

Your Family

No, it can't all be about you — you have to talk about **other people** a bit too. Like your family.

Use these words for your **friends** and **family**

You can choose your **friends**, but you can't choose your **family**... Or something.

mon père / my father / beau-père / step-father
ma mère / my mother / belle-mère / step-mother
ma sœur / my sister / step/half-sister / demi-sœur
mon frère / my brother / step/half-brother / demi-frère
mon grand-père / my grandfather
ma grand-mère / my grandmother
mon oncle / my uncle
ma tante / my aunt
mon cousin / my cousin (male)
ma cousine / my cousin (female)
mon ami / my friend (male)
mon amie / my friend (female)

Say what your **family** and **friends** are like

I've written these out **twice** so you can see the bits that **change** depending **who** you're talking about — a **lad** or a **lass**. Swap **frère** and **sœur** for **any family member** you want (obviously enough).

PHRASES ABOUT LADS

j'ai **un frère** / I have a brother

mon frère s'appelle Dave
my brother is called Dave

il a quinze ans / he's fifteen years old

il est sympa / he's nice

PHRASES ABOUT LASSES

j'ai **une sœur** / I have a sister

ma sœur s'appelle Liz
my sister is called Liz

elle a quinze ans / she's fifteen years old

elle est sympa / she's nice

If you're an only child, say "Je suis fils/fille unique" = I am an only child. (It's "fils" for males, "fille" for females.)

I've think I've seen this page before — it looks family-er...

Mon amie — you'd expect "my female friend" to be "ma amie", but that's **too hard to say**. It's like how you say "an orange" in English, not "a orange". See p.61 for more on mon/ma/mes.

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Q1 Write down the French for each of these family members.

a) my sister

b) my father

c) my grandfather

d) my mother

e) my brother

f) my grandmother

g) my aunt

h) my uncle

MOTS :



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les parents

le père

la mère

le frère

la sœur

le grand-père

le chien

les grands-parents

le bébé

la grand-mère

Match the people in the photo with the family member words.

La Famille

Unjumble the anagrams.



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| | PARENTS |
| | GRAND-PÈRE |
| | FRÈRE |
| | GRAND-MÈRE |

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| | CHIEN |
| | SŒUR |
| | PÈRE |
| | MÈRE |
| | BÉBÉ |

a) C'est mno pdnrè-erga

b) C'est am oesru

c) C'est mno rèpe

d) C'est am rumoe-ised

e) C'est nom lenoc

f) C'est onm rèref

g) C'est am geran-rèmd

h) C'est ma rème

2. Put the words in the correct order

a) une deux soeur et J'ai frères.

b) frères des soeurs et des as Tu?

c) Homer s'appelle mon qui Voici père.

d) s'appellent qui tantes et deux Patty Selma J'ai.

