Nom

lundi, le 12 janvier

French Webquest Day 1

[*Académie française*](http://french.about.com/cs/francophonie/a/academie.htm)*:* What is this organization? When was it created? Has its purpose changed over time? (3 points)

[*Alliance française*](http://french.about.com/library/bl-alliancefrancaise.htm)*:* What is this organization? When was it created? Has its purpose changed over time? (3 points)

[*Celebrations and Holidays*](http://french.about.com/library/bl_fetes.htm)*:* What are some important holidays in France and other French-speaking countries? How do they compare to your country's holidays? (6 points-3 points for 3 holidays and 3 points for the 3 comparisons)

[*Differences between French and English*](http://french.about.com/library/bl-differences.htm)*:* What are some key differences? (3 points for 3 differences)

[*Fluency*](http://french.about.com/library/weekly/aa072701a.htm)*:* What is fluency? Explain it in your own words. (1 point)  
  
[*French in English*](http://french.about.com/library/bl-frenchinenglish.htm)*:* How has French influenced English? (3 points for 3 ways it has influenced English)

[*French-Speaking Celebrities*](http://french.about.com/od/teachingresources/a/celebrities.htm)*:* Choose several celebrities and explain why they speak French (6 points-3 points for the 3 celebrities and 3 points for the reason they speak French)

[*French Gestures*](http://french.about.com/library/weekly/aa020901a.htm)*:* Are any similar to those in your country? Are any the same gesture with a different meaning? (4 points-2 points for 2 gestures and 2 points for their meanings)

[*Introduction to French*](http://french.about.com/cs/francophonie/a/introduction.htm)*:* What languages is it related to? (4 points)  
  
[*La Négritude*](http://french.about.com/library/bl-negritude.htm)*:* What is Négritude? How and where did it evolve? Who were the *trois pères*? (5 points)

[*The "Rude French"*](http://french.about.com/cs/culture/a/rudefrench.htm)*:* Are the French rude? Why or why not? Where does this stereotype come from? (3 points)

[*Spanish vs French*](http://french.about.com/cs/teachingresources/a/spanishiseasier.htm)*:* How are they similar/different? Is one easier than the other? (2 points)

[*Translation and Interpretation*](http://french.about.com/cs/translation/a/introduction.htm)*:* What is the difference? How are they similar? (2 points)

[*Verlan*](http://french.about.com/library/vocab/bl-verlan.htm)*:* What is it? (1 point)  
  
[*What is French? Facts and Figures*](http://french.about.com/library/bl-whatisfrench.htm)*:* List 10 countries where French is an official language. (10 points)

[*Why learn French*](http://french.about.com/od/francophonie/a/whylearnfrench.htm)*:* How can it help you? (5 points for 5 reasons)