

FRENCH SPELL BEE®

14th Edition 2026-27

(The World's Largest French Language Contest)

PREPARATION GUIDE BOOK

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Niveau Débutant

(Classes 4th, 5th & 6th)

Preface

It gives us immense pleasure to present to you, the guide book for the 14th edition of The International French Spell Bee (2026-27). The primary goal of launching French Spell Bee in non- Francophone Countries was to complement the regular French course syllabus followed in schools and institutions. In a way that the students naturally develop more interest in learning French as a language rather than just completing a subject.

The Spell Bee contest has been designed to focus on correct pronunciations and improve a pupil's listening abilities, which play an essential role in learning a language in a more comprehensive way. The uniqueness of this guide book is that it contains theme-based vocabulary from the popular French Text books available in the market. The key objective of this guide book is to make students more competent French learners, as well as enhancing their capability of pronouncing, reading and writing numerous words that will enable them to acquire functional knowledge of the French language.

Over 400 plus words have been handpicked from different text books available in the market for each level which is about 80% of the total vocabulary. Moreover, we have added 20% of new words which are primarily part of the DELF Junior A1 / A2 syllabus as per FEI (France Education International) and the CECRL (Cadre européen commun de référence pour les langues)

This is the eighth edition which has been revised to include additional Francophone theme-based vocabulary depending on the levels i.e. debutant, intermediate and advance. Following are the three main pedagogical objectives that we've taken in consideration for the above- mentioned amendments:

1. Satisfying learner's language curiosity and needs by vehemently providing them new vocabulary and expressions.
2. Acquisition of more vocabulary with a view of making the learner an independent learner being responsible for his own learning process.
3. Exploring more aspects of Francophone culture and civilization

In order to make this guide more user friendly we would like to indicate that while going through the given vocabulary based on different themes, you will come across some nouns along with a few abbreviations. For example, n/m, n/f, n/m/f, m/f, etc.

The list of all the abbreviations accompanied by their full forms are:

n/m-nom masculin, n/f- nom féminin, n/m/f- nom masculin et féminin, m/f- masculin et féminin, n/m/pl.- nom masculin pluriel, n/f/pl.- nom féminin pluriel, n/m/f/pl.- nom masculin et féminin pluriel

Apart from this guide, we encourage students to participate in mock tests and other resources available on our website i.e. www.frenchspellbee.fr

At the end of this guide book we have for you the rules for the Final Round so that you can start preparing accordingly and well in advance.

To know more about other programs offered by Le Frehindi, visit our website www.lefrehindi.com

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Lastly, we hope that this guidebook coupled with the help from your French Teachers will fill you with a lot of confidence not only to prepare well but also to succeed in the International French Spell Bee Competition 2026-2027. Bon courage!

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1st Round:

The 1st round will be held online through our virtual platforms from 1st September 2026 to 1st October 2026. More information for the same will be provided to you soon.

2nd Round:

The 2nd round will be held online through our virtual platforms from 1st October 2026 to 1st December 2026. More information for the same will be provided to you soon.

3rd & Final Round:

The Final Round will take place at New Delhi in the 3rd week of January 2027 (Tentatively). This will be a grand on-stage live contest between all the finalists, across all levels.

Tie Breaker Round (if required): After 10th December 2026.

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FRENCH PUNCTUATIONS	
.	Le point
Œ	La ligature de <i>o</i> et <i>e</i>
,	La virgule
:	Les deux-points, Les double points
;	Le point-virgule
'	L'apostrophe (f)
!	Le point d'exclamation
?	Le point d'interrogation
...	Les points de suspension
-	Le trait d'union
—	Le tiret
_	Le souligner, Le tiret bas
°	Le symbole du degré
« »	Les guillemets (m)
()	Les parenthèses (f)
[]	Crochets (droits) (m)
{ }	Les accolades (f)
< >	Les crochets fléchés (m), Les crochets pointus (m)
&	L'esperluette, Le « et » commercial, La perluète
*	L'astérisque (m)
#	Le dièse (Fr), Le carré (Can)
\$	Le signe du dollar, Le dollar
£	Le symbole livre
%	Le signe de pour-cent, Le pour-cent
+	Le signe plus
-	Le signe moins
=	Le signe égal
<	Le signe inférieur
>	Le signe supérieur
	La barre verticale, Le tube
/	La barre oblique, Le trait oblique, Le slash
\	La barre oblique inverse, L'anti slash (m)

@	L'arobase (f), Le « à » commercial
´	L'accent aigu
`	L'accent grave
^	L'accent circonflexe
¨	L'accent tréma
ç	La cédille
ABC	Les lettres majuscules (f)
abc	Les lettres minuscules

NIVEAU DÉBUTANT
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*denote: n-noun; m-masculine; f-feminine; pl-plural; vl-vowel

	<u>FRENCH</u>	<u>ENGLISH</u>
S.No.	Les salutations et formules de politesse	Greetings
1	À plus tard!	See you later!
2	À demain!	See you tomorrow!
3	À bientôt!	See you soon!
4	À tout à l'heure!	See you later!
5	À lundi!	See you on Monday!
6	Adieu!	Goodbye!
7	Au revoir!	Bye!
8	Bienvenue!	Welcome
9	Bonjour!	Hello (formal)/ Good morning
10	Bon anniversaire!	Happy birthday!
11	Bonne chance!	Good luck
12	Bonne journée!	Good day!
13	Bonne nuit!	Good night!
14	Bonne année!	Happy new year!
15	Bonsoir!	Good evening!
16	Bon courage!	All the best!
17	Comment ça va?	How are you? (informal)
18	Comment allez-vous?	How are you? (formal)
19	Comment vas-tu?	How are you? (informal)
20	Ça va bien, Merci!	Fine, thank you!
21	Ça va pas!	It is not fine!
22	De rien!	You are welcome!
23	Désolé/e!	Sorry!
24	Enchanté/e	Delighted to meet you!
25	Excusez-moi!	Excuse me!
26	Félicitations!	Congratulations!
27	Madame	Madam/ Mrs.
28	Mademoiselle	Miss
29	Merci!	Thank you!
30	Monsieur	Sir/ Mr.
31	Pardon!	Pardon!

