



French
CLASS - VII

GUIDELINES

- Welcome to class VII and to this virtual way of learning.
- Make a new French notebook for the year 2020-21 and complete all the work given below in the French notebook.
- All the work done will be checked when the school reopens.
- Write the conjugations of the verbs in the French notebook.
- You can either take a print out of the sheet and paste it in the French notebook or write it yourself.
- Happy learning!

Week 1

Topic – Er- ending verbs

Revision

Note – This topic has already been taught in class 6

Bonjour !

Today we will revise Er ending verbs. Er ending verbs are those verbs which end with er .

Some of the examples of er ending verbs are:-

Parler- to speak

Aimer- to like

Adorer – to love

Detester – to hate

Regarder- to see

To conjugate a regular er ending verbs, there are 3 steps to be followed.

Step 1 - Drop the **-er** of the infinitive (main verb) to get the stem (radical).

For example-

Parler drop er Parl (stem) →

Aimer drop er Aim (stem) →

Regarder drop er Regard (stem) →

Adorer drop er Ador (stem) →

Step 2- Write the stem of the verb with the subject pronouns.

For example

Lets conjugate verb **Regarder**

Regarder – to see

Radical= Regard

Je Regard

Tu Regard

Il / elle Regard

Nous Regard

Vous Regard

Ils /elles Regard

Step 3 – Now add the endings with the stem. The endings are as follows: -

Je Regard**e**

Tu Regard**es**

Il / elle Regard**e**

Nous Regard**ons**

Vous Regard**ez**

Ils /elles Regard**ent**

NOTE :-

Aller (to go) is a very common verb, and it looks like a regular **-er** verb. However, it is not. **Aller** is a very irregular verb.

Ques 1- Conjugate the following er ending verbs in the notebook.

1. Inviter (to invite)
2. Visiter (to visit)
3. Chanter (to sing)
4. Danser (to dance)
5. Habiter (to live)

Topic-The culture and civilization of France (lesson -0 un coup d'oeil sur la France)

Bonjour! mes étudiants, today we are going to be acquainted with the culture and some of the important facts of France.



France is a large country in Europe. It is bordered by both the Mediterranean Sea and the Atlantic Ocean.

- **Capital** Paris
- **Largest City** Paris
- **Language** French
- **Currency** Euro
- **Highest Mountain** Mont Blanc, in the Alps. It is the highest mountain in Europe.
- **Longest River** River Loire

Neighbouring countries of France

France is a country located on the western edge of Europe, bordered by the (North Atlantic Ocean) in the west, by the English Channel in the northwest, by the North Sea in the north. France borders Belgium and Luxembourg in the northeast, Germany, Switzerland, and Italy in the east, the Mediterranean Sea, Monaco, Spain, and Andorra in the south.

Francophone countries

Francophone countries are the countries which use French as their national language and official language.

Francophone countries in the worldare: -

The 29 countries are, in alphabetical order: Belgium, Benin, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Canada, Chad, the Ivory Coast, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Equatorial Guinea, France, Haiti, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Mali, Monaco, Niger, Rwanda, Senegal, Seychelles, Switzerland, Togo and Vanuatu.

Mountains

There are mountains in parts of France. Some mountains are snow-capped all year round. France's highest mountains are the *French Alps* and *Jura Mountains*, bordering Italy and Switzerland, and the *Pyrénées*, along the frontier with Spain.

The highest mountain is Mont Blanc in the French Alps. It rises to 4,807m (15,771 ft). Mount Blanc is also the highest peak in the whole of Europe.

French Cheese

More than 350 kinds of cheese are made in France.

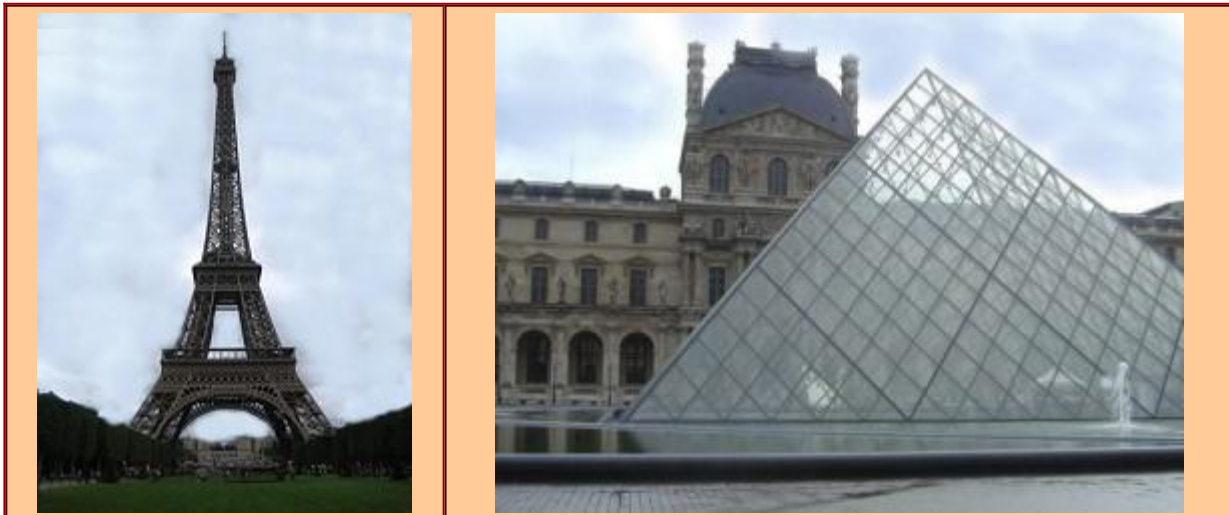
Brie, camembert, Roquefort are the names of some of the famous cheeses of France.

What is France Famous for?

France is famous for **cheese** (Camembert, Brie, Roquefort) **wine**, **perfume** (Chanel, Dior, Givenchy) and **cars** (Renault, Citroen, Peugeot). France is also famous for the Tour de France and the Eiffel tower.

Famous Landmarks of Paris

Symbols such as the Eiffel Tower, Louvre museum, the Cathedral of Notre Dame, le Sacré coeurin Montmartre make Paris one of the most visited places in the world.



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kDQ2THt3HGY>- A you tube video link for a quick glance at the facts of France.