

Lesson details

Year Group: **Year 8**
Subject: **French**
Where I will find my work: **In this document**
Hyperlinks: [Languages online](#)

Do Now Questions:

1. **How many teams are playing in the World Cup 2026?**
2. **Where is it taking place?**
3. **Can you name any of the players from the French national team?**

Challenge: How many times has France won the World cup?

Engage

LO: **To introduce yourself and others in French**
Keywords: **la Coupe du Monde = the World Cup**

Learn

Match up the key verbs:

Je m'appelle ...	I am ... years old
J'ai ans	my birthday is ...
J'habite ... (à / en / au)	I love
J'adore	I wear
Je suis ...	I am
Mon anniversaire, c'est	I don't like
J'aime	My name is ...
Je n'aime pas	I live (in...)
Je porte ...	I was born ...
Je suis né(e)	I like ...

Build

Using the verbs above, copy & complete each sentence by adding the correct verb. Write each sentence in French and translate into English.

- 1) _____ Harry Kane.
- 2) _____ trente-deux _____.
- 3) _____ à Londres en mille neuf cent quatre vingt treize (1993)
- 4) _____, c'est le vingt-huit juillet.
- 5) _____ anglais.
- 6) Maintenant, _____ en Allemagne.
- 7) _____ très sportif. _____ jouer au foot!
- 8) _____ aussi jouer au golf, c'est très relaxant.
- 9) _____ un tee-shirt et un short.
- 10) _____ deux chiens, qui s'appellent Wilson et Brady.

Apply

1) Use the sentence structures from the build section to write a profile about yourself (or your favourite football player). Try to include these details:

- ✓ Name
- ✓ Age
- ✓ Birthday
- ✓ Where you/they live
- ✓ What you/they are like (personality/appearance)
- ✓ What you wear
- ✓ Things you like

Extension:

- Include information about your family and pets.
 - You could also include things you do at the weekend (*Le weekend....*) and what you're going to do during the summer holidays (*Pendant les vacances, je vais...*).
 - You could also include things you did last weekend (*Le weekend dernier...*)
- 2) Follow this link to [Languages online](#) and work through the different World Cup activities to revise countries and personal descriptions of different football players. There are 35 different tasks – you may not have time to complete them all!
- 3) Make a list of countries in French that you have found on languagesonline. Make sure that you know what each country is in English. You could also download a map of the world and label each country in French, then draw each country's flag.

Review

Translate: *Je m'appelle Thierry Henry et je suis français. J'ai quarante-huit ans et mon anniversaire, c'est le dix-huit août. Le weekend dernier, j'ai joué au foot avec mes amis mais c'était un peu fatigant. Pendant les vacances, je vais aller au Brésil pour visiter les monuments historiques.*

True or false?

- l'Écosse = Ecuador**
- la Nouvelle Zélande = New Zealand**
- la Suisse = Sweden**
- l'Angeterre = England**