32	Pardonne-moi!	Forgive-me! (informal)
33	Pardonnez-moi!	Forgive-me! (formal)
34	S'il te plaît!	Please! (informal)
35	S'il vous plaît!	Please! (formal)
36	Salut!	Hi! (informal)
37	Bon après-midi!	Good afternoon!
38	Quoi de neuf?	What's up?
39	Pas mal	Not bad
40	Comme ci comme ça	So so
S.No.	Les fruits et les légumes	Fruits and vegetables
1	L'abricot (n/m) (fruit)	Apricot
2	L'aubergine (n/f) (légume)	Eggplant (Brinjal)
3	L'oignon (n/m) (légume)	Onion
4	L'ail (n/m) (légume)	Garlic
5	La banane (fruit)	Banana
6	Le brocoli (légume)	Broccoli
7	La carotte (légume)	Carrot
8	La cerise (fruit)	Cherry
9	Le chou (légume)	Cabbage
10	L'ananas (m) (fruit)	Pineapple
11	Le citron (fruit)	Lemon
12	Le maïs (légume)	Corn
13	Le kiwi (fruit)	Kiwi
14	Les épinards (n/m/pl) (légume)	Spinach
15	La fraise (fruit)	Strawberry
16	La framboise (fruit)	Raspberry
17	Les haricots verts (m/pl) (légume)	French green beans
18	La laitue (légume)	Lettuce
19	La mangue (fruit)	Mango
20	Le melon (fruit)	Melon
21	La noix de coco (fruit)	Coconut
22	L'orange (n/f) (fruit)	Orange
23	Le navet (légume)	Turnip
24	Le pamplemousse (fruit)	Grapefruit
25	La pastèque (fruit)	Watermelon
26	La pêche (fruit)	Peach
27	Les petits pois (m/pl) (légume)	Peas

28	La poire (fruit)	Pear
29	Le poivron (légume)	Capsicum
30	La pomme (fruit)	Apple
31	La pomme de terre (légume)	Potato
32	La prune (fruit)	Plum
33	Le radis (légume)	Radish
34	Le raisin (fruit)	Grape
35	La salade (légume)	Salad
36	La tomate (légume)	Tomato
S.No.	La famille	Family
1	Le beau-fils	Son-in-law/ Stepson
2	Le beau-père	Father-in-law/Stepfather
3	Les beaux-parents	In-laws
4	Le beau-frère	Brother-in-law
5	La belle-fille	Daughter-in-law / Stepdaughter
6	La belle-mère	Mother-in-law / Stepmother
7	Le cousin/ la cousine	Cousin
8	Les enfants (n/m/pl)	Children
9	La femme	Wife / Woman
10	La fille	Daughter / Girl
11	Le fils	Son
12	Le frère	Brother
13	La grand-mère	Grandmother
14	Le grand-père	Grandfather
15	Les grands-parents (n/m/pl)	Grand-parents
16	Le mari	Husband
17	La belle-mère	Mother-in-law/Stepmother
18	Le neveu	Nephew
19	La nièce	Niece
20	L'oncle (n/m)	Uncle
21	Les parents (n/m/pl)	Parents
22	Le père	Father
23	La petite-fille	Grand daughter
24	Le petit-fils	Grandson
25	Les petits-enfants (n/m/pl)	Grand children
26	La sœur	Sister
27	La tante	Aunt

S.No.	Les nombres	Numbers
1	Zéro	Zero
2	Un	One
3	Deux	Two
4	Trois	Three
5	Quatre	Four
6	Cinq	Five
7	Six	Six
8	Sept	Seven
9	Huit	Eight
10	Neuf	Nine
11	Dix	Ten
12	Onze	Eleven
13	Douze	Twelve
14	Treize	Thirteen
15	Quatorze	Fourteen
16	Quinze	Fifteen
17	Seize	Sixteen
18	Dix-sept	Seventeen
19	Dix-huit	Eighteen
20	Dix-neuf	Nineteen
21	Vingt	Twenty
22	Vingt-et-un	Twenty-one
23	Vingt-deux	Twenty-two
24	Vingt-trois	Twenty-three
25	Vingt-quatre	Twenty-four
26	Vingt-cinq	Twenty-five
27	Vingt-six	Twenty-six
28	Vingt-sept	Twenty-seven
29	Vingt-huit	Twenty-eight
30	Vingt-neuf	Twenty-nine
31	Trente	Thirty
S.No.	Les mois de l'année (always begins with Minuscule)	Months
1	janvier	January
2	février	February
3	mars	March

4	avril	April
5	mai	May
6	juin	June
7	juillet	July
8	août	August
9	septembre	September
10	octobre	October
11	novembre	November
12	décembre	December
S.No.	Les saisons	Seasons
1	L'automne	Autumn
2	Le printemps	Spring
3	L'été	Summer
4	L'hiver	Winter
S.No.	Les jours de la semaine	Days of the week
1	dimanche	Sunday
2	lundi	Monday
3	mardi	Tuesday
4	mercredi	Wednesday
5	jeudi	Thursday
6	vendredi	Friday
7	samedi	Saturday
S.No.	Parties de la journée	Parts of the day
1	L'aube (f)	Dawn
2	Le matin	Morning
3	Le midi	Noon
4	L'après-midi (m)	Afternoon
5	Le soir	Evening
6	Le crépuscule	Dusk
7	La nuit	Night
8	Le minuit	Midnight
S.No.	Les unités de temps	The units of time
1	Le temps	Time
2	La période	Period
3	Le quotidien	Daily
4	La durée	Duration

5	L'intervalle (m)	Interval
6	La seconde	Second
7	Le moment	Moment
8	La minute	Minute
9	L'heure (f)	Hour
10	Le jour	Day
11	La semaine	Week
12	Le mois	Month
13	L'an (m) / L'année (f)	Year
14	La décennie	Decade
15	Les siècles (m)	Centuries
S.No	Les moyens de communication	Means of Communication
1	La lettre	Letter
2	Le courriel	Email
3	Le téléphone	Phone
4	Le message	Message
5	Internet	Internet
6	La radio	Radio
7	La télévision	Television
8	Le journal	Newspaper
9	L'affiche (f)	Poster
10	La publicité	Advertisement
S.No	Les inventions célèbres	Famous Inventions
1	L'ampoule	Light bulb
2	Le téléphone	Telephone
3	L'avion	Airplane
4	L'ordinateur	Computer
5	L'imprimerie	Printing press
6	Le microscope	Microscope
7	L'appareil photo	Camera
8	La machine à écrire	Typewriter
9	Le satellite	Satellite
10	La calculatrice	Calculator
S.No	Les matières scolaires	School Subjects
1	Le français	French
2	Les mathématiques	Mathematics
3	L'histoire (f)	History

4	La géographie	Geography
5	Les sciences	Science
6	La musique	Music
7	L'art (m)	Art
8	Le sport	Sports
9	L'informatique (f)	Computer Science
10	L'anglais (m)	English
S.No	Les sports	Sports
1	Le football	Soccer/Football
2	Le tennis	Tennis
3	Le basket-ball	Basketball
4	La natation	Swimming
5	L'athlétisme (m)	Athletics
6	Le rugby	Rugby
7	Le cyclisme	Cycling
8	Le ski	Skiing
9	Le badminton	Badminton
10	Le judo	Judo
S.No	Les instruments de musique	Musical Instruments
1	Le piano	Piano
2	La guitare	Guitar
3	Le violon	Violin
4	La trompette	Trumpet
5	La flûte	Flute
6	La batterie	Drum kit
7	Le saxophone	Saxophone
8	L'harpe (f)	Harp
9	La clarinette	Clarinet
10	Le xylophone	Xylophone
S.No.	Les mots liés à la météo	Words related to weather
1	La grêle	Hail
2	La glace	Ice
3	L'éclair (m)	Lightning
4	L'averse (f)	Rain shower
5	L'arc-en-ciel (m)	Rainbow
S.No.	Les éléments climatiques	Climatic elements

