plus tard

Time expressions (continued)

last night (yesterday evening)	hier soir
last night (during the night)	cette nuit
midday	midi
midnight	minuit
minute	minute (f)
morning	matin (m)
morning (the whole morning)	matinée (f)
night	nuit (f)
now	maintenant
once	une fois
on time	à l'heure
since	depuis
soon	bientôt
the day after tomorrow	après-demain
the day before yesterday	avant-hier
the next day; following day	lendemain (m)
the night before; eve	veille (f)
time	heure (f)
today	aujourd'hui
tomorrow	demain
twice	deux fois
week	semaine (f)
weekend	week-end (m); fin de semaine (f)

Times of day

(at) 1 a.m.	(à) une heure du matin; 1h00
1 p.m.	une heure de l'après-midi; 1h00
nine o'clock in the evening	neuf heures du soir
13.00	treize heures; 13h00
at exactly 2 o'clock	à deux heures pile
at about o'clock	vers.....heure(s)
it is five past three	il est trois heures cinq
five to three	trois heures moins cinq
half past ten	dix heures et demie
ten past four	quatre heures dix
ten to four	quatre heures moins dix
quarter to six	six heures moins le quart/moins quinze
quarter past seven	sept heures et quart/quinze

Common verbs (continued)

Days of the week

Monday	lundi
Tuesday	mardi
Wednesday	mercredi
Thursday	jeudi
Friday	vendredi
Saturday	samedi
Sunday	dimanche
(on) Monday	lundi
(on) Monday morning	lundi matin
(on) Monday evening	lundi soir
on Mondays	le lundi
every Monday	chaque lundi; tous les lundis

Months and seasons of the year

month	mois (m)
January	janvier
February	février
March	mars
April	avril
May	mai
June	juin
July	juillet
August	août
September	septembre
October	octobre
November	novembre
December	décembre
season	saison (f)
(in) autumn	(en) automne (m)
(in) spring	(au) printemps (m)
(in) summer	(en) été (m)
(in) winter	(en) hiver (m)

Question words

how?

how much, how many?

what?

what? (as subject)

what? (as object)

what colour?

what like?

(at) what time?

what/which?

when?

where?

which one (s)?

who?

why?

comment?

combien (de)?

que?; quoi?

qu'est-ce qui?

qu'est-ce que?

de quelle couleur?

comment?

à quelle heure?

quel/quelle?

quand?

où?

lequel/laquelle/lesquels/lesquelles?

qui?

pourquoi?

Other useful expressions

all the better

good luck

here is/are

how do you spell that?

I don't know

I don't mind

I don't understand

I'm fine; it's OK

I've had enough

I like it

in my opinion

it annoys me

it depends

it doesn't matter

it's all the same to me

makes me laugh

it's not worth it

you are not allowed to

you must (one must)

personally

of course

okay (in agreement)

once again

so, so

tant mieux

bonne chance; bon courage

voici

ça s'écrit comment?

je ne sais pas

ça m'est égal

je ne comprends pas

ça va

j'en ai assez/marre

ça me plaît

à mon avis

ça m'énerve

ça dépend

ça ne fait rien

ça m'est égal it

ça me fait rire

ce n'est pas la peine

il est interdit de; défense de

il faut

personnellement

bien sûr

d'accord

encore une fois

comme çà, comme ça

Common verbs (continued)

Other useful expressions (continued)

so much the better	tant mieux
that doesn't interest/appeal to me	ça ne me dit rien
that's enough	ça suffit
there is/are	il y a
there is/are (i.e. over there)	voilà
to be about to	être sur le point de
to be in the process of	être en train de
too bad, what a shame	tant pis; dommage
what does that mean?	qu'est-ce que cela veut dire?
with pleasure	avec plaisir; volontiers

Other high-frequency words

as, like	comme
	en
	fin (f)
everybody	tout le monde
except	sauf
figure (number)	chiffre
for example	par exemple
Miss	mademoiselle
Mr (also Sir)	monsieur
Mrs (also Madam)	madame
number	nombre (m)
number (e.g. phone number)	numéro
someone	quelqu'un
something	quelque chose
that	ça/cela
thing	chose (f)
time (occasion)	fois (f)
type (kind of)	genre (m); sorte (f)
way (manner)	façon (f)
with	avec
without	sans

Countries

This list includes some, but not all, countries in which French is spoken. It also includes larger common European countries and non-European countries likely to be familiar to a large number of candidates in the UK. Other countries and nationalities should be taught according to the needs of the candidature.

Algeria	Algérie (f)
Austria	Autriche (f)
Belgium	Belgique (f)
Canada	Canada (m)
China	Chine (f)
Denmark	Danemark (m)
England	Angleterre (f)
France	France (f)
Germany	Allemagne (f)
Great Britain	Grande-Bretagne (f)
Greece	Grèce (f)
Holland	Hollande (f)
India	Inde (f)
Ireland	Irlande (f)
Italy	Italie (f)
Netherlands	Pays-Bas (m/pl)
Pakistan	Pakistan (m)
Russia	Russie (f)
Scotland	Écosse (f)
Senegal	Sénégal (m)
Spain	Espagne (f)
Switzerland	Suisse (f)
Tunisia	Tunisie (f)
Turkey	Turquie (f)
United Kingdom	Royaume-Uni (m)
United States	États-Unis (m/pl)
Wales	Pays de Galles (m)

Common verbs (continued)

Continents

Africa	Afrique (f)
Asia	Asie (f)
Australia	Australie (f)
Europe	Europe (f)
North America	Amérique du Nord (f)
South America	Amérique du Sud (f)

Nationalities

Algerian	algérien/algérienne
American	américain
Austrian	autrichien/autrichienne
Belgian	belge
British	britannique
Canadian	canadien/canadienne
Chinese	chinois
Corsican	corse
Danish	danois
Dutch	hollandais
English	anglais
European	européen/européenne
French	français
German	allemand
Greek	grec/grecque
Indian	indien/indienne
Irish	irlandais
Italian	italien/italienne
Pakistani	pakistanaï
Russian	russe
Scottish	écossais
Spanish	espagnol
Swiss	suisse
Tunisian	tunisien/tunisienne
Turkish	turque
Welsh	gallois

N.B. when using the nationality as a noun (e.g. *she is French* – i.e. *a French woman*) then write the nationality with a capital letter: *Elle est Française*.

Administrative regions of France with English equivalents (of their name)

Brittany	Bretagne (f)
Burgundy	Bourgogne (f)
Normandy	Normandie (f)
Picardy	Picardie (f)
Corsica	Corse (f)
French Guiana	Guyane (f)
Reunion	La Réunion

Areas/mountains/seas

administrative area of France	département Atlantic
ocean	l'Atlantique (m)
Massif Central	le Massif Central (m)
province	province (f)
region	région (f)
the Alps	les Alpes (f/pl)
the Channel Tunnel	le Tunnel (sous la Manche) (m)
the English Channel	la Manche (f)
the Mediterranean sea	la Méditerranée (f)
the Pyrenees	les Pyrénées (f/pl)
the south of France	le Midi (m)
north	nord (m)
south	sud (m)
east	est (m)
west	ouest (m)

Useful acronyms

baccalauréat, school leaving exam	BAC
council house/social housing	HLM
main road (e.g. 'A' road)	RN (route nationale)
secondary school	CES (collège d'enseignement secondaire)
French departments overseas	DOM (m.pl) (départements d'outre-mer)
youth club and arts centre	MJC (maison des jeunes et de la culture (f))
French post office and telecommunications service	P et T; PTT
fast commuter train service (Paris)	RER
French national railway company	SNCF
please (s'il vous plaît)	SVP
high speed train	TGV
homeless	SDF (sans domicile fixe)
European Union	UE

Common verbs (continued)

