



# FRENCH TABLE

Dates and Times



Questions related to dates	
<i>C'est quel jour ?</i>	What's the date?
<i>C'est quoi la date d'aujourd'hui ?</i>	What's the date today?
<i>On est le combien ?</i>	What day are we?
<i>On est le quoi aujourd'hui ?</i>	Which day of the month is it?
<i>Quel jour sommes-nous ? (formal)</i>	What's the date?
<i>Ça tombe quel jour ?</i>	Which day of the week is it?
<i>On sera le combien ?</i>	Which day will we be?
<i>Ce sera quand ?</i>	When will it be?



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Specifying which part of the day something happens	
<i>dans la matinée</i> <i>en début de matinée</i> <i>en milieu de matinée</i> <i>en fin de matinée</i>	in the morning early morning mid-morning late morning
<i>dans l'après-midi</i> <i>en début d'après-midi</i> <i>en milieu d'après-midi</i> <i>en fin d'après-midi</i>	in the afternoon early afternoon mid-afternoon late afternoon
<i>dans la soirée</i> <i>en début de soirée</i> <i>en milieu de soirée</i> <i>en fin de soirée</i>	in the evening early evening mid-evening late evening
<i>à l'aube</i>	at dawn



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Adjectives, adverbs, and phrases to add to times	
time + <i>précises</i>	on the dot
time + <i>et quelques</i>	or so
<i>aux alentours de</i> + time	at around
<i>entre</i> + time + <i>et</i>	between...and
<i>un peu avant...</i>	just before
<i>un peu après...</i>	just after



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Idioms	
<i>huit jours</i>	one week
<i>quinze jours</i>	a fortnight
<i>une plombe</i>	an hour
<i>le pont</i>	a four-day weekend
<i>lundi en 8</i>	Old expression: one week from Monday
<i>mardi en quinze</i>	Old expression: two weeks from Tuesday





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Other (old-fashioned) way of saying years Similar to the English way	
1940	<b>dix-neuf-cent-quarante</b> As opposed to: <b>mille-neuf-cent-quarante</b>
1752	<b>dix-sept-cent-cinquante-deux</b> As opposed to: <b>mille-sept-cent-cinquante-deux</b>
<i>Mille used to be spelled mil but, nowadays, mille is more common.</i>	