1	La pluie	Rain
2	La neige	Snow
3	Le vent	Wind
4	L'orage (m)	Thunderstorm
5	Les nuages (m/pl)	Clouds
S.No.	Les parties du corps	Body parts
1	La bouche	Mouth
2	Le coude	Elbow
3	Les cils (m/pl)	Eyelashes
4	Le cou	Neck
5	Le genou	Knee
6	La jambe	Leg
7	La joue	Cheek
8	La langue	Tongue
9	Le nez	Nose
10	Le sourcil	Eyebrow
11	La tête	Head
12	L'estomac (m)	Stomach
13	Le visage	Face
14	Le doigt	Finger
15	Le dos	Back
16	La main	Hand
17	Le menton	Chin
18	L'épaule (n/f)	Shoulder
19	Le pied	Foot
20	Le bras	Arm
21	Les cheveux (n/m/pl)	Hair
22	Les yeux (n/m/pl)	Eyes
23	Les lèvres (n/f/pl)	Lips
24	Les dents (n/f/pl)	Teeth
25	L'œil (n/m)	Eye
26	L'oreille (f)	Ear
27	La poitrine	Chest
28	Le poignet	Wrist
29	La cheville	Ankle
30	L'orteil (n/m)	Toe
31	Le front	Forehead

32	La peau	Skin
33	La mâchoire	Jaw
34	Le coude	Elbow
35	Le pouce	Thumb
S.No.	Les verbes	Verbs
1	acheter	To buy
2	adorer	To adore
3	aimer	To love, To like
4	avoir	To have
5	changer	To change
6	chanter	To sing
7	donner	To give
8	écouter	To listen
9	être	To be
10	étudier	To study
11	fermer	To close
12	faire	To do/make
13	jouer	To play
14	laver	To wash
15	manger	To eat
16	marcher	To walk
17	nager	To swim
18	habiter	To live
19	détester	To hate
20	aller	To go
21	oublier	To forget
22	parler	To speak
23	partager	To share
24	rester	To stay
25	regarder	To watch
26	sauter	To jump
27	traverser	To cross
28	travailler	To work
29	visiter	To visit
S.No.	Les animaux	Name of animals
1	Le chat / La chatte	Cat

2	Le / La chèvre	Goat
3	Le mouton	Sheep
4	Le poussin	Chick
5	L'âne (m)	Donkey
6	Le cheval / La jument	Horse / Mare
7	Le chien / La chienne	Dog
8	Le crocodile	Crocodile
9	Le lapin / La lapine	Rabbit
10	Le lézard	Lizard
11	Le lion / La lionne	Lion / Lioness
12	Le poisson	Fish
13	La poule	Hen
14	Le serpent	Snake
15	Le rat / La rate	Rat
16	Le tigre / La tigresse	Tiger
17	La tortue	Turtle
18	L'éléphant (m) / L'éléphante (f)	Elephant
19	La vache	Cow
20	L'ours blanc (m)	White bear
21	L'autruche (f)	Ostrich
22	Le rhinocéros	Rhino
23	Le léopard	Leopard
24	Le zèbre	Zebra
25	La girafe	Giraffe
26	Le renne	Reindeer
27	Le cerf / La biche	Deer / Doe
28	La panthère	Panther
29	Le singe / La guenon	Monkey
30	Le kangourou	Kangaroo
31	Le renard / La renarde	Fox
32	La grenouille	Frog
33	Le taureau	Bull
S.No.	Les animaux en danger	Endangered Animals
1	Le panda géant	Giant panda
2	Le tigre du Bengale	Bengal tiger
3	La tortue marine	Sea turtle
4	L'orang-outan	Orangutan

5	Le léopard des neiges	Snow leopard
6	La baleine	Whale
7	L'ours polaire	Polar bear
8	Le requin	Shark
9	La girafe	Giraffe
10	Le caméléon	Chameleon
S.No.	Les adjectifs	Adjectives
1	beau (m)/ belle (f)	Handsome / Beautiful
2	bon (m)/ bonne (f)	Good
3	calme (m/f)	Calm
4	content (m)/ contente (f)	Happy
5	drôle (m/f)	Funny
6	faible (m/f)	Weak
7	fort (m)/ forte (f)	Strong
8	froid (m)/ froide (f)	Cold
9	gentil (m)/ gentille (f)	Kind
10	grand(m) / grande(f)	Tall, Big
11	généreux (m)/généreuse(f)	Generous
12	intelligent(m) / intelligente(f)	Intelligent
13	jeune (m/f)	Young
14	laid (m)/ laide (f)	Ugly
15	lent (m)/ lente (f)	Slow
16	long (m) / longue (f)	Long
17	mignon (m) / mignonne (f)	Cute
18	mince (m/f)	Thin
19	ouvert (m)/ ouverte (f)	Open
20	petit (m)/ petite(f)	Small
21	stupide (m/f)	Stupid
22	sportif (m)/sportive (f)	Sportive
23	sérieux (m)/sérieuse (f)	Serious
24	sympa (m/f) (abréviation de sympathique)	Nice
25	timide (m/f)	Shy
S.No	Les émotions et sentiments	Emotions and Feelings
1	La joie	Joy
2	La tristesse	Sadness
3	La peur	Fear

4	La colère	Anger
5	La surprise	Surprise
6	L'amour (m)	Love
7	L'haine (f)	Hatred
8	L'honte (f)	Shame
9	La fierté	Pride
10	La fatigue	Tiredness
S.No.	Les nationalités	Nationalities
1	Afghan (m) / Afghane (f)	Afghani
2	Américain (m) / Américaine (f)	American
3	Argentin (m) / Argentine (f)	Argentinian
4	Australien (m) / Australienne (f)	Australian
5	Belge (m/f)	Belgian
6	Brésilien (m) / Brésilienne (f)	Brazilian
7	Canadien (m) / Canadienne (f)	Canadian
8	Chinois (m) / Chinoise (f)	Chinese
9	Colombien (m) / Colombienne (f)	Colombian
10	Néerlandais (m) / Néerlandaise (f)	Dutch
11	Égyptien (m) / Égyptienne (f)	Egyptian
12	Anglais (m) / Anglaise (f)	English (British/UK)
13	Français (m) / Française (f)	French
14	Allemand (m) / Allemande (f)	German
15	Grec (m) / Grecque (f)	Greek
16	Indien (m) / Indienne (f)	Indian
17	Irlandais (m) / Irlandaise (f)	Irish
18	Israélien (m) / Israélienne (f)	Israeli
19	Italien (m) / Italienne (f)	Italian
20	Japonais (m) / Japonaise (f)	Japanese
21	Mexicain (m) / Mexicaine (f)	Mexican
22	Népalais (m) / Népalaise (f)	Nepali
23	Russe (m/f)	Russian
24	Espagnol (m) / Espagnole (f)	Spanish
25	Sri lankais (m) / Sri lankaise (f)	Sri Lankan
26	Suédois (m) / Suédoise (f)	Swedish
27	Suisse (m/f)	Swiss
28	Turc (m) / Turque (f)	Turkish
29	Sud-africain (m) / Sud-africaine (f)	South- African