Social conventions

best wishes	amitiés
don't mention it	de rien
enjoy yourself/yourselves!	amusez-vous bien!
good evening	bonsoir
goodbye	au revoir
goodnight	bonne nuit
have a good journey	bon voyage
have a good day/evening	bonne journée/soirée
hello (on the telephone)	allô hello;
good morning	bonjour
help!	au secours
hi	salut
I beg your pardon? Pardon?	pardon?
It's a pleasure	je t'/vous en prie
meeting; meeting place	rendez-vous (m)
meet you at 6 o'clock	rendez-vous à six heures
no thank you	non merci
of course	bien sûr
please (request – formal)	prière de; veuillez
please (informal) please (polite)	s'il te plaît/s'il vous plaît
see you later	à tout à l'heure; à plus tard
see you soon	à bientôt
see you tomorrow/on Friday	à demain/vendredi
sorry	désolé
(I'm) sorry (informal/formal)	excuse-/excusez-moi
thank you (very much)	merci (bien)

Language used in dialogues and messages

address	adresse (f)
area code	indicatif (m)
call me (informal/formal)	appelle-moi/appelez-moi
dial the number	composer le numéro
email	mail (m); courriel (m)
for the attention of	à l'attention de
further to/following	suite à
I will put you through	je vous le/la passe
I'll be right back	je reviens tout de suite
I'm listening	je vous écoute
message	message (m)
mobile phone	portable (m)
moment	instant (m)
online	en ligne
on the line/speaking	à l'appareil
please repeat that	répétez, s'il vous plaît
postcode	code postal (m)
receiver (telephone)	combiné (m)
sent by	envoi de (m)
stay on the line	ne quittez pas
telephone	téléphone (m)
text message	texto
tone	bip sonore (m)
voice mail	messagerie vocale (f)
wait	patientez
wrong number	faux numéro (m)

Common verbs (continued)

Section 2 – Topic-specific vocabulary

Identity and culture: daily life, food and drink, including eating out

Foundation tier

appetite	appétit (m)
apple	pomme (f)
apricot	abricot (m)
banana	banane (f)
bean	haricot (m)
beer	bière (f)
beef	boeuf (m)
bill	addition (f)
bill	addition (f)
biscuit	biscuit (m); petit gâteau (m)
bottle	bouteille (f)
bread	pain (m)
breakfast	petit déjeuner (m)
brussels sprouts	choux de bruxelles (m.pl)
butter	beurre (m)
cabbage	chou (m)
café	café (m)
cake	gâteau (m)
carrot	carotte (f)
cauliflower	chou-fleur (m)
cereals	céréales (f/pl)
champagne	champagne (m)
cheese	fromage (m)
cherry	cerise (f)
chicken	poulet (m)
chips	frites (f/pl)
chocolate	chocolat (m)
choice	choix (m)
chop (e.g. pork/lamb)	côtelette (f) (de porc/d'agneau)
cider	cidre (m)
closed (on Mondays)	fermé (le lundi)
cocoa	cacao (m)

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coffee	café (m)
cold sliced meat (e.g. salami)	saucisson (m)
cooked, boiled	cuit cream
	crème (f)
crisps	chips (m/pl)
cucumber	concombre (m)
cup	tasse (f)
customer	client/cliente (m/f)
delicious	délicieux/délicieuse
dessert	dessert (m)
dining room	salle à manger (f)
dish of the day	plat du jour (m)
drink	boisson (f)
egg	oeuf (m)
enjoy your meal!	bon appétit
euro	euro (m)
evening meal, dinner	repas du soir; dîner (m)
fish	poisson (m)
fixed price menu	menu à prix fixe (m)
food	alimentation (f)
food	nourriture (f)
food shopping	provisions (f/pl)
fork	fourchette (f)
fruit	fruit (m)
fruit pie	tarte (aux pommes etc.) (f)
fruit juice	jus de fruit (m)
French stick (i.e. long loaf of bread)	baguette (f)
glass	verre (m)
grapefruit	pamplemousse (m)
grapes	raisins (m/pl)
green beans	haricots verts (m/pl)
ham	jambon (m)
hamburger	hamburger (m)
hot chocolate	chocolat chaud (m)
hypermarket	hypermarché (m)

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ice cream	glace (f)
ice cream parlour	glacier (m)
inn (traditional)	auberge (f)
jar	pot (m)
jam	confiture (f)
juice	jus (m)
kebab	brochette (f)
knife	couteau (m)
lamb	agneau (m)
lemon	citron (m)
lemonade	limonade (f)
lettuce, salad	salade (f)
lunch	déjeuner (m)
main course	plat principal (m)
margarine	margarine (f)
meal	repas (m)
meat	viande (f)
meatball	boulette (f)
melon	melon (m)
menu	carte (f)
milk	lait (m)
mince	viande hâchée (f)
mineral water	eau minérale (f)
mixed	mélangé money argent (m)
mushroom	champignon (m)
mustard	moutarde (f)
napkin	serviette (f)
oil	huile (f)
onion	oignon (m)
omelette	omelette (f)
orange	orange (f)
packet	paquet (m)
pasta	pâtes (f/pl)
pâté	pâté (m)

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pastries	pâtisseries (f/pl)
peas	petits pois (m/pl)
peach	pêche (f)
pear	poire (f)
pizza	pizza (f)
pepper	poivre (m)
pepper (vegetable)	poivron (m)
piece of bread (with butter/jam often for breakfast)	tartine (f)
pineapple	ananas (m)
pizzeria, pizza restaurant	pizzeria (f)
place setting	couvert (m)
plate	assiette (f)
plum	prune (f)
pork	porc (m)
portion	portion (f)
pot of coffee	cafetière (f)
potato	pomme de terre (f)
prepared food/ready meal	plat cuisiné (m)
radish	radis (m)
raspberry	framboise (f)
rest day, day off	journée de repos (f)
restaurant	restaurant (m)
rice	riz (m)
roast	rôti
roll (bread)	petit pain (m)
salt	sel (m)
salty/savoury	salé
salad dressing	sauce vinaigrette (f)
sandwich	sandwich (m)
sausage	saucisse (f)
self-service	self-service (m) self (m)
service	service (m)
slice	tranche (f)

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snack	casse-croûte (m)
snack bar	snack (m); quick (m)
snails	escargots (m/pl)
soup	soupe (f)/potage (m)
speciality	spécialité (f)
spoon	cuillère (f)
starter	hors d'oeuvre (m); entrée (f)
strawberry	fraise (f)
steak	steak (m); bifteck (m)
sweet	bonbon (m)
sweet (tasting)	sucré; doux/douce
sugar	sucre (m)
table	table (f)
table cloth	nappe (f)
tart	tarte (f)
tasty	savoureux/savoureuse
tea	thé (m)
tea time snack	goûter (m)
tea room	salon de thé (m)
tea spoon	petite cuiller (f); petite cuillère (f)
tip (money)	pourboire (m)
to order	commander
to pay	payer
to serve	servir
to taste	goûter to
wait at table, to serve	servir
tomato	tomate (f)
tuna	thon (m)
vanilla	vanille (f)
vegetable	légume (m)
vegetarian	végétarien/ne vinegar
	vinaigre (m)
waiter/waitress	serveur (m)/serveuse (f)
water	eau (f)
wine	vin (m)
yoghurt	yaourt (m)

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Higher tier

artichoke	artichaut (m)
appetising	appétissant
beer (from the pump)	pression (f)
bitter	amer/amère
boiled egg; hard-boiled egg	oeuf à la coque (m); oeuf dur (m)
cucumber	concombre (m)
drink before meal	apéritif (m)
duck	canard (m)
fried egg	oeuf au plat (m)
fruit tea	infusion (f)
frogs' legs	cuisse de grenouille (f/pl)
full fat milk	lait entier (m)
garlic	ail (m)
goat's cheese	fromage de chèvre (m)
goose	oie (f)
goose liver pâté	pâté de foie gras (m)
gravy	jus (m)
homemade	fait(e) maison
honey	miel (m)
leeks	poireaux (m/pl)
lettuce	laitue (f) loaf
	pain (m)
medium (steak)	à point
noodles	nouilles (f/pl)
pistachio	pistache (f)
rare (steak)	saignant
raw	cru
raw vegetables starter	crudités (f/pl)
salmon	saumon (m)
saucer	soucoupe (f)
scrambled egg	oeufs brouillés (m/pl)
sea food	fruits de mer (m/pl)
(semi-)skimmed milk	lait (demi)-écrémé (m)
smoked	fumé

