

# Français 1A - Unité 1 – Liste de Vocabulaire #1

## How to Greet People:

Bonjour! = Hello!

Salut! = Hi!

Bonsoir! = Good evening!

## Asking Someone's Name Formally:

Comment vous appelez-vous?

Comment vous vous appelez?

Vous vous appelez comment? = How do you call yourself? (or) What is your name?

## Asking Someone's Name Informally:

Comment t'appelles-tu?

Comment tu t'appelles?

Tu t'appelles comment? = How do you call yourself? (or) What is your name?

## Making Introductions and Telling Your Name:

Je m'appelle... = I call myself... (OR) My name is....

Permettez-moi de me présenter, je m'appelle... = Allow me to introduce myself, my name is...

## How to Introduce Someone:

Je te présente Jean Leclerc.

Je vous présente Jean Leclerc. = I present to you Jean Leclerc.

## Saying "Nice to Meet You!":

Enchanté(e)! = Nice to meet you! (literally: Enchanted (to meet you)!)

Très honoré(e)! = Very honored (to meet you)!

Je suis très heureux (m)/heureuse (f) de faire votre connaissance. = I am very pleased/happy/fortunate to make your acquaintance!

## Asking People You Know Personally How They Are Doing :

Comment ça va? = How is it going?

Ça va? = Is it going?

Comment vas-tu? = How are you doing?

Et toi? = And you?

## Telling How You Are Doing :

Super! = Super!

Très bien! = Very well!

Ça va très bien! = It's going very well!

Ça va bien! = It's going well!

Ça va. = It's going.

Comme çà, comme çà. = So, so. (literally: Like this, like that.)

Pas mal. = Not bad.

How to respond if you're doing the same as someone else:

Pareil! = means "Same here"

Moi aussi! = Me too!

Bof. = expression of indifference  
Ça va mal. = It's going poorly/badly.  
Ça va très mal. = It's going very poorly/badly.  
Ça ne va pas. = It's not going.

Asking People You Don't Know Personally How They Are Doing :

Comment allez-vous? = How are you doing?  
Et vous? = And you?  
Comment vas-tu? = How are you doing?  
Et toi? = And you?

Telling How You Are Doing (In a more detailed/formal way):

Je vais bien. = I'm doing well.  
Je vais bien, merci. = I'm doing well, thanks.  
Je vais très bien, merci! = I'm doing very well, thanks.  
Je vais mal. = I'm doing poorly/badly.  
Je vais très mal. = I'm doing very poorly/badly.  
Je ne vais pas bien. = I'm not doing well.

How to Say Goodbye:

Salut! = Bye!  
Ciao! = Bye!  
Au revoir! = Good-bye!  
À tout à l'heure! = See you later! (or) See you in a little while!  
À bientôt! = See you soon!  
À demain! = See you tomorrow!  
À lundi\*! = See you Monday!  
À plus! = Later!  
À la prochaine! = See you next time!  
Bonne journée! = (Have a) Good day!  
Bon week-end! = (Have a) Good weekend!  
Bonsoir! = Good night!

\*Les jours de la semaine: = the days of the week:

Lundi = Monday  
Mardi = Tuesday  
Mercredi = Wednesday  
Jeudi = Thursday  
Vendredi = Friday  
Samedi = Saturday  
Dimanche = Sunday

Responding to what someone says  
when telling how he or she is  
doing:

C'est bien! = That's great!  
C'est bon! = That's good!  
C'est mauvais! = That's bad!