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VIVE LA FRANCE

FACT FILE

Population: 62,814, 233

Capital City: Paris

Land Borders: 8 countries

Currency: Euros

National Symbol: Gallic Rooster

Flag:



FAMOUS LANDMARKS

Eiffel Tower

A wrought-iron lattice structure, the tallest in Paris. Built in 1887, it is 324m tall.



Notre-Dame

A medieval Catholic cathedral. "Notre Dame" means "Our Lady".



Le Louvre

The world's largest art museum, home of the Mona Lisa.



Arc Du Triomphe

An iconic symbol which took 30 years to build and honours those who fought and died for France.



KEY VOCABULARY

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| population | All the people who live in a place. |
| currency | The money system in a country. |
| monument | A structure built to commemorate a person. |
| landmark | A feature of a landscape that is easily recognised from a distance. |
| boulevard | A wide street, typically lined with trees. |
| inhabitants | A person that lives in or occupies a place. |

River Seine

A 482-mile river which flows through Paris, dividing it into left and right banks.





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FRENCH CULTURE

Food



baguette



croissant



l'escargot

land snails



les grenouilles

fried frog legs

Artists



Claude Monet



Henri Matisse



Paul Cezanne

Fashion Designers



Coco Chanel



Luis Vuitton



Christian Dior

DAYS OF THE WEEK

lundi - Monday

mardi - Tuesday

mercredi - Wednesday

jeudi - Thursday

vendredi - Friday

samedi - Saturday

dimanche - Sunday

GREETINGS

Bon jour - Hello

Salut - Hi

Bonsoir - Good evening/night

Bonne soirée - Good evening

Excusez-moi - Excuse me



Ça va? - How are you?

Ça va bien - I'm doing well

Pas mal - Not bad

Et toi? - And you?



Au revoir - Goodbye

Salut - Bye

Ciao - Bye

Bonne soirée - Have a nice evening

Bonne journée - Have a nice day



MONTHS OF THE YEAR

janvier - January

février - February



mars - March

avril - April



mai - May

juin - June

juillet - July



août - August

septembre - September

octobre - October



novembre - November

decembre - December