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Higher tier (continued)

spicy	épicé
spinach	épinards (m/pl)
steak	entrecôte (f)
steamed (boiled)	à la vapeur
supper	souper (m)
tasty	goûteux/goûteuse
tray	plateau (m)
trout	truite (f)
turkey	dinde (f)
veal	veau (m)
well-cooked	bien cuit/e

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Words relating to dress and style

Foundation tier

belt	ceinture (f)
boots	bottes (f/pl)
boxer shorts	caleçon (m)
bra	soutien-gorge (m)
bracelet	bracelet (m)
cap	casquette (f)
casual jacket	blouson (m)
changing room	cabine d'essayage (f)
clothes	vêtements (m/pl)
clothes (familiar – i.e. gear)	fringues (f/pl)
clothes shop	magasin de mode (m)
coat/overcoat	manteau (m)
cotton (made of cotton)	coton (m) (en coton)
dress	robe (f) dressed in habillé/vêtu de
earring	boucle d'oreille (f)
fashion	mode (f)
fashionable	à la mode
fitting room	cabine d'essayage (f)
glove	gant (m)
handbag	sac à main (m)
hat	chapeau (m)
it fits/suits you	il/elle (te/vous) va bien
jacket	veste (f) jeans jean (m)
jeweller's (shop); jewellery (craft)	bijouterie (f)
jewels	bijoux (m/pl)
leather/made of leather	cuir (m)/en cuir
leggings	caleçon (m)
linen (made of linen)	lin (m) (en lin)
lipstick	rouge à lèvres (m)
loose (i.e. too big)	large
make, brand	marque (f)

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Words relating to dress and style

Foundation tier (continued)

makeup	maquillage (m)
medium (size)	de taille moyenne
necklace	collier (m)
nightdress	chemise de nuit (f)
old fashioned	démodé
old fashioned (vintage, retro style)	rétro
pants, briefs	culotte (f); slip (m)
perfume	parfum (m)
poloshirt	polo (m)
pyjamas	pyjama (m)
ring	bague (f)
scarf	écharpe (f)
shirt	chemise (f)
shoe	chaussure (f)
shoe shop	magasin de chaussures (m)
shorts	short (m)
size (general); shoe size	taille (f); pointure (f)
skirt	jupe (f)
slipper	pantoufle (f)
small	petit
smart	chic
sock	chaussette (f) sports
kit	tenue de sport (f)
sports shirt	maillot (de sport) (m)
spotted	à points
striped	rayé/e
suit	complet (m); costume (m)
style	style (m)
sweater, jumper	tricot (m)/pullover (m)
sweatshirt	sweat (m)
swimming costume/trunks	maillot de bain (m)
tattoo	tatouage (m)
tee shirt	t-shirt (m)
tie	cravate (f)

Words relating to dress and style

Foundation tier (continued)

tights	collant (m)
tracksuit	survêtement (m); jogging (m)
trainers	baskets (f/pl)
trousers	pantalon (m)
umbrella	parapluie (m)
watch	montre (f)
wool (woollen)	laine (f) (en laine)

Words relating to dress and style

Higher tier

cap	képi (m)
cardigan	gilet (m)
dressing gown	robe de chambre (f)
dyed	teint
model	mannequin (m/f)
silk (made of silk)	soie (f) (en soie)
slippers	pantoufles (f/pl)
straw hat	chapeau de paille (m)
tight	serré
to have one's hair cut	se faire couper les cheveux
to have one's hair done	se faire coiffer
to put on makeup	se maquiller
velvet (made of velvet)	velours (m) (en velours)

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Words on relations, relationships, personal and physical characteristics

Foundation tier

adolescent	adolescent/e; ado (m/f)
adult, grown-up	adulte (m/f)
adventurous	aventureux/aventureuse
age	âge (m)
alone	seul
armchair	fauteuil (m)
at home; at my/our house	chez moi/nous
aunt	tante (f)
baby	bébé (m)
bald	chauve
bathroom	salle de bain(s) (f)
beard; bearded	barbe (f); barbu
beautiful	beau/belle
bedroom	chambre (f)
(date of) birth	(date de) naissance (f)
birthday	anniversaire (m)
birthplace	lieu de naissance (m)
block (of flats)	immeuble (m)
born	né
bossy	autoritaire
body piercing	piercing (m)
boy	garçon (m)
brother	frère (m)
brother-in-law/sister-in-law	beau-frère (m)/belle-soeur (f)
brothers and sisters, siblings	frères et soeurs (m/pl)
cat	chat (m)
celebrity	celebrité (f); star (f)
chair	chaise (f)
character	caractère (m)
character, personality	personnalité (f)
charming	charmant
chatty	bavard

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Foundation tier (continued)

child	enfant (m/f)
clothes	vêtements (m/pl)
comfortable (house, furniture)	confortable
cousin	cousin (m); cousine (f)
curly	bouclé; frisé
dad	papa (m)
daughter	fille (f)
dead	mort
dining room	salle à manger (f)
divorced	divorcé dog chien (m)
engaged	fiancé/e
eyes	yeux (m/pl)
face	visage (m)
family	famille (f)
famous	célèbre
father	père (m)
feeling	sentiment (m)
first name	prénom (m)
flat; apartment	appartement (m)
friend	ami/amie (m/f)
friend (also boyfriend, girlfriend)	copain/copine (m/f)
friendly	amical/e
friendship	amitié (f)
furniture	meubles (m/pl)
garden	jardin (m)
garage	garage (m)
girl	fille (f)
glasses	lunettes (f/pl)
goldfish	poisson rouge (m)
grandad	papy (m)/pépé (m)
grandchild	petit-fils (m)/petite-fille (f)
grandfather	grand-père (m)
grandma, granny	mamie (f)/mémé (f)

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Foundation tier (continued)

grandmother	grand-mère (f)
grandparents	grands-parents (m/pl)
guinea pig	cochon d'Inde (m)
guy, dude, bloke	mec (m)
hair	cheveux (m/pl)
half (half-sister etc.)	demi- (demi-soeur etc.)
hamster	hamster (m)
honest	honnête
house	maison (f)
husband	mari (m)
ideal	idéal
in a good/bad mood	de bonne/mauvaise humeur
in love	amoureux/amoureuse
intelligent	intelligent
invitation	invitation (f)
kitchen	cuisine (f)
kiss	baiser (m)
lazy	paresseux/paresseuse
life	vie (f)
lively	animé
living room, front room	salle de séjour (f); séjour (m)
loft	grenier (m)
lounge	salon (m)
man	homme (m)
married	marié
mean, nasty	méchant
member of the family	membre de la famille (m)
mood	humeur (f)
mother	mère (f)
moustache	moustache (f)
mouth	bouche (f)
multicultural	multiculturel

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Foundation tier (continued)

mum	maman
naughty	méchant; vilain
neighbour	voisin/voisine (m/f)
nephew	neveu (m)
nice, kind	gentil/le
nice, likeable	sympa (invariable)
nickname	surnom (m)
niece	nièce (f)
normal	normal/e
old	vieux/vieille
old fashioned	démodé
older	plus âgé/e
oldest (brother/sister)	aîné/e
only child	fils unique (m)/fille unique (f)
optimistic	optimiste
parents	parents (m/pl)
party	fête (f)
party	surprise-partie (f)
penfriend	correspondant/correspondante (m/f)
people	gens (m/pl)
person	personne (f)
pessimistic	pessimiste
pet	animal domestique (m)
picture	image (f) place
of residence	domicile (m)
present; gift	cadeau (m)
rabbit	lapin (m)
reasonable	raisonnable
relationship	rapports (m/pl)
religion	religion (f)
self (myself, yourself etc.)	moi-même/toi-même etc.
selfish	égoïste
semi-detached house	maison jumelée (f)
sense of humour	sens de l'humour (m)

