

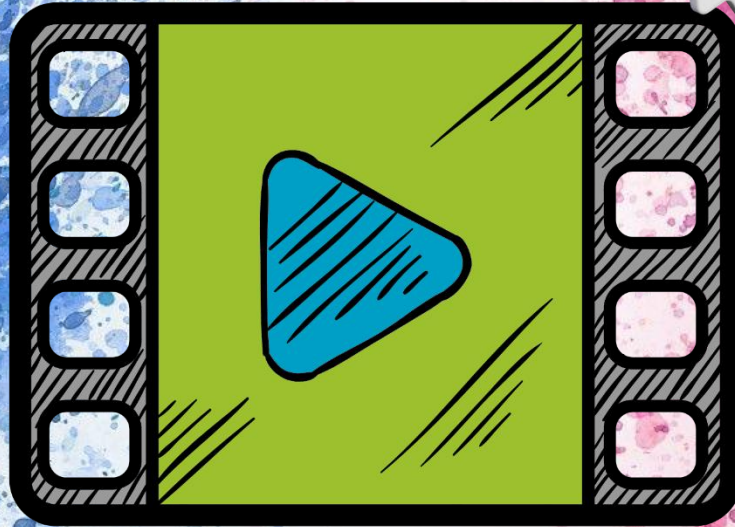


GCSE French

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What will I do in French at GCSE?

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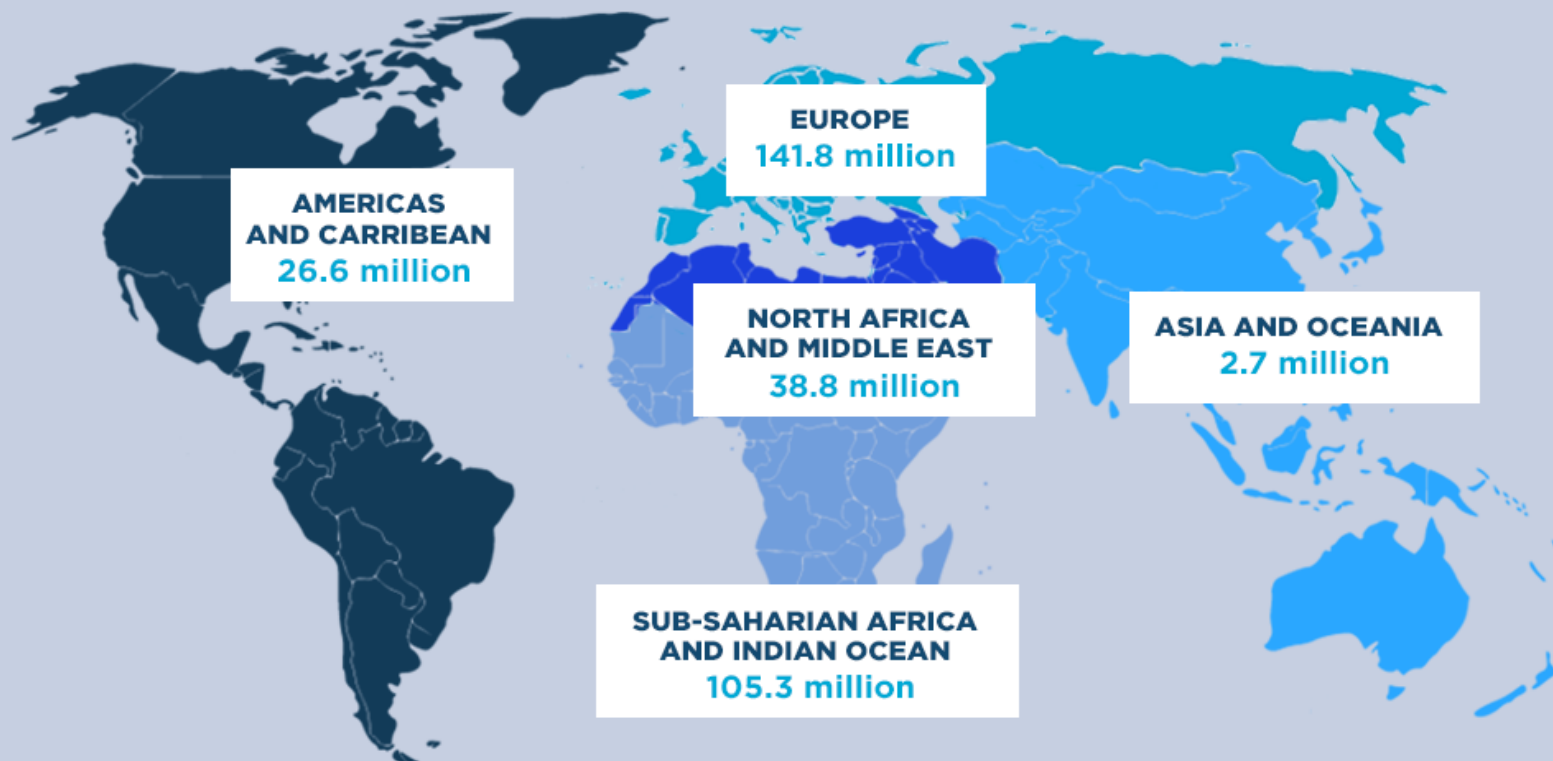
to play Subject Video

Not everyone will go on to use their skills in their jobs but it can be useful in normal life too!





