

Les 5 phrases essentielles pour voyager en France

Fiche d'exercices

Partie 1 : Vocabulaire clé

instruction : Complete with the English Translation

Français	English
Je ne parle pas français.	
Je ne comprends pas.	
Pouvez-vous répéter s'il vous plaît ?	
Pouvez-vous m'aider s'il vous plaît ?	
Je veux acheter ça.	
Où sont les toilettes ?	
s'il vous plaît	

répéter	
aider	
acheter	

Partie 2 : Questions ouvertes

instruction : Think and answer the questions.

1. When you travel to France, what is the first sentence you usually use? Why is it important to say 'I don't speak French' or 'I don't understand'?
2. Imagine that you are in a shop in France and you want to buy something, but you don't understand the price. Which sentence do you use to ask for help?
3. You are lost in a French city and you are looking for the toilets. What question do you ask someone in the street?
4. Why is it important to say 'please' when you ask for something in France? Is it the same in your culture?

5. If you don't understand what someone says in French, what do you do? Which sentence do you use?
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Partie 3 : QCM (Choix multiples)

instruction : Check the correct answer.

Question 1. How do you say « I don't speak French » ?

- a) Je ne veux pas français
- b) Je ne parle pas français
- c) Je ne comprends pas français
- d) Je parle un peu français

Question 2. To ask someone to repeat?

- a) Pouvez-vous parler s'il vous plaît ?
- b) Pouvez-vous comprendre s'il vous plaît ?
- c) Pouvez-vous répéter s'il vous plaît ?
- d) Pouvez-vous acheter s'il vous plaît ?

Question 3. « Où sont les toilettes ? » means :

- a) Where is the bedroom?
- b) Where is the bathroom?
- c) Who is the bathroom?
- d) What is the bathroom?

Question 4. To ask politely in French, you say:

- a) Je veux de l'aide
- b) Aide-moi !
- c) Pouvez-vous m'aider s'il vous plaît ?
- d) Tu m'aides ?

Question 5. « Je veux acheter ça » means :

- a) I want to sell this
- b) I want to buy that
- c) I want to see that
- d) I want to eat that

Partie 4 : Traduction (English → French)

instruction : Translate the following sentences in French.

1. I don't speak French.

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2. I don't understand.

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3. Can you repeat, please?

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4. Can you help me, please?

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5. I want to buy this.

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6. Where is the bathroom?

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Partie 5 : Mise en situation

instruction : Imagine the following situations and write/say aloud your answer.

Situation 1: You are in a café in Paris. The waiter is speaking very fast in French and you don't understand anything. What do you say?

Situation 2: You are in a souvenir shop and you want to buy an Eiffel Tower key ring. What do you say to the shop assistant?

Situation 3: You are at the train station and you are looking for the bathroom, but you can't find them. You ask someone. What do you say?

Situation 4: Someone is giving you directions, but you didn't hear very well. You want them to repeat. What do you say?