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Foundation tier (continued)

separated	séparé
serious	sérieux/sérieuse
single	célibataire
sister	soeur (f)
sofa; settee	sofa (m)
son	fil(s) (m)
son-in-law/daughter-in-law	beau-fils (m)/belle-fille (f)
step (members of family)	beau-/belle- e.g. beau-frère
straight (hair)	raide
study (room)	bureau (m)
surname	nom de famille (m)
survey	sondage (m)
terraced house	maison mitoyenne (f)
thin/slim	mince
tidy; neat	rangé to
annoy	agacer
to argue, to quarrel	se disputer
to babysit	faire du baby-sitting
to be called	s'appeler
to be in a good/bad mood	être de bonne/mauvaise humeur
to care for, to look after	garder
to celebrate	fêter
to chat, chatter	bavarder
to get divorced	divorcer
to get on (well) with	s'entendre (bien) avec
to look (e.g. angry/happy etc.)	avoir l'air
to respect	respecter
to separate, to split up	séparer
tortoise	tortue (f)
tropical fish	poisson tropical (m)
twin	jumeau/jumelle
twin brothers	frères jumeaux (mpl)
ugly	moche; laid
uncle	oncle (m)

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unemployed	au chômage
unbearable	insupportable
untidy	en désordre
visit	visite (f)
well behaved	sage
wife, woman	femme (f)
youth (i.e the time of life)	jeunesse (f)

Words on relations, relationships, personal and physical characteristics

Higher tier

a good deed	une bonne action (f)
acquaintance, friend	connaissance (f)
adopted	adopté
adventurous	aventureux/aventureuse
annoying	agaçant
argument	dispute (f)
career	carrière (f)
character trait	trait (m)
cheeky	effronté
comfortable (at ease)	à l'aise
conceited	vaniteux/vaniteuse
depressed	déprimé
discrimination	discrimination (f)
faith (religious)	foi (f)
fiancé(e)	fiancé (m) fiancée (f)
furnished	meublé
gang	bande (f)
gender, sex	sexe (m)
generous	généreux/généreuse
hall (in house); lobby	vestibule (m)
identical twins	vrais jumeaux (m); vraies jumelles (f)
independent	indépendant/e

Words on relations, relationships, personal and physical characteristics

Figuration (continued)

jealous	jaloux/jalouse
loyal, faithful	fidèle
mad, crazy	fou/folle
meeting	réunion (f)
old age/third age	troisième âge (m)
old people's home	maison de retraite (f)
pensioner, senior citizen	retraité
pretentious	prétentieux/prétentieuse
priest	prêtre (m); curé (m)
racist	raciste
relationship	rappports (m/pl)
relative, relation	parent (m); parente (f)
reliable	fiable
role model	modèle (m)
self-confident	confiant
self- confident	sûr de soi
sensitive	sensible
sexist	sexiste
similar	similaire
single parent	mère/père célibataire
single person; single	célibataire (m/f)
spoilt	gâté
spot, pimple	bouton (m)
stubborn	têtu
study; home office	cabinet de travail (m); bureau (m)
to disadvantage	désavantager
to experience	expérimenter
to pick on, to harass, to bully	harceler
to resemble/look like	ressembler à
to support	soutenir
to thank	remercier
underage	mineur/e
understanding	compréhensif/ve
well-balanced	équilibré

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Foundation tier (continued)

activity	activité (f)
adventure film	film d'aventure/d'action
athletics	athlétisme (m)
badminton	badminton (m)
ball	ballon (m)
band/group	groupe (m)
basketball	basket (m)
body building	muscultation (f)
book	livre (m)
boxing	boxe (f)
bridegroom	marié (m)
camera	appareil photo (m)
canoeing	canoë-kayak (m)
cartoon	dessin animé (m)
cat	chat/chatte (m/f)
CD (compact disc)	disque compact (m); CD
celebration, party	fête (f)
changing rooms	vestiaires (m/pl)
chess	jeu d'échecs (m); échecs (mpl)
Christmas	Noël (m)
Christmas Eve	veille de Noël (f)
clarinet	clarinette (f)
classical, classic	classique
climbing/rock climbing	escalade (f)
club	club (m)
collect	collectionner
collection	collection (f)
comic (magazine)	BD (m)
competition	concours (m); compétition (f)
computer game	jeu vidéo (m)
concert	concert (m)
cycling	cyclisme (m)
dance/dancing	danse (f)
detective/police (story)	roman policier (m)
disco (place)	disco(thèque) (f)

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documentary	documentaire (m)
drums	batterie (f)
Easter	Pâques
Easter Monday	lundi de Pâques (m)
engagement	fiançailles (f/pl)
entertainment	divertissement (m)
equipment	équipement (m)
extreme sports	sports extrêmes (m/pl)
fanatical about	fanatique de
fantasy film	film de fantaisie (m)
flute	flûte (f)
folk music	musique folk (f)
football	football (m)
free time	temps libre (m)
game	jeu (m)
games console	console de jeux (f)
Good Friday	vendredi saint (m)
guitar	guitar (f)
gymnastics	gymnastique (f)
handball	handball (m)
Happy birthday!	Bon anniversaire
Happy New Year!	Bonne année!
hobby; leisure activity	passe-temps (m)
hockey	hockey (m)
horror film	film d'épouvante/d'horreur
ice skating	patinage (m); patin à glace (m)
judo	judo (m)
karate	karaté (m)
keyboard	clavier (m)
leisure	loisirs (m/pl)
Lent (period leading up to Easter)	Carême (m)
life	vie (f)
magazine	magazine (m); revue (f)
marriage; wedding	mariage (m)
martial arts	arts martiaux (m/pl)

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Foundation tier (continued)

mobile phone	portable (m) mothers' day fête des mères (f)
mountain bike	VTT (m) (vélo tout terrain)
mountaineering	alpinisme (m)
MP3 player	mp3 (m) music musique (f)
New Year	Nouvel An (m)
news	actualités (f/pl); informations (f/pl); infos
nightclub	boîte de nuit (f)
orchestra	orchestre (m)
parachuting	parachutage (m)
paragliding	parapente (f)
petanque (outdoor game similar to bowls)	pétanque (f); boules (f/pl)
piano	piano (m)
play (theatre)	pièce de théâtre (f)
player	joueur (m) joueuse (f)
pleasure/amusement	plaisir (m)
pocket money	argent de poche (m)
pop music	musique pop (f)
quiz show	jeu télévisé (m)
race/racing	course (f)
rap	rap (m)
reading	lecture (f)
recorder (instrument)	flute à bec (f)
referee	arbitre (m)
riding	équitation (f)
rock music	rock (m)
roller blading	roller (m)
romantic	romantique
romantic film/love film	film romantique (m)
rugby	rugby (m)
sailing	voile (f)
saxophone	saxophone (m)
science fiction film	film de science-fiction (m)
series	série (f)

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show (theatre etc.); TV show	spectacle (m); émission (f)
singer	chanteur/chanteuse (m/f)
skate boarding	skate (m)
skiing	ski (m)
soap (opera)	feuilleton (m)
song	chanson (f)
sport	sport (m)
sports ground	terrain de sport (m)
sporty	sportif/sportive
spy story	histoire d'espionnage (f)
squash	squash (m)
stage	scène (f)
stereo system/music centre	chaîne hi-fi (f)
straight (hair)	raide
surfing	surf (m)
swimming	natation (f)
table tennis	tennis de table (m); ping-pong (m)
team	équipe (f)
tennis	tennis (m)
thriller	(film/histoire) de suspense (m/f)
to take out for a walk (dog)	promener toy jouet (m)
trampolining	trampoline (m)
trumpet	trompette (f)
TV channel	chaîne (f)
twelfth night/Epiphany/6 th January	fête des Rois (f)
violin	violon (m)
volleyball	volley (m)
water skiing	ski nautique (m)
western (film etc.)	Western (m)
windsurfing	planche à voile (f)
X box	X box (f)
youth club	club des jeunes (m); maison des jeunes (f)

