

BEGINNER1. LESSON #50. WHAT DO I KNOW ?

Here we are... Last lesson in Beginner 1.
We made quite a way together !

What do you know in French at this point ?

- You know how to **introduce yourself and to speak about your family**.
- You know to make **declarative, interrogative and imperative sentences**. You know **negative form** too.
- You know the **determinants** : articles such as *le, las, les, un, une, des* and determinants such as *mon, ton, son* or *ce, cette, ces*.
- You know important rules about **adjectives** : how they agree with the noun, how some of them change at feminine or plural form. You know how to use the comparative and the superlative forms. And you heard a little about their position before or after the noun they go with.
- You know how to **conjugate** *être, avoir, pouvoir, savoir* and every -er verb (first group) in the **present tense**.

What about looking right now to some other and really useful verbs such as *prendre, vouloir, aller, mettre* and *voir* ?

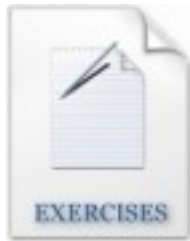
| Prendre (to take) | Vouloir (to want) | Aller (To go) | Mettre (to put on) | Voir (to see) |
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| <i>Je prends</i> | <i>Je veux</i> | <i>Je vais</i> | <i>Je mets</i> | <i>Je vois</i> |
| <i>Tu prends</i> | <i>Tu veux</i> | <i>Tu vas</i> | <i>Tu mets</i> | <i>Tu vois</i> |
| <i>Il prend</i> | <i>Il veut</i> | <i>Il va</i> | <i>Il met</i> | <i>Il voit</i> |
| <i>Nous prenons</i> | <i>Nous voulons</i> | <i>Nous allons</i> | <i>Nous mettons</i> | <i>Nous voyons</i> |
| <i>Vous prenez</i> | <i>Vous voulez</i> | <i>Vous allez</i> | <i>Vous mettez</i> | <i>Vous voyez</i> |
| <i>Ils prennent</i> | <i>Ils veulent</i> | <i>Ils vont</i> | <i>Ils mettent</i> | <i>Ils voient</i> |

- And you met a **lot of words** (almost 400) which allow you to speak about lots of things, in really different domains, such as work, children, food and so on.

In Beginner 2 we'll go further but following the same way.

We'll continue with Marie and Jean, and their families. We'll see what happens to them. That will allow us to meet other words, other verbs, other tenses (past and future). And we'll continue with them to discover French civilization and way of live.

Let's continue to learn French with them !



Translate in English

1. Bonjour. Je m'appelle Laure, j'ai 18 ans.
2. Mon fils s'appelle Paul.
3. Cette petite fille est jolie.
4. Où est ma fourchette ?
5. Je veux la salade et du vin.
6. Tu as eu une mauvaise note. La pire de toutes.
7. Ce gâteau au chocolat est meilleur que cette tarte aux pommes.
8. Nous savons nager.
9. Ce petit garçon qui s'appelle Nicolas est gentil.

Translate in French

1. Do you want any milk with your cereals ?
2. I like teaching history.
3. It's difficult to buy a big appartement in Paris.
4. These red flowers are very beautiful but they are expensive too.
5. Firemen have a tall grey ladder.
6. Tomorrow we're going to the zoo.
7. The woman who sells flowers is very pretty.
8. My bag is under the small black table.