30	Saoudien (m) / Saoudienne (f)	Saudi-Arabian
31	Portugais (m) / Portugaise (f)	Portuguese
32	Finlandais (m) / Finlandaise (f)	Finnish
33	Tchèque (m/f)	Czech
34	Vietnamien (m) / Vietnamienne (f)	Vietnamese
35	Thaïlandais (m) / Thaïlandaise (f)	Thai
S.No.	Les moyens de transports	Modes of transport
1	La voiture	Car
2	L'avion (n/m)	Aeroplane
3	Le train	Train
4	Le tram	Tram
5	Le bateau	Boat
6	Le bus	Bus
7	Le camion	Truck
8	Le métro	Metro
9	Le roller	Roller skate
10	Le scooter	Scooter
11	Le tricycle	Tricycle
12	Le vélo	Bicycle
13	La moto	Motorbike
14	La trottinette	Scooter (kick scooter)
15	Le navire	Ship
16	Le ferry	Ferry
17	La montgolfière	Hot air balloon
18	Le skateboard	Skateboard
19	La fusée	Rocket
20	Le taxi	Taxi
21	Le télésiège	Chairlift
22	La calèche	Carriage
23	La luge	Sled
S.No.	Les fêtes en France	Festivals in France
1	Le Jour de l'an	New Year
2	La Fête Nationale/ Le 14 Juillet	National festival/ national day/ Bastille Day
3	Le Noël	Christmas
4	Les Pâques (N/F/Pl)	Easter, Easter Sunday
5	La Fête de la Musique	Music festival

8	La Toussaint	All Saints' Day
9	La Fête du Travail	Labor Day
10	La Fête des Rois	Epiphany or Twelfth Night
11	La Bastille Day	Bastille Day (French National Day)
12	La Pentecôte	Pentecost
13	L'Assomption	Assumption of Mary
14	La Saint-Jean	Feast of St. John
15	La Fête de l'Armistice	Armistice Day
S.No.	Les monuments en France	Monuments in France
1	La Tour Eiffel	Eiffel Tower
2	Le Louvre	Louvre
3	Le Sacré Cœur	Sacred Heart
4	Le Notre-Dame	Notre-Dame
5	L'Arc de Triomphe	Arc de triomphe
6	Le Panthéon	Panthéon
7	L'Opéra Garnier	Opéra Garnier
8	Les Invalides	Invalides
9	Le Palais du Luxembourg	Palace of Luxembourg
10	Le Pont du Gard	Pont du Gard
S.No.	Histoire Médiévale	Medieval History of Europe
1	La forteresse	Fortress
2	Le château	Castle
3	Le tournoi	Tournament (knightly competition)
4	Le roi	King
5	La reine	Queen
6	Le chevalier	Knight
7	L' épée (f)	Sword
8	Le bouclier	Shield
9	L'armure (f)	Armor
10	Le seigneur	Lord
11	La motte	Raised earth mound supporting a wooden or stone keep
12	L'écuyer (m)	Squire (young noble training to be a knight)
13	La tour de guet (m)	Watchtower (tower used for surveillance)
S.No	Première Guerre mondiale	1st World War
1	La guerre	War
2	Le soldat	Soldier

3	La tranchée	Trench
4	Les armes (f/pl)	Weapons
5	Les munitions	Ammunitions
6	La bataille	Battle
7	Le front	Front (military line)
8	Les alliés (m/pl)	Allies
9	L'ennemi (m)	Enemy
10	La victoire	Victory
11	La mitrailleuse	Machine gun
12	L'obus (m)	Shell (explosive projectile)
13	La patrouille	Patrol (group monitoring an area)
S.No	Seconde Guerre mondiale	2nd World War
1	Les camps de concentration	Concentration camps
2	Le régime nazi	Nazi regime
3	La résistance	Resistance (opposition to occupying forces)
4	La collaboration	Collaboration (working with the enemy)
5	Le D-Day	Le jour J (Normandy landings)
6	L'holocauste (m)	Holocaust (genocide of Jews)
7	L'occupation allemande	German occupation
8	Le vichy	Vichy regime (collaborationist government in France)
9	La bombe atomique	Atomic bomb
10	Le rationnement	Rationing (food and goods restrictions)
11	La normandie	Normandy (region of France, site of the D-Day landings)
12	Le général de Gaulle	General de Gaulle (leader of Free France)
13	La résistance française	French Resistance (groups opposing the Nazi occupation)
S.No	Rois de France	French Kings
1	Charlemagne	Empereur des Francs et fondateur du Saint-Empire romain germanique
2	François Ier	Roi de France, mécène de la Renaissance française
3	Louis XIV	Le « Roi-Soleil », célèbre pour son règne absolu et Versailles
4	Henri IV	Premier roi de la dynastie des Bourbons, connu pour l'édit de Nantes

5	Louis XVI	Dernier roi avant la Révolution française, exécuté en 1793
6	Napoléon I ^{er}	Empereur des Français, connu pour ses conquêtes militaires
7	Philippe Auguste	Roi de France qui a renforcé le pouvoir royal
8	Clovis I ^{er}	Premier roi des Francs à se convertir au christianisme
9	Saint Louis (Louis IX)	Roi connu pour sa piété et la septième croisade
10	Charles VII	Roi qui a repris la France après la guerre de Cent Ans avec l'aide de Jeanne d'Arc
11	Louis VIII	Roi de France, surnommé « le Lion », père de Saint Louis
12	Henri V	Prétendant légitimiste au trône de France après 1830
13	Jean I ^{er}	Dit « le Posthume », roi de France mort quelques jours après sa naissance
S.No	Philosophie	Philosophy
1	La métaphysique	Metaphysics (study of existence and reality)
2	La dialectique	Dialectic (method of argumentation)
3	La morale	Morality (principles of right and wrong)
4	L' éthique (f)	Ethics (philosophical study of morality)
5	L' idéalisme (m)	Idealism (belief in the primacy of ideas)
6	Le matérialisme	Materialism (belief that only physical matter exists)
7	La raison	Reason (capacity for logical thought)
8	Le scepticisme	Skepticism (doubt towards knowledge or beliefs)
9	La liberté	Freedom (state of being free)
10	La conscience	Consciousness (awareness of oneself and surroundings)
11	Le dualisme	The idea that reality consists of two fundamental substances (e.g., mind & body)
12	L' utopie (f)	An ideal or perfect society
13	L' existence (f)	The state of being real or living
S.No	Mythologie	Mythology
1	Le Minotaure	Minotaur (a creature with the body of a man and the head of a bull)
2	Pégase (m)	Pegasus (winged horse from Greek mythology)
3	La sirène	Siren (mythological sea creature, often depicted as a beautiful woman who lures sailors)
4	Méduse	Medusa (a Gorgon, with snakes for hair and a gaze that turns people to stone)

