

Primary French Immersion iPad/iPhone Apps

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Free

	<p><u>Lexico Comprendre</u></p>	<p>\$ In-app purchases available for the complete version (\$11.99). Listen to instructions in French, asking you to identify objects in the positions that are given. In the free version, practice all sorts of positions such as (small, large, thin, thick, above, below, on top of, beside, in, outside of, to the left, to the right). This app really develops a child's listening skills. The full version includes: transportation, jobs, conversation, thoughts, places, objects, animals, before/after, forms, functions, actions, habits and opposites.</p>
	<p><u>Les animaux sauvages</u></p>	<p>\$ in app purchases available for the complete version (\$3.49) In the complete version you will also learn about lifestyles of animals and their habitats. In this game, you will test your knowledge of physical characteristics of animals by listening to a physical description of an animal and selecting the animal that matches that has that characteristic.</p>
	<p><u>Émotions et couleurs ! Jeux éducatifs et coloriage pour tout petits et enfants en Maternelle et CP par Apprends Avec</u></p>	<p>\$ In-app purchases available for the complete version (\$3.49). In the complete version you will also learn colours. Watch a video showing an emotion and match the emotion to that video. Learn the name of it in French!</p>
 <p>"Colors and Shapes Lite" on</p> 	<p><u>Colors and Shapes : Learn and Play Lite</u></p>	<p>\$ In-app purchases available for the complete version (\$2.29). In the full version, you will also practice your colours. Practice learning your forms in French by choosing a form and then trying to recognize it among others, etc.</p>

	<p><u>Mini TFO - BiblioMini</u></p>	<p>Discover four interactive French books, which are read aloud to you: Marie-Ève la Chèvre, Martin le Lapin, Simon le Mouton and Bernard le Canard. The stories are broken up with little videos in French that make connections to real-life. These little videos also introduce little rhymes and songs to help with the story. The stories also have little activities scattered throughout which are designed to help reinforce concepts in the book.</p>
	<p><u>Les saisons et la météo! Jeux éducatifs sur le temps pour enfants en Maternelle et CP</u></p>	<p>\$ In-app purchases available for the complete version (\$3.49). The complete version includes clothing and activities. In this app, test your knowledge of weather in French. You will be shown three photos and must choose photos demonstrating different weather based on the description that you hear.</p>
 	<p><u>First Words(Deluxe): Spelling & Learning Game For Kids</u> <u>SAMPLE</u></p>	<p>\$ In-app purchases available for the complete version (\$3.79). The complete version unlocks all scenes which include transportation and space, foods, clothing and animals. The free version includes scenes from festivals/holidays, and colours. You are shown a picture of something, and given the word at the bottom, then must spell it yourself with letters. As you touch the letters, the letter is named. When you correctly put the letters in order, the word is said in French.</p>
 	<p><u>Jeux pour lire avec Sami et Julie</u></p>	<p>\$ In-app purchases available for the complete version (\$4.59). This app is designed to help with reading by reinforcing sound skills, then forming syllables with consonants and vowels, and then by forming sentences in French all through games.</p>
 	<p><u>Radio Pomme D'Api</u></p>	<p>This is a free radio that plays songs for children in French.</p>
	<p><u>Puppet Pals HD</u></p>	<p>\$ In-app purchases available. You can make your own puppet shows in French using your microphone.</p>

 <p><u>Mini TFO - Dino et Marianne</u></p> 	<p>In this app, play and count in French with Dino and Marianne from MiniTFO. Practice tracing letters and raise awareness of space as well.</p>
 <p><u>Fun French: Language learning games for kids ages 3-10 to learn to read, speak & spell</u></p>	<p>\$ In-app purchases available for the complete version (\$9.99). Animals, numbers, food, vehicles, the human body and the parts of a house are available in the complete version.</p> <p>In the free version, you can only select from colours. Once you have selected what you want to learn, the next step is to decide how you would you like to learn. You can choose to listen and play, find the colours, mix colours, simple sentences, spell the colours, or test with the colours.</p>
 <p><u>Chansons traditionnelles</u> iPad &</p> 	<p>Watch videos of traditional French songs with the lyrics.</p>
 <p><u>Vocabulaire et grammaire ! Jeux éducatifs pour apprendre la phrase aux enfants en Maternelle et CP par Apprends Avec Jeu</u></p>	<p>\$ In-app purchases available for the complete version (\$3.49). In the complete version, you also have access to sentences and oral comprehension.</p> <p>In the free version, the category available to you is vocabulary. You are shown a scene with objects hidden in it and are told to find a particular object. You must go through the scene and can touch the items to hear their names. You get points when you touch the item that was requested.</p>
 <p><u>Learn French Vocabulary - Start Learning for Free! Fun, fast and easy flash card word game for kids and adults. Great intro language practice for beginners.</u> (search Penyo Pal French)</p>	<p>\$ In-app purchases available for different episodes (episodes range in price from \$0.99 to \$5.99 each).</p> <p>In the free version, you have access to the restaurant episode. You start by being told a type of food that corresponds to a picture. Touch the picture to move on. As you advance, more food is introduced and you are introduced to the way it sounds, its image and the way that it is spelled. You get points for selecting the correct food.</p>

