

Top ideas for learning French general conversation answers

Remember, many of these ideas apply to learning in all subjects!

1. Organise	2. Mimic	3. One line cover
Work through your answers and organise them into a logical sequence. Highlight / circle the ones you intend to use.	Ask your French teacher to record your answers being read aloud. This means you have perfect models of how your pronunciation should sound as well as good pace and tone.	Read the first line of one of your answers aloud, cover it and say it from memory. Add another line each time until you can recite the full answer from memory.
4. First letter	5. Deletion	6. Add one word
Rewrite your answers onto scrap paper or a whiteboard but only write the first letter of each word. Use the first letter as a prompt for saying the full word.	Rewrite your answers but delete certain words – focus on the ones you find most difficult. Read aloud and use the gap as a prompt to remember the deleted word.	Read your answer one word at a time, adding one additional word each time you read aloud.
7. Chunk	8. English	9. Identify
Break your answers down into smaller chunks and recite them in blocks.	Translate your answers to English and use the English as a prompt to recall the French.	Identify and highlight words or phrases you find difficult. Practise these in isolation to ensure you master them.