5	Héraclès ou Hercule	Hercules (hero known for completing the Twelve Labors)
6	La nymphe	Nymph (female nature spirit in Greek mythology)
7	Le cyclope	Cyclops (giant with a single eye in the center of their forehead)
8	Le sphinx (m), La sphinge (f)	Sphinx (creature with the body of a lion and the head of a human)
9	Le Titan (m), La Titanide (f)	Titan (one of the giant deities in Greek mythology, before the Olympian gods)
10	Zeus	Zeus (the king of the gods in Greek mythology)
11	L'Olympe (m)	Olympus (the mountain home of the Greek gods)
12	Le nectar	Nectar (the drink of the gods, granting immortality)
13	L'ambrosie (f)	Ambrosia (the food of the gods, granting immortality)
S.No	Termes liés aux civilisations anciennes	Terms related to ancient civilizations
1	Babylone (f)	Babylonia (ancient Mesopotamian civilization)
2	Le Mycénien	Mycenaean (Bronze Age Greek civilization)
3	L'Égypte (f)	Egypt (home of the Pharaohs and pyramids)
4	Sumer (m)	Sumer (one of the first civilizations in Mesopotamia)
5	Les Aztèques (m/pl)	Aztec (ancient Mesoamerican civilization)
6	Les Incas (m/f/pl)	Inca (South American civilization in the Andes)
7	Le Spartiate	Spartan (inhabitant of Sparta, known for military discipline)
8	Le Viking	Viking (Norse seafarers known for exploration and raids)
9	Les Perses (m/f/pl)	Persians (people of the Persian Empire)
10	Le pharaon	Pharaoh (ruler of ancient Egypt)
11	Le Babylonien	Babylonian (people of Babylonia, an ancient Mesopotamian civilization)
12	Le hiéroglyphe	Hieroglyph (ancient Egyptian writing system using pictorial symbols)
13	La pyramide	Pyramid (monumental tombs built by the Egyptians and other civilizations)
S.No.	Mon cartable	My schoolbag
1	La calculatrice	Calculator
2	Le compas	Compass
3	La carte	Map
4	La gomme	Eraser
5	Le papier	Paper
6	La règle	Ruler

7	Le classeur	Binder
8	Le feutre	Felt pen
9	La trousse	Pencil case
10	Le cahier d'exercices (m/pl)	Workbook
11	Le crayon	Pencil
12	L'agrafe de papier	Paper stapler
13	L'adhésif	Sticky tape
14	Le dictionnaire	Dictionary
15	Le livre	Book
16	Le stylo	Pen
17	L'agenda	Diary
18	Les ciseaux (m/pl)	Scissors
19	Le marqueur	Marker
20	Le taille-crayon	Pencil sharpener
21	Les crayons de couleur	Colored pencils
22	Le surligneur	Highlighter
23	Le bâton de colle	Glue stick
24	La perceuse	Hole puncher
S.No.	Les couleurs	Colours
1	blanc (m) / blanche (f)	White
2	bleu (m) / bleue (f)	Blue
3	brun (m) / brune (f)	Brown
4	gris (m) / grise (f)	Grey
5	jaune (m/f)	Yellow
6	noir (m) / noire (f)	Black
7	orange (n/m/f)	Orange
8	rose (n/m/f)	Pink
9	rouge (n/m/f)	Red
10	vert (m) / verte (f)	Green
11	violet (m) / violette (f)	Purple
12	bleu clair (m) / bleu claire (f)	Light blue
13	turquoise (n/m/f)	Turquoise
14	argenté (n/m)	Silver
15	lavande (n/f)	Lavender
16	doré (n/m)	Gold
17	cuivré (n/m)	Copper

18	bronzé (m) / bronzée (f)	Bronze
19	transparent (m/f)	Transparent
20	opaque (m/f)	Opaque
21	multicolore (m/f)	Multicolored
S.No.	Les meubles	Furnitures
1	Le canapé	Sofa
2	Le fauteuil	Armchair
3	La chaise	Chair
4	L' armoire (f)	Wardrobe
5	Le lit	Bed
6	La table	Table
7	Le bureau	Desk
8	Le buffet	Sideboard
9	La commode	Chest of drawers
10	L'étagère (f)	Shelf
11	La lampe	Lamp
12	Le miroir	Mirror
13	La bibliothèque	Bookshelf
14	Le coussin	Cushion
15	Le tabouret	Stool
S.No.	Les professions/les métiers	Professions
1	L'acteur / L'actrice	Actor / Actress
2	L'artiste (m/f)	Artist
3	L'avocat / L'avocate	Lawyer
4	Le boulanger / La boulangère	Baker
5	Le chanteur / La chanteuse	Singer
6	Le comptable / La comptable	Accountant
7	Le couturier / La couturière	Fashion designer
8	Le cuisinier / La cuisinière	Cook
9	Le dentiste / La dentiste	Dentist
10	L'instituteur / L'institutrice	Teacher
11	Le journaliste / La journaliste	Journalist
12	Le mannequin (pour les deux sexes)	Fashion model
13	Le médecin (pour les deux sexes)	Doctor
14	Le musicien / La musicienne	Musician
15	Le peintre / La peintre	Painter

16	Le pilote / La pilote	Pilot
17	Le policier / La policière	Police Officer
18	Le professeur / La professeure	Professor
19	Le serveur / La serveuse	Waiter
20	Le vendeur / La vendeuse	Salesman/Saleswoman
21	L'écrivain (m) / L'écrivaine (f)	Writer
22	L'infirmier (m) / L'infirmière (f)	Nurse
23	L'architecte (m/f)	Architect
24	Le coiffeur / La coiffeuse	Barber
25	L'ingénieur (m) / L'ingénieure (f)	Engineer
26	Le psychologue / La psychologue	Psychologist
27	Le pharmacien / La pharmacienne	Pharmacist
28	Le graphiste / La graphiste	Graphic designer
29	Le scientifique / La scientifique	Scientist
30	Le traducteur / La traductrice	Translator
31	Le plombier / La plombière	Plumber
32	Le chauffeur / La chauffeuse	Driver
33	L'électricien (m) / L'électricienne (f)	Electrician
34	Le jardinier / La jardinière	Gardener
S.No.	Les animaux de la mer	Sea animals
1	La baleine	Whale
2	Le dauphin	Dolphin
3	Le crabe	Crab
4	La carpe	Carp
5	L'espadon (m)	Swordfish
6	L'étoile de mer	Starfish
7	L'hippocampe (m)	Seahorse
8	L'écrevisse (f)	Crayfish
9	La méduse	Jellyfish
10	La murène	Moray eel
11	L'orque (f)	Killer whale / Orca
12	La pieuvre ou Le poulpe	Octopus
13	Le poisson rouge	Goldfish
14	La rascasse	Scorpion fish
15	La raie	Ray
16	Le phoque	Seal
17	Le requin	Shark

18	Le homard	Lobster
19	La pieuvre	Octopus
20	La crevette	Shrimp / Prawn
21	Le thon	Tuna
22	Le mérrou	Grouper
23	Le morse	Walrus
24	Le narval	Narwhal
25	La tortue marine	Sea turtle
S.No.	Les oiseaux	Birds
1	La chouette	Owl
2	Le flamant rose	Flamingo
3	L'albatros (m)	Albatross
4	Le colibri	Hummingbird
5	Le moineau	Sparrow
6	La corneille	Crow
7	Le vautour	Vulture
8	Le toucan	Toucan
9	Le robin	Robin
10	Le pigeon	Pigeon
11	La mouette	Seagull
12	La pie	Magpie
13	Le hibou	Owl
14	Le canard / La cane	Duck
15	L'aigle (m/f)	Eagle
16	La hirondelle	Swallow
17	Le perroquet	Parrot
18	La cigogne	Stork
19	Le geai	Jay
20	Le faucon	Falcon
21	L'autruche (f)	Ostrich
22	Le corbeau	Raven
23	Le pingouin	Penguin
S.No.	Les continents et les océans	Continents and Oceans
1	L'Amérique (f)	America
2	L'Afrique (f)	Africa
4	L'Europe (f)	Europe

