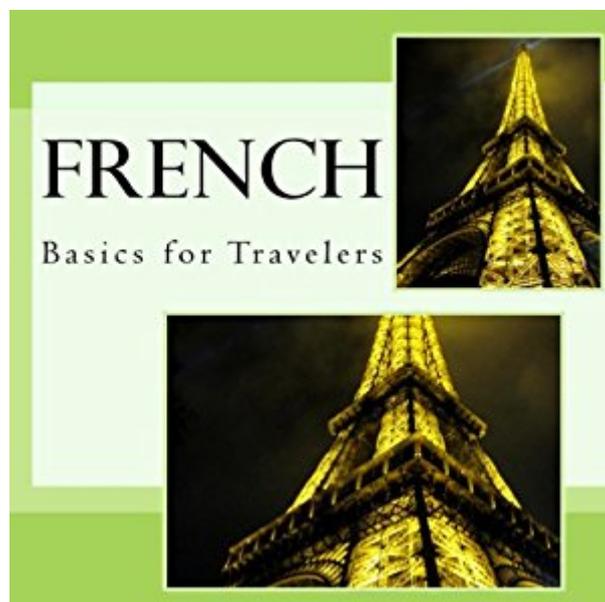


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A great audiobook to get you started with basic French expressions, grammar and phrases! After all, no matter where you go in France, it helps knowing a bit of French. Take this compact and concise book of popular phrases, often-seen words and basic French grammar with you and learn the basics of French while on the go! This guide contains: Lots of popular French words, pronunciation tips, and easy-to-find phrases for small talk, directions, food and dining, shopping and many other travel situations.

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Satisfied with this purchase. Easy to use!

As I was considering using this book with adults learning French, I checked it out on my Kindle first. I was shocked to find spelling errors with some of the basic expressions, such as Comment t'appelles-tu? was written Comment appelles-tu without the necessary "t" pronoun and also with the corresponding vous form, Comment vous appelez-vous which similarly skipped the pronoun and was written as Comment appelez-vous. I also noticed a mistake in adjective agreement, Bonne chance! (good luck) was written as Bon chance. The word and its article, une promenade, was incorrectly written as "un promenade". Further on, the expression "avoir une faim de loup" is written without the article as "avoir faim de loup". This is misleading as usually, the expression is spoken as "J'ai une faim de loup". Although these are only a few mistakes, these are very basic words and expressions that are often used and should be correctly spelled in any instructional French book. To

not have discovered these errors in proofreading is completely unacceptable. For how would a beginner know what is correct? I would discourage anyone from relying on this book to learn even a few expressions.

This e-book isn't lengthy at all! That's what I loved about it. It doesn't assume an air of something it isn't, and offers you a veritable taste of the French language.

The French language can be frightfully puzzling and daunting, but the author of this e-book has made it seem like a breeze. With a range that showcases the author's command over the language, this little book is enchanting to say the least. I particularly liked the conversational tone which is maintained right through, devoid of anything overtly scholarly or intimidating. It has a depth, and yet it stays clear from being labelled exhaustive or wordy. I also enjoyed the snippets of subtle humour that shines through in some of the chapters. It has a well-wrought structure and defined scope which the author manages to meet with ease. This e-book is short, simple and engaging. It makes for light and informative reading.

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