

Rosa's Rhythmic Days: Les Jours de la Semaine

Dance through the week with Rosa the Parrot—learn your French days in a blink!

- French days of the week always start with a lowercase letter, just like when we write the names of seasons.
- The week in France traditionally begins on a Monday, which is 'lundi'.
- To ask 'What day is it today?', you say: 'Quel jour sommes-nous ?'
- The weekend consists of 'samedi' and 'dimanche'.
- You can remember the order by practising the chant: Lundi, Mardi, Mercredi, Jeudi, Vendredi, Samedi, Dimanche!

Did you know? Did you know? In French, the days of the week are not written with a capital letter unless they start a sentence! Also, many of the names are linked to the planets in our solar system, such as 'mardi' for Mars and 'mercredi' for Mercury.

Key vocabulary: lundi (Monday) · mardi (Tuesday) · mercredi (Wednesday) · jeudi (Thursday) · vendredi (Friday) · samedi (Saturday) · dimanche (Sunday) · la semaine (the week) · aujourd'hui (today)