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Foundation tier (continued)

archery	tir à l'arc (m)
board game, electronic game	jeu de société ; jeu électronique (m)
cable TV	télévision par câble (f); câble (m)
camcorder/video camera	caméra (f)
championship	championnat (m)
detective/mystery/police (film)	polar (m); film policier (m)
DIY (do it yourself)	bricolage (m)
drama (TV etc.)	comédie dramatique (f)
dubbed (film)	doublé
earphones	écouteurs (m/pl)
engagement	fiançailles (f/pl)
fencing	escrime (f)
fishing rod	canne à pêche (f)
goal	but (m)
half-time	mi-temps (f)
knowledge	connaissances (f/pl)
league; division (sports)	ligue (f)
marriage ceremony; wedding	noces (f/pl)
melody/tune	mélodie (f)
musical comedy (a musical)	comédie musicale (f)
original version	version originale (f)
remote control	télécommande (f)
rowing	aviron (m)
sailing boat	voilier (m)
satellite TV	télévision satellite (f)
scuba diving	plongée sous-marine (f)
sitcom	comédie de situation (f)
sports equipment	articles de sport (m/pl)
subtitles	sous-titres (m/pl)
tournament	tournoi (m)
viewer/audience	spectateur (m); spectatrice (f)

Identity and culture: cultural life

Verbs associated with cultural life

to attend (match etc.)	assister à
to be a member of	faire partie de
to congratulate	féliciter
to get married	se marier
to go bowling (tenpin)	faire du bowling
to dance	danser
to do sport	faire du sport
to do gymnastics	faire de la gymnastique
to exercise	faire de l'exercice
to fish/go fishing	pêcher; aller à la pêche
to go for a walk/stroll	se promener
to go for a walk/stroll	faire une promenade
to go horse riding	faire de l'équitation/du cheval
to hike, ramble	faire des randonnées
to roller-skate	faire du patin à roulettes
to sail	faire de la voile
to score a goal	marquer un but
to shoot	tirer
to skateboard	faire du skate
to swim	nager; faire de la natation
to take part (in)	participer (à)
to train	s'entraîner

Identity and culture: using social media

blog	blog (m)
chatroom	forum (m)
(to) chat online	tchatter (en ligne)
computer	ordinateur (m)
connection	lien (m); connexion (f)
cyber bullying	cyber harcèlement (m)
digital	numérique
disk	disquette (f)
e-mail	mail (m); courrier électronique (m)
homepage	page d'accueil (f)
internet	internet (m)
internet page	page internet (f)
password	mot de passe (m)
risk	risque (m)
screen	écran (m)
security	sécurité (f)
social network	réseau social (m)
software	logiciel (m)
to burn	copier
to download	télécharger
to erase, delete	effacer
to load	charger
to save, to store	sauvegarder
to surf (the net)	surfer sur internet
to type	taper
to upload	mettre en ligne
virus	virus (m)
web	toile (f); web (m)
webcam	webcam (f)
web page	page web (f)
website	site internet (m); site web (m)

Local area, holiday and travel

Foundation tier (continued)

abroad	à l'étranger
accommodation	logement (m)
adult	adulte
agricultural	agricole
air conditioning/air-con	climatisation (f)
airport	aéroport (m)
area (in town)	quartier (m)
arrival	arrivée (f)
art gallery	galerie d'art (f)
bakery; baker's shop	boulangerie (f)
balcony	balcon (m)
bank	banque (f)
bar	bar (m)
basement	sous-sol (m)
bath	bain (m)
bathroom	salle de bains (f)
beach	plage (f)
bed	lit (m)
bed and breakfast accommodation	chambre d'hôte (f) bed
linen	linge de lit (m)
bicycle/bike	vélo (m); bicyclette (f)
boat	bateau (m)
book of tickets	carnet (m)
border	frontière (f)
bowling alley	bowling (m)
brand/make	marque (f)
bridge	pont (m)
brochure/leaflet	brochure (f)
building	bâtiment (m)
bus (by bus)	(auto)bus (m) (en bus)
bus/coach station	gare routière (f)
bus stop	arrêt de bus (m)
business/trade	commerce (m)
butcher's shop	boucherie (f)
café	café (m)

Local area, holiday and travel

calm/peaceful	calme; tranquille
campsite	camping (m)
to camp	faire du camping
car	voiture (f); auto (f)
caravan	caravane (f)
car park	parking (m)
castle	château (m)
cathedral	cathédrale (f)
church	église (f)
cinema	cinéma (m)
closed	fermé
closing	fermeture (f)
coach	car (m) coast côte (f)
comfortable	confortable
commercial	commercial
compartment	compartiment (m)
concert	concert (m)
connection	correspondance (f)
corner (i.e. nation)	coin (m) country pays (m)
countryside	campagne (f)
crossing (ferry)	traversée (f)
crossroads	carrefour (m)
cycle path	piste cyclable (f)
degree	degré (m)
delay	retard (m)
department (in a shop)	rayon (m)
department store	grand magasin (m)
departure	départ (m)
destination	destination (f)
diesel (fuel)	gasoil (m)
direct	direct
direction	direction (f)

Local area, holiday and travel

Foundation tier (continued)

disco	discothèque/disco (f)
double room	chambre pour deux personnes (f)
driver	conducteur (m); conductrice (f)
driving licence	permis de conduire (m)
electrical goods (retailer)	(magasin d')électroménager (m)
emergency	urgence (f) enjoy
your stay!	bon séjour!
entertainment, things to do	distractions (f/pl)
entrance	entrée (f)
exhibition	exposition (f)
exit	sortie (f)
factory	usine (f)
fare	tarif (m)
farm	ferme (f)
ferry	ferry (m)
free (available, vacant)	libre
flight	vol (m)
floor (1st, 2nd)	étage (m)
(it is) forbidden to...	défense de; interdit de
foreigner	étranger/étrangère (m/f)
form	fiche (f)
full (hotel etc.)	complet
full board (all meals included)	pension complète (f)
games room	salle de jeux (f)
garage, service station, petrol station	station service (f)
grocery; grocer's shop	épicerie (f)
ground floor	rez-de-chaussée (m)
guest (in a hotel); customer	client (m) guided
tour	visite guide (f)
half board (B and B and evening meal)	demi-pension (f)
heating	chauffage (m)
hill	colline (f)
hire of/hiring/renting (e.g. bike; house)	location (f)
to hire	louer
historic	historique

Local area, holiday and travel

Foundation tier (continued)

holiday, fair, festival	fête (f)
hospital	hôpital (m)
hotel	hôtel (m)
household goods shop (cleaning materials etc.)	droguerie (f)
hypermarket	hypermarché (m)
ice rink	patinoire (f)
identification; ID	pièce d'identité (f)
in advance	en avance
included	inclus
indoor swimming pool	piscine couverte (f)
industry	industrie (f)
industrial	industriel/le
information office	bureau d'accueil/de renseignements (m)
inside	à l'intérieur
journey	voyage (m)
journey (short)	trajet (m)
key	clef/clé (f)
lake	lac (m)
left luggage office/locker	consigne (f)
leisure centre	centre de loisirs (m)
library	bibliothèque (f)
lift	ascenseur (m)
line/route	ligne (f)
litter/rubbish bin	poubelle (f)
lively	animé
local inhabitant	habitant/e (m/f)
lorry	camion (m)
lost property office	bureau des objets trouvés (m)
luggage	bagages (m/pl)
luxurious	de luxe
map (of a country, road map)	carte (f)
map (of the town)	plan (de la ville) (m)
market	marché (m)
means of transport	moyen de transport (m)
monument	monument (m)

Local area, holiday and travel

Foundation tier (continued)

moped	mobylette (f)
motorbike	moto (f)
motorway	autoroute (f)
mountain	montagne (f)
mosque	mosquée (f)
museum	musée (m)
newspaper stall	kiosque à journaux (m)
nightclub	boîte de nuit (f)
occupied/taken	occupé
office	bureau (m)
open	ouvert
on foot	à pied
on the left	à gauche
on the right	à droite
one way street	sens interdit/unique (m)
outing; trip	excursion (f)
outside	à l'extérieur
outside/in the open air	en plein air
to pack/unpack (cases)	faire/défaire la valise
palace	palais (m)
park	jardin public (m); parc (m)
passenger	passager/passagère (m/f)
passport	passeport (m)
passport control	contrôle des passeports (m)
pedestrian	piéton (m)
pedestrian area	zone piétonne (f)
pedestrian crossing	passage piéton (m)
petrol	essence (f)
picturesque	pittoresque
pillow	oreiller (m)
pitch (for tent)	emplacement (m) place
	endroit (m); lieu (m)
playground	terrain/aire de jeux (m)
plane	avion (m)
platform	quai (m)