5	L'Asie (f)	Asia
6	L'Australie (f)	Australia
7	L'Antarctique (m)	Antarctica
8	L'océan Pacifique	The Pacific Ocean
9	L'océan Indien	The Indian Ocean
10	L'océan Atlantique	The Atlantic Ocean
11	L'océan Arctique	The Arctic Ocean
S.No.	Les fruits de mer	Sea foods
1	Les moules (f/pl)	Mussels
2	Les pétoncles (m/pl)	Scallops
3	Les crevettes (f/pl)	Prawns
4	Le homard	Lobster
5	Les huîtres (f)	Oysters
6	Les palourdes (f)	Bivalve
7	Le crabe	Crab
8	L'oursin (m)	Sea urchin
9	Le calamar	Squid
S.No.	Les boissons	The beverages
1	L'eau (f)	Water
2	Le thé	Tea
3	Le café au lait	Coffee with milk
4	Le café	Coffee
5	Le jus d'orange	Orange juice
6	Le chocolat chaud	Hot chocolate
7	Le café au chocolat	Chocolate coffee
8	Le Coca	Coca cola
9	L'eau minérale	Mineral water
10	Le jus de pomme	Apple juice
11	Le lait	Milk
12	L'eau gazeuse	Carbonated water
S.No.	Les jeux	Games
1	Le cache-cache	Hide and Seek
2	Les dominoes (m/pl)	Dominos
3	Le saut a la corde	Skipping the rope
4	Les cartes (f/pl)	Cards
5	La marelle	Hopscotch

6	Le ballon	Play ball
7	Les quatre coins (m/pl)	Four corners
8	Le jeu des billes (f/pl)	Game of marbles
9	Les échecs (m/pl)	Chess
10	Le jeu de colin-maillard	Blind man's bluff
11	Les dames (f/pl)	Checkers
S.No.	Les sports olympiques	Olympic Sports
1	L'escrime	Fencing
2	Le tir à l'arc	Archery
3	La gymnastique	Gymnastics
4	L'aviron	Rowing
5	Le surf	Surfing
6	La natation	Swimming
7	La boxe	Boxing
8	L'athlétisme	Athletics
9	Le tennis	Tennis
10	Le handball	Handball
S.No.	Les contes	Fairy tales
1	La Belle et la Bête	Beauty and the Beast
2	Cendrillon	Cinderella
3	Le Petit Chaperon Rouge	Little Red Riding Hood
4	La Petite Sirène	The Little Mermaid
5	Le Chat Botté	Puss in Boots
6	La Princesse au Petit Pois	The Princess and the Pea
7	Blanche-Neige et les Sept Nains	Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs
8	La Grenouille qui veut se faire aussi grosse que le Bœuf	The Frog Who Wished to Be as Big as the Ox
9	Le Petit Poucet	Tom Thumb
10	Le Rossignol et l'Empereur de Chine	The Nightingale and the Emperor of China
S.No.	Vocabulaire de conte	Storytelling vocabulary
1	Le héros	Hero
2	Le vilain	Villain
3	La magie	Magic
4	Le début	Beginning
5	Le déroulement	Development
6	Le climax	Climax
7	La résolution	Resolution

8	La morale	Moral
9	L'enchantement (m)	Enchantment
10	L'intrigue (f)	Plot
S.No.	Le système solaire	The solar system
1	La galaxie	The Galaxy
2	Le soleil	The Sun
3	La lune	The Moon
4	L'étoile (f)	Star
5	La planète	Planet
6	La comète	Comet
7	Le Mercure	Mercury
8	La Vénus	Venus
9	La Terre	Earth
10	Le Mars	Mars
11	Le Jupiter	Jupiter
12	La Saturne	Saturn
13	L'Uranus (f)	Uranus
14	Le Neptune	Neptune
S.No.	Les accessoires	Accessories
1	Les baskets (f)	Sneakers
2	Les bas (m/pl)	Stockings
3	Le blouson	Short jacket
4	Le chapeau	Hat
5	Les bottes (f/pl)	Boots
6	La casquette	Cap
7	Les chaussons (m/pl)	Slippers
8	Les chaussures (f/pl)	Shoes
9	La cravate	Necktie
10	La ceinture	Belt
11	Les gants (m/pl)	Gloves
12	La jupe	Skirt
13	Le maillot	Jersey
14	Le nœud papillon	Bow tie
15	Le pull	Pullover
16	La robe	Dress
17	Le ruban	Ribbon

18	Les sandales (f/pl)	Sandals
19	Les lunettes (f/pl)	Spectacles (glasses)
20	Le manteau	Coat
S.No.	Les abréviations	Abbreviations
1	Le bac	Le baccalauréat
2	La perm	La permission
3	L'ado (m/f)	Un adolescent
4	Le petit-déj'	Le petit déjeuner
5	La pub	La publicité
6	Le gars	Le garçon
7	Le déca	Un décaféiné
8	Le resto	Un restaurant
9	À toute	À toute à l'heure
10	Bon aprèm	Bon après midi
11	À 5h du mat	À 5 heures du matin
12	L'ordi (m)	L'ordinateur
13	Le frigo	Refrigerator
14	Le ciné	Cinema (movie theater)
15	Le tél	Telephone
16	Le prof	Teacher
17	Le resto U	University restaurant/Canteen
18	La fac	University (faculté)
S.No.	Les espaces publics	Public spaces
1	La place	Square
2	Le parc	Park
3	Le jardin public	Public Garden
4	La rue	Street
5	Le boulevard	Boulevard
6	La promenade	Promenade
7	La gare	Railway station / Train station
8	L'aéroport (m)	Airport
9	La fontaine	Fountain
10	Le pont	Bridge
11	Le port	Port
12	Le cinéma	Cinema
13	Le théâtre	Theater

14	La bibliothèque	Library
15	Le musée	Museum
16	Le stade	Stadium
17	La poste	Post office
18	La mairie	City hall
19	L'école (f)	School
20	L'hôpital (m)	Hospital
21	La prison	Prison
22	La pharmacie	Pharmacy
23	Le supermarché	Supermarket
24	La banque	Bank
25	La boulangerie	Bakery
26	La boucherie	Butcher shop
27	La pâtisserie	Pastry shop
28	La station d'essence	Gas station
29	La pizzeria	Pizzeria
30	Le café	Café
31	La gare	Train station
32	La poissonnerie	Fish shop
33	Le fleuriste	Florist
34	La boutique	Boutique
35	La bijouterie	Jewelry shop
36	Le restaurant	Restaurant
37	Le marché	Market
38	La librairie	Bookstore
39	La galerie d'art	Art gallery
40	L'église (f)	Church
S.No.	Les sigles	Acronyms
1	DROM	Départements et Régions d'Outre-Mer
2	TOM	Territoires d'Outre-Mer
3	TAAF	Terres Australes et Antarctiques Françaises
4	SNCF	Société Nationale des Chemins de Fer (Français)
5	ASSR	Attestation Scolaire de Sécurité Routière
6	HLM	Habitation à Loyer Modéré
7	VTT	Vélo Tout Terrain
8	ONF	Office National des Forêts
9	OMS	Organisation Mondiale de la Santé