French speakers around the world



315.2 million french speakers worldwide

Source: Organisation internationale de la francophonie, 2018

And look how many people you would be able to communicate with!

Where can languages take me?

These are just a few places that studying languages can take you in your future!



		Departures			
07 :30	Delay dementia	Go to gate	15 :30	Study abroad	Gate G36
08 :00	Doctor	Final Call	16 :00	Translator	Boarding
08 :30	Teacher	Boarding	16 :30	Tour guide	Go to gate
09 :00	Reduce racism	Go to gate	17 :00	Ambassador	Final Call
09 :30	Listening skills	Final Call	17 :30	Journalist	Final Call
10 :00	Actor	Boarding	18 :00	Lawyer	Boarding
10 :30	Communication	Go to gate	18 :30	Diplomat	Gate G35
11 :00	Pilot	Gate G34	19 :00	Determination	Go to gate
11 :30	Politician	Boarding	19 :30	Youtuber	Boarding
12 :00	Meet friends	Go to gate	20 :00	Resilience	Final Call
12 :30	Cabin crew	Final Call	20 :30	Marketing	Gate G37
13 :00	Problem solving	Gate G38	21 :00	Footballer	Boarding
13 :30	Au pair	Go to gate	21 :30	Work abroad	Gate opens 20 :00
14 :00	Interpreter	Boarding	22 :00	See the world	Gate opens 20 :00
14 :30	Lecturer	Boarding	23 :00	University	Gate opens 20 :00
15 :00	Engineer	Final Call	00 :00	Sales rep	Gate opens 20 :00

Foundation: Grades 1-5

AO1 - FOUNDATION LISTENING

35 minutes plus 5 minutes reading time
40 marks



Section A - questions in ENGLISH

Section B - questions in FRENCH

You will hear each item twice and you can make notes at any time during the test.

AO2 - FOUNDATION SPEAKING

7-9 minutes plus 12 minutes preparation time
60 marks

Role play - 15 marks, 2 minutes

Photo card - 15 marks, 2 minutes

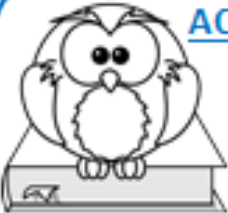
General conversation - 30 marks, 3-5 minutes



This test will be with your teacher and it will be recorded to be sent to the exam board.

AO3 - FOUNDATION READING

45 minutes
60 marks



Section A - questions in ENGLISH

Section B - questions in FRENCH

Section C - translation into ENGLISH (min 35 words)

This test will include authentic texts.

AO4 - FOUNDATION WRITING

60 minutes
50 marks



Q1 - 8 marks, 4 sentences, response to photo

Q2 - 16 marks, approx. 40 words, respond to 4 points

Q3 - 10 marks, translation to FRENCH, min. 35 words

Q4 - 16 marks, approx. 90 words, choice of two Qs

Instructions in English, questions in French.

Higher: Grades 4-9

AO1 - HIGHER LISTENING

45 minutes plus 5 minutes reading time
50 marks



Section A - questions in ENGLISH

Section B - questions in FRENCH

You will hear each item twice and you can make notes at any time during the test.

AO2 - HIGHER SPEAKING

10-12 minutes plus 12 minutes preparation time
60 marks

Role play - 15 marks, 2 minutes

Photo card - 15 marks, 3 minutes

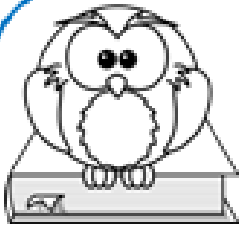
General conversation - 30 marks, 5-7 minutes



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AO3 - HIGHER READING

60 minutes
60 marks



Section A - questions in ENGLISH

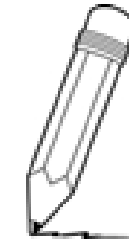
Section B - questions in FRENCH

Section C - translation into ENGLISH (min 50 words)

This test will include authentic texts.

AO4 - HIGHER WRITING

75 minutes
60 marks



Q1 - 16 marks, approx. 90 words, choice of two Qs

Q2 - 32 marks, approx. 150 words, choice of two Qs

Q3 - 12 marks, translation to FRENCH, min. 50 words

All instructions on your writing paper will be in English but all questions will be in French.