Local area, holiday and travel

Foundation tier (continued)

policeman	policier (m); agent de police (m/f)
police station	commissariat (m)
port	port (m)
postcard	carte postale (f)
poster/notice	affiche (f)
post office	poste (f)
price list	liste des prix (f)/tarif (m)
priority	priorité (f)
problem	problème (m)
public holiday	jour férié (m) ; jour de fête (m)
public transport	transports en commun (m/pl)
public/municipal	publique; municipal
railway	chemin de fer (m)
reception	réception (f); accueil (m)
receptionist	réceptionniste (m/f)
reduction	reduction (f)
region	région (f) rent;
rental	loyer (m)
rented holiday cottage	gîte (m)
reservation	réservation (f)
return ticket	(billet) aller-retour (m)
river	rivière (f); fleuve (m)
road	route (f)
road map	carte routière (f)
road/street	rue (f)
(bed)room (in a hotel)	chambre (f)
sea	mer (f)
(at the) seaside	au bord de la mer
season	saison (f)
sheet	drap (m)
ship	navire (m)
shop	magasin (m)
shopping centre	centre commercial (m)
show	spectacle (m)

Local area, holiday and travel

Foundation tier (continued)

shower	douche (f)
shower block (e.g. on campsite)	bloc sanitaire (m)
sign	panneau (m)
single ticket	aller simple (m)
single room	chambre pour une personne (f)
situated	situé
ski resort	station de ski (f)
sleeping bag	sac de couchage (m)
sleeping car (in a train)	wagon-lit (m)
snack bar, buffet (on a train)	buffet (m)
snack bar	snack (m)
soap	savon (m)
souvenir	souvenir (m)
sports centre	centre sportif (m)
spacious	spacieux/spacieuse
square (in town)	place (f)
stadium	stade (m)
star	étoile (f)
stairs; staircase	escalier (m)
station (railway)	gare (f)
stop (bus, tram etc.)	arrêt (m)
suburb; outskirts of town	banlieue (f)
suitable for drinking	potable
suitcase	valise (f)
summer camp	colonie de vacances (f)
supplement	supplément (m)
supermarket	supermarché (m)
swimming pool	piscine (f)
taxi	taxi (m)
television set	téléviseur (m)/poste de télévision (m)
tent	tente (f)
tennis court	court de tennis (m)

Local area, holiday and travel

Foundation tier (continued)

theatre	théâtre (m)
ticket; tram, bus or metro ticket	billet (m); ticket (m)
ticket inspector	contrôleur (m)
ticket office	guichet (m)
till; cash desk	caisse (f)
timetable	horaire (m)
tobacconist's shop	(bureau de) tabac (m)
toilets	toilettes (f/pl)
toilet paper	papier hygiénique (m)
toothbrush	brosse à dents (f)
toothpaste	dentifrice (m)
tour	tour (m)
tourist	touriste (m)
tourist (adjective)	touristique
tourist attraction	site touristique (m), attraction (f)
tourist information office	office de tourisme (m)
tower	tour (f)
town	ville (f)
town centre	centre-ville (m)
town hall	mairie (f); hôtel de ville (m)
traffic	circulation (f)
traffic jam	embouteillage (m)
traffic lights	feux (m/pl)
train	train (m)
tram	tramway (m)
travel agency	agence de voyage (f)
traveller	voyageur (m)
(to) turn/switch on	allumer
(to) turn/switch off	éteindre
twin-bedded room	chambre à deux lits (f)
underground railway	métro (m) underground
station	station de métro (f)
unleaded petrol	essence sans plomb (f)
view (over)	vue (f) (sur)

Local area, holiday and travel

village	village (m)
waiting period/time limit	délai (m)
waiting room	salle d'attente (f)
wash basin	lavabo (m)
way out/exit	sortie (f)
welcome	accueil (m)
window	fenêtre (f)
(shop) window	vitrine (f)
winter holidays	vacances d'hiver (f/pl)
youth hostel	auberge de jeunesse (f)

Local area, holiday and travel

Higher tier

ATM/cash point	distributeur d'argent (m)
air transport	transport aérien (m)
bed and breakfast accommodation	chambre d'hôte (f)
bedlinen	linge de lit (m)
(bike) hire	location de vélos (f)
(to) board (plane, ship)	embarquer
(to) brake	freiner
brakes	freins (m/pl)
canal	canal (m)
coming/arriving from (planes, trains)	en provenance de
Customs	douanes (f/pl)
door (of train etc.)	portière (f)
dry cleaner's; dry cleaning	pressing (m); nettoyage à sec (m)
emergency exit	sortie de secours (f)
event	événement (m)
fast train	(train) express (m)
fireworks	feux d'artifice (m/pl)
fountain	fontaine (f)
heavy goods vehicle (HGV)	poids lourd (m)
helicopter	hélicoptère (m)
hospitality	hospitalité (f)

Local area, holiday and travel

Registration (continued)

hypermarket	grande surface (f); hypermarché (m)
ironmonger's/hardware shop	quincaillerie (f)
launderette	laverie automatique (f)
level crossing	passage à niveau (m)
motorway junction	intersection (f)
motorway services	aire (de repos) (f)
no entry (when driving)	sens interdit (m)
no parking	stationnement interdit (m)
noise	bruit (m)
(to) overtake	doubler
package holiday	voyage organisé (m)
park; green space	espace vert (m)
policeman	gendarme; policier (m)
police station	gendarmerie (f)
procession	défilé (m)
registration/booking in	enregistrement (m)
roundabout (in road)	rond-point (m)
run over (traffic accident)	écraser
rush hour	heures de pointe (f/pl)
savings bank	caisse d'épargne (f)
seaside resort	station balnéaire (f)
seat belt	ceinture de sécurité (f)
sound and light (show)	spectacle son et lumière (m)
speed	vitesse (f)
speed limit	limitation de vitesse (f)
surrounding area, vicinity	environs (m/pl)
to put someone up; accommodate	loger
to take place	avoir lieu
to stay (for a holiday)	séjourner
toll	péage (m)
(to) validate a ticket (e.g. train, tram)	composter
winter/skiing holiday	vacances de neige (f/pl)
vehicle	véhicule (m)

Phrases associated with weather

Foundation tier (continued)

bad	mauvais
bright	clair
climate	climat (m)
cloud	nuage (m)
cloudy	nuageux
cold	froid (m)
degree (temperature)	degré (m)
dry	sec
fog	brouillard (m)
heat	chaleur (f)
highest temperature	température maximale (f)
hot	chaud
in the east	dans l'est/à l'est
in the north	dans le nord/au nord
in the south	dans le sud/au sud
in the west	dans l'ouest/à l'ouest
it is freezing	il gèle
it is lightning	il y a des éclairs
it is raining	il pleut
it is snowing	il neige
it is thundering	il y a du tonnerre/il fait du tonnerre
lowest temperature	température minimale (f)
mist	brume (f)
nice (weather)	beau
overcast	couvert
rain	pluie (f)
season	saison (f)
sky	ciel (m)
snow	neige (f)
storm	orage (m); tempête (f)
(it is) stormy	il fait de l'orage
sun	soleil (m)
sunny	ensoleillé
the sun is shining	il fait du soleil/il y a du soleil
to freeze	geler

Phrases associated with weather

Foundation tier

to rain	pleuvoir
to shine	briller
to snow	neiger
weather	temps (m)
weather report	météo (f)
wind	vent (m)

Phrases associated with weather

Higher tier

average temperature	température moyenne (f)
bright spell	éclaircie (f)
changeable	variable; incertain
hail	grêle (f)
high temperature	température élevée (f)
low temperature	température basse
misty	brumeux
rainy	pluvieux
showers	averses (f/pl)
stormy	orageux
to brighten up	s'éclaircir
to hail	grêler
weather forecast	prévisions météo (f/pl)