10	RSVP	Répondez s'il vous plaît
11	CAF	Caisse d'Allocations Familiales
12	CPAM	Caisse Primaire d'Assurance Maladie
13	SNES	Syndicat National des Enseignements de Second Degré
14	FMI	Fonds Monétaire International
15	OTAN	Organisation du Traité de l'Atlantique Nord
16	EDF	Électricité de France
17	CNRS	Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique
18	AOC	Appellation d'Origine Contrôlée
19	PMU	Pari Mutuel Urbain
S.No.	Les appareils numériques	Digital Devices
1	La tablette	Tablet
2	Le smartphone	Smartphone
3	Les écouteurs	Headphones
4	La webcam	Webcam
5	La clé USB	USB drive
6	La montre intelligente	Smartwatch
7	La console de jeux	Game console
8	Le chargeur	Charger
9	La télécommande	Remote control
10	Le haut-parleur	Speaker
S.No.	La vaisselle et les couverts	Crockeries and cutleries
1	La grande tasse	Mug
2	La tasse à café	Coffee cup
3	La tasse à thé	Tea cup
4	Le verre à vin	Wine glass
5	La cuillère à café	Teaspoon
6	La théière	Teapot
7	L'assiette à dessert	Dessert plate
8	La soucoupe	Saucer
9	Le pot	Pot
10	L'assiette	Plate
11	Le rond de serviette	Napkin ring
12	La serviette	Towel
13	Le bol	Bowl

14	Le coquetier	Egg cup
15	La verrerie	Glassware
16	La cafetière	Coffee pot
17	Le couteau	Knife
18	La fourchette	Fork
19	La saucière	Gravy boat
20	Le plat de service	Serving dish
21	Le plateau	Tray
22	La carafe	Carafe
23	La louche	Ladle
24	La pelle à tarte	Pie server
25	Le tire-bouchon	Corkscrew
26	Le décapsuleur	Bottle opener
S.No.	À l'école	At school
1	Le tableau noir	Black board
2	La salle de classe	Classroom
3	Le terrain de sport	Playground
4	La cantine	Canteen
5	Le bureau du directeur	Principal's office
6	La bibliothèque	Library
7	La salle de musique	Music Room
8	Le laboratoire	Laboratory / Lab
9	Le pupitre	Desk (student's individual desk)
10	Le tableau blanc	Whiteboard
S.No.	Les types de chaussures	Types of shoes
1	Les nu-pieds (m/pl)	Beach sandals
2	Les bottes	Boots
3	Les chaussons	Slippers
4	Les mocassins (m/pl)	Loafers
5	La mule	Mule
6	La chaussure	Shoe
7	Les babouches (f/pl)	Oriental slippers
8	Les chaussures de sports	Sports shoes
9	Les ballerines (f/pl)	Ballerinas
10	Les chaussures à talons (m/pl)	Heels
S.No.	À la plage	At the beach

1	La plage	Beach
2	Le rivage	Seashore
3	Le sable	Sand
4	Le rocher	Rock/ boulder
5	La falaise	Sea cliff
6	La dune	Sand dune
7	La mer	Sea
8	La vague	Wave
9	L'écume (f)	Foam
10	Le bateau	Boat
11	Le port	Port
12	Le phare	Lighthouse
13	Le parasol	Beach umbrella
14	La bouée	Life-belt
15	Les palmes (f)	Fins (for swimming)
16	Le maillot de bain	Swimsuit
17	Le poste de secours	Aid station
18	Le maître-nageur	Lifeguard
19	La crème solaire	Suncream
20	Les coquillages (m/pl)	Shells
S.No.	Le vocabulaire de l'informatique	Computer/IT vocabulary
1	L'écran (m)	Screen
2	L'ordinateur (m)	Computer
3	L'ordinateur portable	Laptop
4	Le clavier	Keyboard
5	L'imprimante (f)	Printer
6	La souris	Mouse
7	Le fichier	File
8	Les haut-parleurs (m/pl)	Speakers
9	Le disque dur	Hard drive
10	Le processeur	Processor
11	Le logiciel	Software
12	Le navigateur web	Web browser
13	Le câble USB	USB cable
14	La carte mémoire	Memory card
15	Le réseau	Network
16	Le casque	Headphones

17	Le modem	Modem
S.No	French Loan words in English	Words borrowed from French and used in English
1	déjà vu	Feeling of having experienced something before
2	Le cliché	Overused phrase or idea
3	La façade	Outward appearance that is misleading
4	Le ballet	Classical dance form
5	Le menu	List of food options in a restaurant
6	Le souvenir	Keepsake or memento
7	L'omelette (f)	Egg dish
8	Le encore	Demand for a repeat performance
9	La brunette	A woman with dark hair
10	Le fiancé / La fiancée	Engaged person (male: fiancé, female: fiancée)
11	La crème brûlée	Caramelized custard dessert
12	Le bureau	Office or desk
13	Le voyage	Journey or trip
S.No.	Robotique	New Advancements
1	Le robot	Robot
2	Le capteur	Sensor
3	L'algorithme (m)	Algorithm
4	L'automate (m)	Automation/automaton
5	Le moteur	Motor
6	Le circuit	Circuit
7	Le code	Code (programming)
8	La batterie	Battery
9	L'écran	Screen/display
10	La programmation	Programming
11	Le drone	Unmanned aerial vehicle
12	Le capteur infrarouge	Infrared sensor
13	L'appareil photo (m)	Camera
14	Le robot mobile	Mobile robot
S.No.	Les parties de la maison	Parts of the House
1	La porte	Door
2	La fenêtre	Window
3	Le mur	Wall
4	Le toit	Roof
5	La chambre	Bedroom

6	La cuisine	Kitchen
7	Le salon	Living room
8	La salle de bain	Bathroom
9	Les escaliers (m/pl)	Stairs
10	Le garage	Garage
11	Le plafond	Ceiling
12	Le pilier	Pillar
13	L'escalier (m)	Staircase
14	La façade	Front face of a building
S.No.	Les faux amis	Words that look similar in French and English but have different meanings
1	La librairie	Bookstore (not "library")
2	Actuellement	Currently (not "actually")
3	Le collège	Middle school (not "college")
4	Sensible	Sensitive (not "sensible")
5	La déception	Disappointment (not "deception")
6	Assister	To attend (not "to assist")
7	L' éventail (m)	Fan (not "event")
8	Passer un examen	To take an exam (not "to pass an exam")
9	Demander	To ask (not "to demand")
10	Prétendre	To claim (not "to pretend")
11	Ancien	Former (not 'ancient')
12	Actuel	Current (not 'actual')
13	Achiever	To complete (not 'to achieve')
14	Assumer	To take on (not 'to assume')
S.No.	Les formes géométriques	Geometrical Forms
1	Le cercle	Circle
2	La sphère	Sphere
3	Le carré	Square
4	Le triangle	Triangle
5	Le rectangle	Rectangle
6	L'hexagone	Hexagon
7	Le losange	Diamond / Rhombus
8	Le cône	Cone
9	Le cylindre	Cylinder
10	Le cube	Cube

Following are the rules of the Final Round of the 14th International French Spell Bee 2026-27:

