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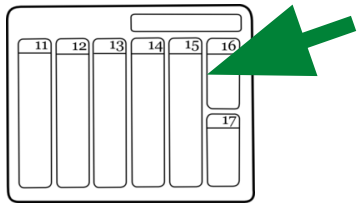
## Ask questions - [1 / 2]

- **Verbs: *Comprendre, apprendre, prendre & dire***

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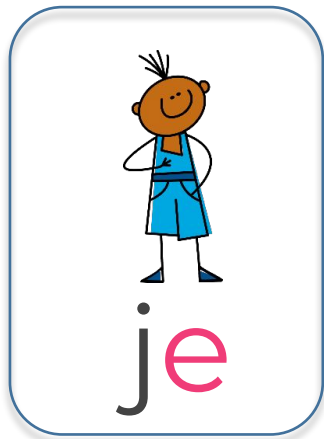


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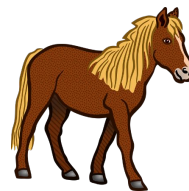
devoir  
[to have to]

e



cela  
[that]

cheval



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l'erreur	error
facile	easy
la vérité	truth
comprendre	to understand
apprendre	to learn
prendre	to take
dire	to say
l'avion	plane
la voiture	car



# Prendre: to take



These verb forms all sound the same!  
The **-s** on the *je* and *tu* forms is a  
**silent final consonant** (SFC)

**je prends**

I take / I am taking

**il prend**

he takes / he is taking

**tu prends**

you take / you are taking

**elle prend**

she takes / she is taking



## Apprendre: **to learn**



Before the **vowel (a)**,  
**je** becomes **j'**  
(like in 'j'aime')

**j'apprends**

I learn / I am learning

**il apprend**

he learns / he is learning

**tu apprends**

you learn / you are learning

**elle apprend**

she learns / she is learning



# Comprendre: **to understand**



**je comprends**

I understand / I am  
understanding

**tu comprends**

you understand / you are  
understanding

**il comprend**

he understands / he is  
understanding

**elle comprend**

she understands / she is  
understanding



Dire: **to say**



**je dis**

I say/I am saying

**tu dis**

you say / you are saying

**il dit**

he says/ he is saying

**elle dit**

she says/ she is saying





# Je/tu or il/elle?

1. .../...dit la vérité
2. .../...dis la réponse
3. .../...dit que c'est faux
4. .../...dis que c'est vrai

**HINT: what letter does the verb end with?**





# [SFC]

**c r f l**

Be **c a r e f u l** with these!





[SFC]

danX



Shhhhh!





5  
4  
3  
2  
1

## **Asking questions [1/2]**

- 1. I understand = je comprends**
- 2. He takes = il prend**
- 3. I say = je dis**
- 4. She says = elle dit**
- 5. You (specific) learn = tu apprends**
- 6. He understands = il comprend**
- 7. I take = je prends**