Asking for directions

are you going on foot/in a car?	vous allez à pied/en voiture?
as far as	jusqu'à
continue	continue/continuez
cross (over)	traverse/traversez
go straight on	va/allez tout droit
high street/main street	grande rue (f)
how do I get to?	pour aller à..?
it is 100 metres away	c'est à 100 mètres
it is very close	c'est très près
take the first road on the left	prends/prenez la 1ère rue à gauche
turn left	tourne/tournez à gauche
turn right	tourne/tournez à droite

Dealing with problems

Foundation tier (continued)

address	adresse (f)
bill (invoice)	facture (f)
bill	note (f)
breakdown	panne (f)
broken	cassé
colour	couleur (f)
complaint	plainte (f)
correct number	bon numéro (m)
customer	client (m)/cliente(f)
customer service	accueil (m)
damage	endommagement (m)
delivery	livraison (f)
email address	adresse email (f)
form	formulaire (m)
guarantee	garantie (f)
mistake	erreur (f)
mistake/fault	faute (f)
payment method	mode de paiement (m)
purse	portemonnaie (m)
quantity	quantité (f)

Dealing with problems

Foundation tier

receipt	reçu (m)
reduction	réduction (f)
repair	réparation (f)
replacement (part)	produit de remplacement (m); pièce de remplacement (f)
service	service (m)
size	taille (f)
theft; robbery	vol (m)
to complain	se plaindre
to deliver	livrer
to exchange	échanger
to guarantee	garantir
to pay	payer
to repair	réparer
to replace	remplacer
telephone number	numéro de telephone (m)
to work, function	marcher/fonctionner
waiting time	délai (m)
wallet	portefeuille (m)
wrong number	faux numéro (m)

Dealing with problems

Higher tier

instructions for use	mode d'emploi (m)
insurance	assurance (f)
progress, improvement	progrès (m)
to bring back; take back	rapporter; ramener
to return/give back	rendre
to insure	assurer

School

Foundation tier (continued)

absent	absent
A Levels (equivalent)	bac(calauréat) (m)
achievement, performance	niveau (m)
answer	réponse (f)
art	dessin (m)
biology	biologie (f)
board (blackboard, whiteboard etc.)	tableau (m)
book	livre (m)
break	récréation (f)/récré (f)
calculator	calculatrice (f)
canteen	cantine (f)
careers adviser	conseiller (m)/conseillère (f) d'orientation
caretaker	concierge (m/f)
changing room	vestiaires (m/pl)
chemistry	chimie (f)
choir	chorale (f)
class test, assessment	contrôle (m)
classroom	salle de classe (f)
clever	intelligent
secondary school	collège (d'enseignement secondaire) (m)
copy; script (exam paper)	copie (f)
corridor	couloir (m)
desk	pupitre (m)
detention	retenue (f)
dictionary	dictionnaire (m)
drama	art dramatique (m)
drama group, acting group	groupe théâtral (m)
DT (design technology)	technologie (f)
education	éducation (f)
English	anglais (m)
examination	examen (m)
exchange	échange (m)
exercise book	cahier (m)
exercise, practice	exercice (m)

School

Foundation tier

experiment	expérience (f)
fair	juste
felt tip	feutre (m)
first day back at school	rentrée (f)
food technology	arts ménagers (m/pl)
foreign languages	langues étrangères (f/pl)
fountain pen	stylo à encre (m)
French	français (m)
future plans	projets pour l'avenir (m/pl)
GCSE equivalent	brevet (m)
geography	géographie (f)
German	allemand (m)
glue	colle (f)
gym	gymnase (m)
gymnastics	gymnastique (f) half-term mi-trimestre (m)
hardworking	travailleur/travailleuse
headteacher	directeur/directrice (m/f)
history	histoire (f)
history-geography; humanities	histoire-géo (f)
(school) holidays	vacances (scolaires) (f/pl)
homework	devoirs (m/pl) ICT informatique (f)
Italian	italien (m)
kindergarten, nursery school	(école) maternelle (f)
laboratory	laboratoire (m)
(modern) languages	langues (vivantes) (f/pl)
language lab	laboratoire de langues (m)
latin	latin (m)
lesson	cours (m)
library	bibliothèque (f)
lunch break	heure du déjeuner (f)
mark, grade	note (f)

School

Foundation tier (continued)

maths	mathématiques (f/pl)/maths (f/pl)
media studies	étude des medias (f)
mixed	mixte
music	musique (f)
oral	oral/e
pad of paper	bloc-notes (m)
page	page (f)
PE	éducation physique (f)/EPS (f)
pen, ballpoint pen	stylo (m)
pencil	crayon (m)
pencil case	trousse (f)
physics	physique (f)
plan, project	projet (m)
playground	cour de récréation (f)
present (in school)	présent
primary school	école primaire (f)
private school	école privée (f)
progress	progrès (m)
projector	projecteur (m)
personal and social education (PSE)	instruction civique (f)
pupil	élève (m/f)
qualification	diplôme (m)
question	question (f)
religion, Religious Studies	religion (f)
report	bulletin scolaire (m)
result	résultat (m)
rubber	gomme (f)
rule	règle (f)
ruler	règle (f)
secondary school	collège (m) (11-15 yrs old); lycée (m) (15-18 yrs old)
school bag	cartable (m) school
book	livre d'école (m)
school bus	car de ramassage (m)

School

Foundation tier (continued)

school day	journée scolaire (f)
school group/party	groupe scolaire (m)
school hall	hall de l'école (m)
school keeper; caretaker	concierge (m/f)
school leaving certificate	certificat de fin d'études (m)
school report, certificate	bulletin scolaire (m)
school trip	excursion scolaire (f)
school year	année scolaire (f)
sciences	sciences (f/pl)
scissors	ciseaux (m/pl)
serious (hardworking)	sérieux/sérieuse
semester	semestre (m)
sharpener	taille-crayon(s) (m)
sixth form	lycée (m)
sociology	sociologie (f)
Spanish	espagnol (m)
sports field	terrain de sport (m)
sports hall, gym	salle de sports (f); gymnase (m)
staff room	salle des profs (f)
state	État (m)
state school	école publique (f)
strict	strict; sévère
strong, good at (subject)	fort/forte; bon/bonne (en)
student	étudiant/e
subject	matière (f)
success	succès (m); réussite (f)
successful	réussi
summer holidays	grandes vacances (f/pl)
supply teacher; cover teacher	remplaçant/e (m/f)
team	équipe (f)
technology	technologie (f); EMT (f)
term	trimestre (m)
test	contrôle (m)
tie	cravate (f)

School

timetable	emploi du temps (m)
to calculate	calculer
to correct	corriger
to pass (exam)	réussir
to pay attention; to be careful	faire attention
to practise	pratiquer
to repeat	répéter
to repeat a year	redoubler
to revise	réviser
to sit an exam	passer un examen
to teach	enseigner
to work hard	travailler dur
unfair	injuste
uniform	uniforme (m)
vocational school; technical college	lycée d'enseignement professionnel/LEP (m)
weak, bad at (subject)	faible; mauvais/mauvaise (en)
worksheet	fiche de travail (f)
yr 7	sixième (f)
yr 8	cinquième (f)
yr 9	quatrième (f)
yr 10	troisième (f)
yr 11	seconde (f)
yr 12	première (f)
yr 13	terminale (f)

School

Foundation tier (continued)

ballpoint pen	stylo bille (m)
biology	sciences naturelles (f/pl); sciences nat
boarding school	pensionnat (m); internat (m)
business studies	commerce (m)
class register	appel (m)
core/compulsory subject	matière obligatoire (f)
degree (university)	licence (f)
do badly; fail	échouer
economics	économie (f)
essay	rédaction (f)
final exam	examen final (m)
foreign language assistant	assistant/e (de français etc.)
gifted	doué
headteacher of lycée or college	proviseur (m)
ink cartridge	cartouche (d'encre) (f)
meeting, discussion	réunion (f)
optional (subject)	facultatif/ve
parents' evening	rencontre parents-professeurs (f)
permission	autorisation (f)
physics and chemistry	sciences physiques (f/pl)
pressure	pression (f)
pronunciation	prononciation (f)
sociology	sociologie (f)
studies	études (f/pl)
supervisor	surveillant/surveillante (m/f)
to agree (with) something	accepter/être d'accord
to be cancelled (lessons)	être annulé
to drop a subject	laisser tomber
to have a detention	être en retenue/être collé
to improve (one's knowledge/skills in)	perfectionner
to move up (to the next form/year)	passer (en classe supérieure)
to pronounce	prononcer
to skive/to skip/bunk lessons	sécher les cours
to spell	épeler
to teach	enseigner
to translate	traduire
training centre	centre de formation (m)
translation	traduction (f)
waste of time	perte de temps (f)
(to do a) written punishment, lines	écrire des lignes

