

Connectives

et – and
mais – but
ou – or
aussi – also

FOOD VERBS

Manger	To eat	Boire	To drink
Je mange	I eat	Je bois	I drink
Manges-tu?	do you eat?	Bois-tu?	Do you drink?
Il/Elle mange	He / she eats	Il/Elle boit	He / she drinks
Nous mangeons	We eat	Nous buvons	We drink
Vous mangez	You eat (plural/polite)	Vous buvez	You drink (plural/polite)
Ils/Elles mangent	They eat	Ils/Elles boivent	They drink

Time Phrases

Parfois– sometimes
De temps en temps – from time to time
Souvent– often
Toujours– always
Tous les jours– every day
Le matin – in the morning
L'après midi– in the afternoon
La nuit– in the evening/at night

Never = ne...jamais

Je ne mange jamais = I never eat

Je ne bois jamais = I never drink

Sentence
building



Au café – At the café

J'aime	I like
je n'aime pas	I don't like
J'adore	I love
Je déteste	I hate
Je voudrais	I would like

INFINITIVES - can be added after opinions

Manger (to eat)

Boire (to drink)

Aller (to go)

Questions and Answers

Q: Vous désirez?

A: Je voudrais... (food/drink)

Q: Et pour vous?

A: Je voudrais... (food/drink)

Q: On va au café?

A: Allons-y!

Q: C'est combien

A: C'est... (Price)

Q: Ça coute combien?

A: Ça coute... (Price)

Q: Tu as combien d'argent?

A: J'ai... (number) euros

NUMBERS

use the formula “tens-ones” to form most numbers between 20 and 99.
e.g. 48 = quarante-huit

EXCEPTIONS

- 21,31,41...91 – all of these go “tens-and-one” e.g. 41 = quarante-et-un
- 70s – uses 60 + the teen e.g. 74 = soixante-quatorze (sixty-fourteen)
- 90s – uses 80 + the teen e.g. 99 = quatre-vingt-dix-neuf