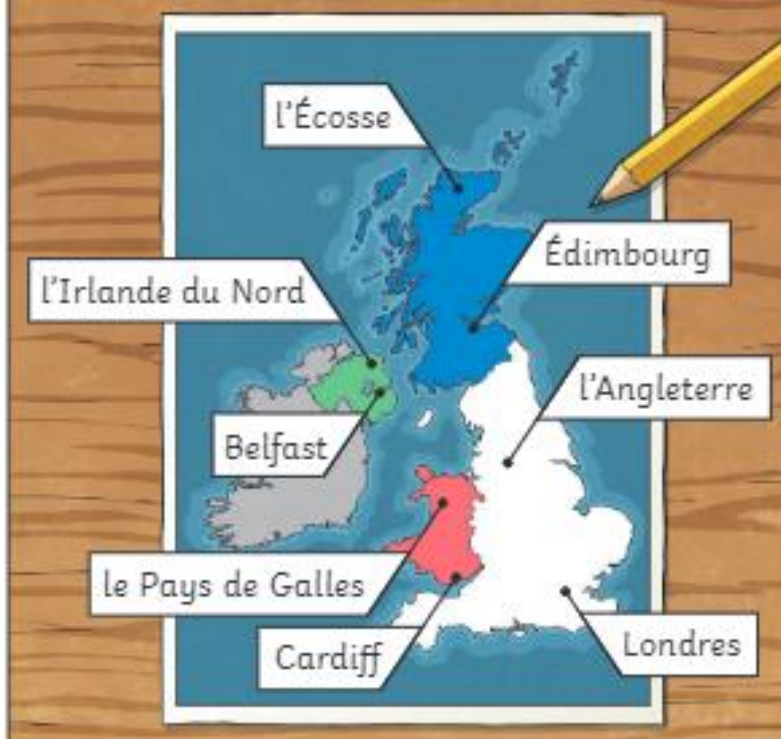


Where in the World?

Le Royaume-Uni [United Kingdom]



Countries that Speak French

There are over 29 countries where French is an official language. Here are some of them...



Compass Points



On parle français en Belgique.
They speak French in Belgium.



J'habite en Écosse.
I live in Scotland.

Où habites-tu ?
Where do you live?

J'habite au Pays de Galles.
I live in Wales.

Quelle est la capitale de l'Angleterre ?
What's the capital of England?

Londres est la capitale de l'Angleterre.
London is the capital of England.

Note that **en** is used to say **in** before a feminine country but **au** is used to say **in** when the country is masculine.

*If the country is an island like Haïti we say **à**.

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Key Language in Context

L'Australie est **au sud** de l'Équateur.

Australia is **south** of the Equator.

La Colombie est **sur** l'Équateur.

Colombia is **on** the Equator.

L'Angleterre est **au nord** de l'Équateur.

England is **north** of the Equator.

All continents in French are feminine so **en** is used to say **in**:

- La France est **en** Europe.
France is **in** Europe.
- Les États-Unis sont **en** Amérique du Nord.
The United States are **in** North America.

De quel continent vient-il/elle ?

Which continent does he/she/it come from?

Il/elle vient de...

He/she/it comes from...



The word *allé* is called a past participle and it has to agree with the subject. So a boy will write *Je suis allé* whereas a girl will write *Je suis allée*.

Key Vocabulary - Animals

f = feminine m = masculine



une baleine (f)



un bison (m)



un kangourou (m)



un zèbre (m)



un lion (m)



un cobra (m)



un ours brun (m)



un capybara (m)



un panda (m)



un ours polaire (m)



un pingouin (m)



un renne (m)

Key Vocabulary - Continents

l'Amérique du Nord (f) [North America], l'Amérique du Sud (f) [South America], l'Afrique (f) [Africa], l'Europe (f) [Europe], l'Asie (f) [Asia], l'Antarctique (f) [Antarctica], l'Océanie (f) [Oceania].