Future aspirations, study and work

Foundation tier

actor, actress	acteur/actrice (m/f)
advertisement	annonce (f); publicité (f)
air hostess/air steward	hôtesse (f)/steward (m) de l'air
ambition	ambition (f)
answerphone	répondeur (m)
apprenticeship	apprentissage (m)
architect	architecte (m)
artist	artiste (m/f)
badly paid	mal payé
baker	boulangier/boulangère (m/f)
builder	maçon (m)
business/shop	commerce (m)
busy	occupé
butcher	boucher/bouchère (m/f)
cashier	caissier/caissière (m/f)
charity	organisation charitable (f)
civil servant	fonctionnaire (m/f)
coffee (tea/lunch) break	pause-café (thé/déjeuner) (f)
colleague	collègue (m/f)
computer science	informatique (f)
computer scientist	informaticien/ne (m/f)
conference	conférence (f)
cook	cuisinier/cuisinière (m/f)
degree (university)	licence (f)
(a) day's leave	jour de congé (m)

Future aspirations, study and work

Foundation tier (continued)

dentist	dentiste (m/f)
designer	dessinateur/dessinatrice (m/f)
doctor	médecin (m/f); docteur (m)
drama	art dramatique (m)
drama	théâtre (m)
dream	rêve (m)
driver	chauffeur (m)
educational	éducatif/ve
electrician	électricien/électricienne (m/f)
(bank) employee	employé(e) (de banque)
employer	employeur (m)
engineer	ingénieur (m)
experienced	expérimenté
farmer	fermier/fermière (m/f)
farmer worker	agriculteur/agricultrice (m/f)
fashion	mode (f)
file	classeur (m); fichier (m)
fireman	pompier (m)
folder	dossier (m)
form	formulaire (m)
interview (job)	entretien (m)
interview (TV or magazine)	entrevue (f)
job	emploi (m)
journalist	journaliste (m/f)
language	langue (f)
manager	gérant/e (m/f); directeur/directrice (m/f)
marketing	marketing (m)
mechanic	mécanicien/mécanicienne (m/f)
meeting	réunion (f)
musician	musicien/musicienne (m/f)
nurse	infirmier/infirmière (m/f)
part time	mi-temps
per hour	à l'heure
pharmacist	pharmacien -ne

Future aspirations, study and work

Foundation tier (continued)

plan, project	projet (m)
planned	prévu
plumber	plombier (m)
poet	poète (m/f)
police officer	agent de police (m/f); policier (m)
programmer	programmeur (m)
rep, sales representative	représentant (m)
salary	salaire (m)/paie (f)
sewing, tailoring	couture (f)
situation wanted	demande d'emploi (f)
skills	compétences (f/pl)
society/company	société (f)
student	étudiant/e (m/f)
teacher	professeur (m)
teacher (primary)	instituteur/institutrice (m/f)
technician	technicien/technicienne (m/f)
telephone call	coup de téléphone (m)
terms of employment	conditions de travail (f/pl)
to apply for a job	poser sa candidature
to do a course	faire un stage
to fill in a form	remplir un formulaire
to file	classer
to organise	organiser
to print	imprimer
to study	faire des études
to type	taper
training	formation (f)
travel agency	agence de voyages (f)
unemployment	chômage (m)
university	université (f)
voluntarily, without pay	bénévolement
waiter/waitress	serveur/serveuse (m/f)
well paid	bien payé
work	travail (m)
work experience	stage (en entreprise) (m)

Future aspirations, study and work

Higher tier

(data) file	fichier (m)
aim; goal	but (m)
apply at/go to e.g. ask at reception	s'adresser/s'adresser à
apply; enroll	s'inscrire
appointment	rendez-vous (m)
apprentice	apprenti/e
charity sale (e.g. bake sale)	vente de charité (f)
data base	base de données (f)
enclosed	ci-inclus
forward slash	slash (m)
hard disk	disque dur (m)
higher education	études universitaires (f/pl)
impression	impression (f)
in aid of	au profit de
internship	stage (m)
job advert; vacancy	offre d'emploi (f)
job; position	emploi (m); poste (m)
key (on keyboard)	touche (f)
keyboard	clavier (m)
law (study of the subject)	droit (m)
letter of application	lettre de candidature (f)
link	lien (m) médecine
(study of the subject)	médecine (f)
memory card	carte mémoire (f)
mouse	souris (f)
printer	imprimante (f)
profession, job, occupation	métier (m)
programmer	programmeur (m)
promotion prospects	possibilités d'avancement (f/pl)
qualification	diplôme (m)
qualified	qualifié; diplômé
school education	éducation (f)
signature	signature (f)
success	succès (m)/réussite (f)

Future aspirations, study and work

Higher tier

successful	réussi
teaching; education (as a subject)	enseignement (m)
to apply for a job	poser sa candidature
to enclose, to attach	joindre
to introduce oneself	se présenter touch
screen	écran tactile (m)
underscore	soulignement (m)
university (informal)	fac(ulté) (f)
voluntary work	travail volontaire (m)
volunteer	volontaire (m/f)
webmail	web-mail (m)
word processing	traitement de texte (m)
work (informal)	boulot (m)

Future aspirations, study and work

International and global dimension: bringing the world together, environmental issues

Foundation tier

advantages/disadvantages	avantages (m/pl)/désavantages (m/pl)
animals	animaux (m/pl)
campaign	campagne (f)
charity	organisation charitable (f)
coal	charbon (m)
country	pays (m)
disaster	désastre (m); catastrophe (f)
drinking water	eau potable (f)
drought	sécheresse (f)
earth	terre (f)
electricity	électricité (f)
energy; power	énergie (f)
environment	environnement (m)
fair trade	commerce équitable (m)
(music) festival	festival (de musique) (m)
flood; flooding	inondation (f)
for/against	pour/contre
(rain)forest	forêt (f) (tropicale)
gas	gaz (m)
global; world wide	mondiale
hunger; famine	faim (f); famine (f)
hurricane	ouragan (m)
international	international
lack (of)	manque (de) (m)
natural resources	ressources naturelles (f/pl)
oil	pétrole (m)
Olympic games	jeux olympiques (m/pl)
people	gens (m/pl)
planet	planète (f)
pollution	pollution (f)
poverty	pauvreté (f)
protection	protection (f)
recycling	recyclage (m)
rubbish	ordures (f/pl)
to die	mourir

International and global dimension: bringing the world together, environmental issues

Foundation tier (continued)

to live	vivre
to pollute	polluer
to protect	protéger
to recycle	recycler
to save (water)	économiser (l'eau)
war	guerre (f)
world	monde (m)
world cup (football)	coupe du monde (de football) (f)

International and global dimension: bringing the world together, environmental issues

Higher tier

climate (adjective)	climatique
earthquake	tremblement de terre (m)
fresh water	eau douce (f)
global warming	réchauffement de la terre (m)
instant	instantané
malnourished	mal nourri
rights of man; peoples' rights	droits de l'homme (m/pl)
salt water	eau salée (f)
security	sécurité (f)
solar power	énergie solaire (f)
species	espèces (f/pl)
sports event	rencontre sportive (f)
spying	espionnage (m)
starving	affamé
to (make) compost	faire du compost
to benefit	bénéficier
to lack	manquer
to contaminate	contaminer
to save; to keep safe	sauver; sauvegarder
to sort/separate (e.g. rubbish)	trier
to stay in contact	rester en contact
to survive	survivre
to threaten	menacer
unfortunate; needy	malheureux/malheureuse
volcano	volcan (m)