



# FRENCH TABLE

Pronunciation



**French words pronounced (and sometimes written) incorrectly!**

French	English Pronunciation	French Pronunciation
<i>connaisseur</i>	konwaseuhr	konayseuhr
<i>chaise longue</i>	shehz lo(n)j	shehz lo(n)g
<i>genre</i>	ja(n)reuh	ja(n)r
<i>lingerie</i>	la(n)jeuhreh	lu(n)jeuhree



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## Top 5 of the trickiest French words to pronounce

<i>accueillir /akeuhyeer/</i>	to welcome
<i>bouilloire /booywar/</i>	kettle
<i>brouillard /brooyar/</i>	fog
<i>écureuil /aykureuhy/</i>	squirrel
<i>serrurerie /sayrureuhree/</i>	locksmith

## Words where *-ille* is pronounced like an "I"

<i>mille</i> and all derived words	<i>le millénaire</i>	millenium
	<i>le millésime</i>	vintage
	<i>le mille-feuille</i>	milfoil / millefeuille
<i>ville</i> and all derived words	<i>le bidonville</i>	slum
	<i>le centre-ville</i>	city-center
<i>tranquille</i> and all derived words	<i>la tranquillité</i>	peace
	<i>tranquillement</i>	peacefully

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