French

Say where people go - [2 / 2]

- Aller (ils and elles)
- Prepositions à, en, chez

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lieu

place

un peu

a bit





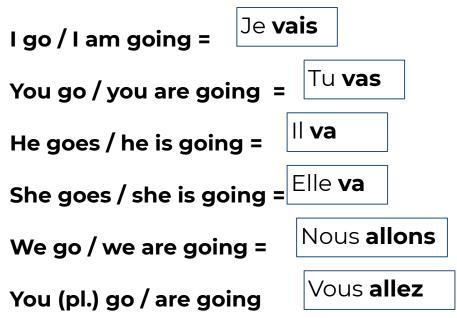
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Écosse (f)	Scotland
Angleterre (f)	England
France (f)	France
Espagne (f)	Spain
les vacances	holidays
Allemagne (f)	Germany
Suisse (f)	Switzerland
habiter	to live
ville	town



Remember, in French we use the verb aller to say to go.





To say they go, we use ils vont (masculine plural) or elles vont (feminine plural):

When referring to a group of people containing both males and females, we use 'ils' (the masculine form) for 'they' ils vont they (masculine plural) go / are going elles vont they (feminine plural) go / are going



Notice the difference! Let's have a practice.....

il va elle va

he goes / is going she goes / is going

ils vont elles vont

they (masculine plural) go / are going they (feminine plural) go / are going



Saying 'to' in French

Prepositions don't always translate word for word across languages, and often have more than one meaning, e.g. 'en' translates as 'to', 'into' and 'on' in English.

en

à

chez

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...going on holiday:

Nous allons en vacances we go / we are going on holiday

à

Saying 'to' in French chez

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For example:

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I go / I am going to Léa's house you go / you are going to the doctor's





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- 1. How do you say:
- a) He is going = II va
- b) She is going = Elle va
- c) They (m.) are going = IIs vont
- d) They (f.) are going = Elles vont
- 2. How many words did you learn today for saying 'to' in French?
- 3. When do you use each one?

-à : village, town or city -chez: someone's house/place -en: countries (fem), town, holiday