French language links and teaching Resources

- Le Point du FLE
- <u>Culturethèque</u> from the Institut français in London offers French cultural content online such as ebooks, films and audio, including some learning resources.
- <u>France in London</u> includes details of current French events and films in our capital, alongside articles on a range of subjects.
- <u>Google.fr</u> French version of the ubiquitous search engine, <u>Yahoo! France</u> similarly for the famous web directory.
- <u>ClicNet</u> is a broad, well-maintained catalogue of Francophone resources on many subjects, intended for students and teachers of French.

News & media on-line

- <u>ina.fr</u> (Institut National Audiovisuel Français) an archive of televised news and special reports from national French channels.
- <u>Le Monde</u> the full edition online (though a charge is made for in-depth stories).
- <u>Libération</u> offers a partial online service each day's front page is available in <u>Adobe Reader</u> format, plus several top stories in full and the occasional special.
- Google Actualités France allows you to search and browse hundreds of continuously updated news sources.
- TF 1 is one of the TV channels available in the Language Learning Centre here at the Sussex Centre for Language Studies.
- France 2 (also available in the Language Learning Centre) has a rich website, with a lot of backup materials.
- M6 is another French TV channel, which has useful 6 minute news slots available online. TV5 carries a good video summary too, with access to individual news items.
- <u>L'Express</u> has a <u>revue de presse hebdomadaire</u> video by its managing editor.
- Lyon Capitale is a Lyonnaise weekly news magazine.
- Dernières Nouvelles d'Alsace is another regional newspaper.
- <u>Radio France</u> the state broadcaster includes such stations as <u>France Inter</u>, France Info, Radio Bleu, and <u>FIP</u> (tune to 91FM to receive this music station in Brighton).
- <u>Europe 1</u> is the leading independent radio station.
- Radio Caraïbes International serves Martinique and Guadeloupe.
- Sud Quotidien is one of Senegal's main daily papers.
- Le Soleil de Québec from Canada.
- Volcans, a French journal on the Caribbean and Central America.
- <u>Presse francophone</u> a listing from <u>ClicNet</u>.

Teaching resources

- Orthonet from the Conseil international de la langue française.
- Dictionnaire multifonctions from TV5.
- Dictionnaire des synonymes from Université de Caen.
- <u>Lexique du féminin</u> from Laboratoire ATLIF (Analyse et Traitement Informatique de la Langue Française).

- Le trésor de la langue française informatisé also from ATLIF.
- Base de données CRITER from the Ministère de la Culture.
- Les équivalents français from le Conseil supérieur de l'audiovisuel
- <u>Polar FLE</u> murder mystery where you play the role of the Inspector Roger Duflair's
 assistant; choose your level (beginners to advanced) and practice listening comprehension,
 grammar and vocabulary in context. Includes worksheets and online activities for classroom
 use.
- <u>RealFrench.net</u> is a collection of free resources from Manchester Metropolitan University, including internet worksheets aimed at enabling students to visit and learn from French websites. There are also extensive intermediate and advanced grammar sections with exercises, vocabulary games, messageboards, a verb conjugator, and well-chosen links pages.
- <u>BBC French</u> a large range of quality resources from <u>French Steps</u>, a self-contained online course for beginners, through to <u>Le Mensuel</u>, an intermediate audio magazine, plus transcripts and bonus material for their TV and radio courses, and much more.
- Zut! provides interactive activities for French teachers and learners, featuring hundreds of
 exercises, some of which have audio samples of native speakers. It's all organised by year of
 study and includes reading, writing and listening exercises. Charged in UK school hours.
- <u>FrenchAssistant.com</u> aims to help you learn French online for free through lessons and a random question generator.
- <u>French Lessons</u> by Jacques Léon, intended to allow you to understand written French. Includes audio pronunciation.
- <u>Cours de phonétique</u> (Université de Lausanne).
- WordPROF teaches and tests vocabulary at a variety of levels, including interactive scenes with audio.
- <u>France à la Carte</u> includes a guide to , and *Tandem*, a bilingual magazine, as well as links to other relevant sites. From the French Embassy in London.
- <u>Association for French Language Studies</u> UK organisation promoting French language teaching and research into French linguistics in Higher Education.
- Le français dans le monde revue de la fédération internationale des professeurs de français
- <u>Franc-parler.org</u> is a worldwide community for French teachers. Also, the American
 Association of Teachers of French have produced a useful site on <u>Teaching French with</u>
 <u>Technology</u>.
- Survival French