

Do the following:

1. Greet Mr. Jones in the morning:

2. Greet Mrs. Smith in the evening:

3. Greet a 10 year old girl.:

Culture Note:

When greeting someone in French, it is necessary to use the title with the greeting.

- Good morning—**bonjour** Sir—**Monsieur**
- Good afternoon—**bonjour** Ma'am/Mrs.—**Madame**
- Good evening—**bonsoir** Miss—**Mademoiselle**
- Good night—**bonne nuit**

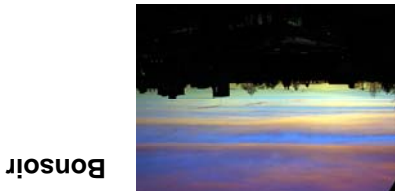
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Lesson 1
Meeting and Greeting People

Not bad, thanks.
How are you Miss?
I'm doing very well, thank you.
Good evening Mrs. Bouchard.
Fine, thank you.
Good morning Mr. Jones, how are you? <i>Translate the following into French:</i>

How are you?—Comment allez-vous?
 very—très
 not—pas
 good, well—bien
 bad—mal
 thank you—merci



Mal...



Pas mal, merci



Bien, merci



Très bien, merci.

Comment allez-vous?

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Lesson 2
"How are you?" (Part 1)

Greet your French partner using the phrases in this lesson.

Read the following:

Alors, quoi de neuf?
Pas mal du tout. Et toi?
Rien de neuf.

This lesson focuses on greeting your family, friends, or children. **Do not** use these on adults or older people unless you know them well, or invited to do so.

et— and
comme ci, comme ça— so-so
pas mal du tout— not bad at all
rien de neuf— nothing much
rien de nouveau— not much
ça va— fine, well

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Alors, quelles nouvelles? - What's new?
Quoi de neuf? - What's new?

Pas mal.



Bien, et toi?



Bonjour, Jean!
Ça va?



Quoi de neuf?

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Lesson 3
Meeting and Greeting People
(Part 2)

Ciao is a popular form of expression used among young people (taken from Italian)



À bientôt (See you later) indicates you'll be seeing each other again within the next couple of days.
À tout à l'heure! (See you later) indicates you'll be seeing one another again within the same day.

Salut, Pierre. Ça va?
Salut Charles! Ça va, et toi?
Pas mal, merci.
(A few minutes later)
Ciao, mon ami!
Ciao Charles, à bientôt.

Bonjour Madame Bouchard. Comment-allez vous?
Très bien, merci. Et vous?
Bien, merci.
(A few minutes later)
Au revoir, Madame.
Au revoir.

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Lesson 4—Saying Goodbye