

Français 1
Les Loisirs IPA

Nom _____

Interpretive Reading

A. Key Word Recognition. Find the French words/phrases that best express the meanings of the following English words/phrases.

Women _____

A screen _____

Men _____

A computer _____

His/her family _____

Sunday evening _____

His/her friends _____

Monday _____

Going to a museum _____

A car _____

Once/one time _____

Love _____

B. What is the main idea of this infographic? Answer in English.

C. Supporting details

1. Check each detail that is mentioned in the article (not all are included).

2. Fill in the information that is given for each detail you have checked. Write in English.

___ The percentage of women who think a perfect weekend involves visiting different places _____

___ The percentage of women who think a perfect weekend involves shopping _____

___ The percentage of women who think a perfect weekend involves spending time with friends _____

___ The percentage of women who think a perfect weekend involves taking care of yourself, such as by getting a haircut or other beauty treatment _____

___ The percentage of women who think a perfect weekend involves going out to eat _____

___ The percentage of women who think a perfect weekend involves sleeping a lot _____

___ The percentage of men who think a perfect weekend involves doing nothing _____

___ The percentage of men who think a perfect weekend involves perfect weather _____

___ The percentage of men who think a perfect weekend involves watching TV or movies _____

___ The percentage of men who think a perfect weekend involves going to sporting events _____

___ The percentage of men who think a perfect weekend involves going to parties _____

___ The amount of time French people spend in front of a TV or computer screen each weekend _____

___ The number of French people who lie to their colleagues about what they did over the weekend _____

___ The amount of time that French people spend doing housework each weekend _____

___ The percentage of French people who would like to go away for the weekend more often _____



D. Inference. Answer the question and provide evidence from the text to support your answer. Write in English.

1. What type of company do you think created this infographic? Why do you think so?

E. Find the underlined words/phrases and write what you think they mean in English. The information in parenthesis tells you which section the word appears in.

1. Se détendre et ne rien faire (bar graph, p. 1) _____
2. Le top 10 des villes à voir au moins une fois dans sa vie (left side, p. 2) _____
3. Chaque week-end chez eux, les Français dépensent 177 (right side, p. 3) _____
4. Repas à emporter (right side on p. 3) _____
5. Se déplacer (bus, taxi, etc.) (right side on p. 3) _____

F. Cultural Comparison. Answer the following question in English.

1. How would your parents' ideas of a perfect weekend be different from a typical French person's? Why do you think this is?

G. Author's Perspective. Select the perspective or point of view you think the author adopted as s/he created this infographic and justify your answer with information from the text.

- ___ 1. People should go away for the weekend more often.
- ___ 2. People should relax more on the weekends.
- ___ 3. People should spend more time with their families on the weekend.

Interpretive Listening

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3qKTXKsl-FY>

1. Check each detail that is mentioned in the video (not all are included).
2. Fill in the information that is given for each detail you have checked. Write in English.

- ___ The amount of time that most French teenagers spend in front of a screen (per week) _____
- ___ The types of screens that they use _____
- ___ The amount of time that the most extreme teenagers spend in front of a screen each week _____



- ___ The amount of time that the least extreme teenagers spend in front of a screen each week _____
- ___ The proportion of teenagers who are in front of their screen until right before they go to sleep _____
- ___ The proportion of teenagers who leave their phone on all night _____
- ___ The age range of the teenagers who participated in this study _____
- ___ The percentage of teenagers whose favorite screen is the television _____
- ___ The percentage of teenagers whose favorite screen is their smartphone _____
- ___ The percentage of teenagers whose favorite screen is a computer _____

Interpersonal Communication

You have three minutes to discuss your leisure activities with a partner. Address the following topics in your discussion:

- The leisure activities that you do and when, where, with whom and why you do them. Consider discussing sports, “screen” activities, cultural activities, music, etc.
- Discuss how French people’s favorite leisure activities compare to yours and those of other members of your family.

Make sure that you are both asking and answering questions. In addition, make sure that you respond appropriately to your partner’s responses by asking follow up questions.

Presentational Writing

Imagine that a French foreign exchange student is coming to stay with your family for the summer. Send him/her an e-mail in which you discuss the leisure activities that you usually do during the summer. Make sure to include the following information:

- Information about several different activities
- When, where, with whom and why you do them
- At least 3 questions about his/her leisure activities

Your note should be at least 150 words long and should be written in paragraph form with an introduction, careful transitions and a conclusion. Skip lines so that Madame has room to provide feedback on your work.

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