1. Each student will be given a unique number on a placard at the registration counter outside the hall with the name of the speller and name of the school on it which he/she needs to wear till the end of the competition. Students will make a level wise line to get their placards starting from 8.30 am. All spellers (Level wise) will be seated on the right-hand side of stage till the time they are in the contest. All those who drop out of the contest will have to join the audiences on the middle and right side of the stage.
2. The competition will be conducted in 3 rounds. The 1st round will be a preliminary round consisting of dictation words which students have to listen & write down on a sheet. The 2nd round will be an elimination round with several sub-rounds which will take place from 10 am to 2 pm where top three from each level will go for the 3rd i.e. concluding round. The final round among the top three winners of the 2nd round from each level will take place at 3 pm. In the 1st round the Advanced level will take place 1st followed by the intermediate round & debutant rounds respectively. The same order will be repeated in the 2nd & the final round.
3. There will be two Judges cum observers for the Finals who will have complete control of the Spell Bee. All questions will be referred to the Judges and in case of any dispute or confusion the decision of the Judges will be final & binding. In case a French teacher finds some discrepancy the same may be brought to the notice of the judges immediately while the student is on the stage. No objections or questions will be entertained by the judges and the organizers once the student is eliminated from the contest and leaves the stage.
4. All words will be based on the guide book provided at the beginning of the contest. However, no speller will be allowed to bring the guide book inside the Auditorium or anywhere in the auditorium premises. Carrying the Guide book inside the auditorium while the contest is on will call for immediate disqualification of the speller. All students will spell the **alphabets in FRENCH Language** only. For E.g. If the word is "**Vélo**", the speller will spell it in French like "**Way**" "**Eh**" "**Aigu**" "**L**" "**O**" & not "**We**" "**Eee**" "**L**" "**O**".
5. All words are to be spelled in singular form only, unless specified.
6. **Roman numerals** must be pronounced according to their corresponding number in French.
Exemple: Louis XIV will be pronounced as **Louis Quatorze** and spelled accordingly.
7. If a **word appears in two different categories**, both spellings will be accepted **unless the category is specified by the pronouncer**.
Exemple: Méduse (Mythologie) et **La méduse** (Les animaux de la mer).
8. **Proper nouns** must always begin with a **capital letter**, and any **definite article that forms part of the proper noun must also begin with a capital letter**.
9. All words must be **pronounced and spelled exactly as they are given in the official guidebook**.
10. For. E.g. if the pronouncer has the word "Crayon" in her list she might describe it as:
C'est quelque chose avec lequel un étudiant écrit et dessine. Il se réduit en taille lorsque vous l'utilisez.
La gomme est son amie.
11. The 1st round will consist of five sub rounds which may be extended to 7 sub rounds by the pronouncer. In this 1st round of the competition the pronouncer will give a word & will define it or use it in a sentence. The contestants will have to pronounce the word. The contestant may ask to give the word again or define it again. When a Speller is spelling the word; he/she may stop & start over but cannot change the letters or its sequence from those 1st pronounced & doing so will call for disqualification from the round. No Speller will be disqualified for pronouncing the word incorrectly in the 1st round. If there is some confusion in the mind of the speller, the pronouncer may ask the

- speller to spell the word again. In case a speller fails to spell the word correctly, he/she will be eliminated from the contest & the contest will proceed ahead with the rest of the spellers till the time we get the last three qualifiers for the Final round.
12. In case a speller fails to spell the word, the speller will be eliminated & must sit in the audience after which the pronouncer will give the correct spelling & move to the next word on the pronouncer's list which will be given to the next speller who is in the competition.
 13. Spellers will be called one by one on the stage & will be given a word by the pronouncer for which the speller will get 30 seconds to spell the word. If the speller takes more than 30 seconds, the speller will be automatically eliminated. A time keeper on the stage will keep an eye on time to help the speller & judges.
 14. Each level will be allotted 1 hour for the 1st round to complete all 5 or 7 rounds (with a grace period of 10-15 minutes on Judges Recommendations). However, if even after the stipulated time we do not get the clear three toppers at each level the judges will decide to proceed for a Tie Breaker round having maximum 3 rounds where the spellers remaining in the contest will have to "Guess the Right Word". In this, the pronouncer will describe a word in French without pronouncing the same and the speller will have to guess it and then spell it correctly. In this format the pronunciation is as important as spelling the word. A speller has to get both right to proceed and win the tie breaker round. Hence; the word needs to be pronounced correctly 1st and then spelled & not vice versa. This process will be followed till the time we have our three finalists.
 15. In case the speller fails to pronounce & spell the word then the pronouncer will ask the speller to leave the stage & take his/her place in audiences & then give the answer by pronouncing the correct word & spelling the same. The pronouncer may throw the word open to the students in the audience & in case some student pronounces & spells the same correctly he/she may get a surprise gift from the pronouncer. The pronouncer will now use an entirely different word for the remaining contestants till the time we get our finalists.
 16. The event will be a live event with parents and teachers & other students watching the contestants live. At no time anyone from the audience including parents or teachers or fellow students will be allowed to help in any way to any of the spellers. Doing so will call for immediate elimination of the candidate who has been helped in such a process. The audience is expected to remain silent & enjoy the live contest.
 17. Parents, teachers & students are requested to stay till 5 pm as the Chief Guests will be distributing certificates to all the students who made it to the finals.

RULES FOR CONCLUDING ROUND (This round will take place in front of our guest from Embassy etc.)

Once a speller reaches the Final round he/she is sure of a prize. The Final round will be deciding the National French Spell Bee winner 1st; 2nd & 3rd for each of the three levels.

The rules for the final round remain the same as in the 2nd round including the tie breaker round. However, final round will be conducted in the following way:

1st Round (Max up to six sub rounds):

Here the speller will be asked to spell the word in French given by the pronouncer in an elimination round as explained in the 1st round to arrive at 1st, 2nd & 3rd.

In case we do not get clear positions assuming that all words given by the pronouncer are spelled correctly by all three spellers we will move to the second round.

However; the following will be the rules in case the following scenario plays out:

In the 1st sub-round the 1st speller and 2nd speller fail to answer correctly (any two spellers) but the 3rd one spells correctly:

Both wrong answering spellers will remain in the contest and the one who spells correctly comes 1st and the rest two will fight for the 2nd & 3rd position.

In the 1st sub-round the 1st speller and 2nd speller answers correctly (any two spellers) but the 3rd one spells incorrectly:

The one spelling incorrectly takes the 3rd position & the contest moves to the 2nd sub round with the two remaining spellers & this process continues till we have a clear winner or the remaining spellers move to the 2nd round of describing a word.

In case all spellers answer incorrectly the 1st sub round:

- All spellers remain in the contest & we move to the 2nd sub round of the 1st round.

In the case all spellers answer correctly the 1st sub round:

- All spellers remain in the contest & we move to the 2nd sub round of the 1st round.

In case all spellers answer correctly all the 6 sub rounds of the 1st round:

We move to the 2nd Round as explained having 3 sub-rounds.

2nd Round (Max up to three sub rounds):

Here the pronouncer will describe words in a three round contest as explained in the 1st round to try arriving at 1st, 2nd & 3rd

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