

# Les Jours - Days



## Objective

To consolidate knowledge of days of the week in French.  
To be able to say the days of the week in French



## Equipment

- Suitable outdoor/indoor space
- 6 sets of French days of the week cards (1 per group)
- 6 hoops



## Preparation

- Pupils should have previously been introduced to the French words for days of the week and the vocabulary for the greetings.
- Place hoops, one per team, at one end of the playing area. Each hoop should contain a set of the days cards, mixed up and face down.
- Pupils do this activity in small groups (e.g. 5 pupils)



## Instructions

- Warm up activity:
- Pupils make 2 teams and stand in a line in front of the teacher.
- The teacher shows the first pair of pupils a card in French and the pupils must shout out the correct day of the week in English. The first to do so returns to the back of their team's line and the other student is out.
- Repeat until there is one winning student remaining.
- Main activity:
- Each team lines up at the end of the playing area, opposite their hoop.
- The teacher gives a signal and the first pupil in each team runs to collect a card from their hoop.
- When they get back to their team, the next child can run to collect a card.
- When the team have collected all their cards, they must arrange them on the floor in the correct order: Monday - Sunday.
- The winning team is the one who completes this first.
- All teams should then read out the days of the week in order.



## Other information

- This activity could be used for KS1, 2 or 3, depending on their starting point of reading the language.
- Vocabulary (cards show the day in French)

1. Monday	lundi	5. Friday	vendredi
2. Tuesday	mardi	6. Saturday	samedi
3. Wednesday	mercredi	7. Sunday	dimanche
4. Thursday	jeudi		