	<p><u>Learn the alphabet with Zou</u></p>	<p>\$ In-app purchases available for the complete version. (\$3.49). The complete version includes D-Z and also offers a section where you can create your own words, another section where you can see a variety of images and touch the one you'd like to learn, and a third section about sounds. In this section, you are given two boxes, each with a different sound, and several images. You have to do a sound sort, based on the sounds in the name of the images. When you touch an image, you can hear its name. Slide the image to the box that it should go in. Practice the name of the letter, identify it among other letters, practice drawing it, find the letter in a word and complete the spelling of a word. (Capital letters.) In the free version, there is access to A, B and C.</p>
	<p><u>Lire avec Bidule</u></p>	<p>\$ In-app purchases available to buy sets of books (\$3.49 per set of books). A great app for beginning readers. The app comes with three free books. The books that you can buy increase in difficulty, starting with very simple sentences with only a few words on each page.</p>

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 <p><u>Show me the picture! Developmental games for toddlers and children: first words and pictures</u> iPad only May need to search with developer name: Anastasia Averina</p>	<p><u>Show me the picture! Developmental games for toddlers and children: first words and pictures</u></p>	<p>\$0.99 Pick a category (actions, animals, cooking, washroom, jobs, transportation and colours). You are then shown four images and are asked to touch the image where something specific is happening. This app really develops listening skills and comprehension. *also available as a separate free app - only one category*</p>
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[French Word Wizard - French Talking Movable Alphabet and Spelling Tests](#)

\$4.59 This app has four different components: mobile alphabet, learn and copy, mixed letters, dictation. In mobile alphabet, you can create your own words. When you create an actual word, it will be outlined in white. When letters are placed together that do not create a word, they are outlined in red. Every time you touch a letter, the app says its sound.

In learn and copy, you can select a category and you are given words, when you then have to copy with the letters.

In the mixed letters section, you select a category, then are told a word and its letters are scattered all over the screen. You need to put them back in order. You can ask for clues if you need them or ask for the word to be repeated.

The dictation part is similar to the mixed letter portion, however, this time you are given all the letters of the alphabet, instead of just the letters for that word.

You can choose to have the letters in cursive or in printing. This app is great for students to practice their sounds and to practice building words. You can even make your own categories and add your own words. Categories also include high frequency words in addition to date, numbers, animals, house, food, body, clothes, sports and family.



[French First Words with Phonics Pro: Kids Deluxe-Spelling & Learning Game](#)

\$4.59 There are three categories: animals, transportation and colours. Choose a category and then select an image to start. The image will show up, as well as the word. The letters that are in the word are scrambled on the screen. You have to drag them over to the word and put them in the correct order. When you're done, the word is pronounced.

also available as a separate free app - only a few images from one category available



[My first French interactive book: Little Red Cap](#)

\$2.29 An interactive book in French. Each page can be read aloud in French with the touch of a button. As the story is read, each word is highlighted so you can follow along. Or try to read on your own; simply touch a word that you want to hear pronounced. You can also touch the background to find out what the objects are.



[My first French interactive book: Zapzap the bee](#)

\$1.99 An interactive book in French. Each page can be read aloud in French with the touch of a button. As the story is read, each word is highlighted so you can follow along. Or try to read on your own; simply touch a word that you want to hear pronounced. You can also touch the background to find out what the objects are.



ABC pour les
Enfants:
Apprenez le
Français - Les
Lettres,
Chiffres et

Mots avec des Animaux, Formes,
Couleurs, Fruits et Légumes

\$1.19 This app includes: letters, numbers, animals (wild, domestic, aquatic, birds and insects), shapes, fruits, vegetables, colours, musical instruments, transportation, flowers, objects, jobs, tools, sports, and candies.

There are three parts to this app. In part 1, students learn the names of the objects and are shown an image that corresponds with the object while at the same time hearing the name in French. In part two, students are tested on a category. They are shown four objects and must identify the correct object based on the instructions that they hear. In the third section, they are shown three images and must select them according to instructions that they hear.



French Sounds

\$11.99 This app is great for practicing French sounds and which letters make up those sounds. You can play concentration (sound matching), play with phonemic flash cards, work on sound blending and word building. Tap the cards to hear the sounds they make.