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Topic: Ma vie de famille Year: 6 French

# What should I already know?

In year 5, modules covering greetings, numbers, class items, description and basic opinion were covered. This should help you to start describing other people.

# What will I know by the end of the unit?

#### l can...

- say what pet I have
- count up to 100
- talk about family members
- describe what people look like
- use the possessives 'my' and 'your' correctly
- describe where I live
- talk about rooms
- use –er verbs with nous
- say what I eat and drink for breakfast
- use the partitive article
- understand information about Bastille Day
- understand –er verbs with nous and ils/elles
- look words up in the glossary
- describe an imaginary family
- adapt texts by substituting words



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# Vocabulaire

# Point de départ (pages 82-83)

le pays de Galles Wales le Portugal Portugal 4 6 1 la Belgique Belgium la France France la Grèce Greece la Pologne Poland la Suisse Switzerland l'Allemagne Germany l'Angleterre England l'Écosse Scotland l'Espagne Spain l'Irlande Ireland

l'Irlande du Nord Northern Ireland

l'Italie Italy

As-tu un animal? Have you got a pet?

J'ai ... I have ...
un chat a cat
un chien a dog

un cochon d'Inde a Guinea pig
un hamster a hamster
un lapin a rabbit
un lézard a lizard
un oiseau a bird
un poisson a fish
un serpent a snake

20 vingt 30 trente 40 quarante cinquante 50 soixante 60 soixante-dix 70 80 quatre-vingts 90 quatre-vingt-dix cent 100

Je n'ai pas d'animal.

# Unité 1 (pages 84-85) Décris-moi ta famille

la famille family la famille d'accueil foster family (step-)father le (beau-)père grandfather le grand-père le (demi-)frère (half/step-)brother le fils / la fille son / daughter la (belle-)mère step-mother la grand-mère grandmother la (demi-)sœur (half/step-)sister les parents parents il/elle est ... he/she is ...

de taille moyenne
il/elle a les yeux ...
bleus / verts / marron
il/elle a les cheveux ...
noirs / blonds
roux / gris / bruns
courts / longs / mi-longs

bouclés / raides

une barbe

des taches de rousseur

des tatouages

il/elle porte des lunettes

medium-sized
he / she has ... eyes
blue / green / brown
he/she has ... hair
black / blond
red / grey / brown
short / long /
medium-length
curly / straight

I don't have a pet.

a beard freckles tattoos

the garden

he/she wears glasses

# Unité 2 (pages 86-87) Où habites-tu?

petit(e)

grand(e)

tranquille

grand

small.

tall

peaceful

bia

Où habites-tu? Where do you live? J'habite ... I live ... en Angleterre in England in Wales au pays de Galles dans un appartement in a flat in a house dans une maison J'aime habiter ici. I like living here. Je n'aime pas habiter ici. I don't like living here. C'est ... lt's ...

trop petit
II n'y a pas de place.
le salon
la cuisine
la chambre
la salle de bains
la salle à manger

le jardin

confortable

comfortable
too small
There's no space / room.
the living room
the kitchen
the bedroom
the bathroom
the dining room

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# Unité 3 (pages 88-89) Qu'est-ce que tu manges au petit déjeuner?

Qu'est-ce que tu manges au What do you have petit déjeuner? for breakfast?

Je mange ... / eat ...

un croissant a croissant
un fruit a piece of fruit
du pain (grillé) (toasted) bread

du beurre butter
du bacon bacon
du yaourt yoghurt

une tartine a slice of bread with jam

or spread

de la confiture jam des céréales cereal des œufs eggs Je bois ... I drink ... du jus de fruits fruit juice du chocolat chaud hot chocolate du lait milk de l'eau water

Je ne mange rien. I don't eat anything.

# Unité 4 (pages 90-91) On fait la fête!

le 14 juillet Bastille Day un bal a dance

la fête nationale national holiday regarder un feu d'artifice to watch fireworks un jour de congé a day off faire un pique-nique to have a picnic un défilé (militaire) a (military) parade faire la fête to celebrate

#### Unité 5 (pages 92-93) Une drôle de famille

grincheux(-se) furieux(-se) angry grumpy studieux(-se) studious il habite he lives elle habite she lives marrant(e) funny sévère strict ils habitent they live maigre thin

#### Les mots essentiels High-frequency words

nothing

Pronoun	
nous	we
Prepositions	
de	of
dans	in
à	in/at
Other useful words	
du/de la/de l'/des	some

(ne) ... rien ....

#### Stratégie 4

#### Cognates and near-cognates

- 1 Cognates may have the same spelling in French and English, but don't forget to learn them! You need to learn them with the correct article, e.g. *le Portugal*, *des céréales*.
- Watch for small differences in spelling between English and French e.g. appartement, chocolat. Try to spot patterns: -ic is -ique in words like piquenique;
  - -y is -ie in words like Italie.
- 3 Remember that the pronunciation might sound quite different to the spoken English form. How do you pronounce these cognates?

France Portugal hamster parents fruits

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Linguascope is a site where you can create avatars, comic strips and find games on every topic we cover in French. Every student has full access to all levels. Learning homeworks will sometimes be set using the presentations from Linguascope.

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