

French

## **Say what you want to do and what you must / have to do [1/2]**

- **Modal verbs *devoir* and *savoir***

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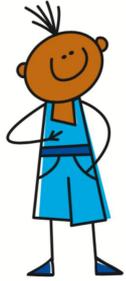
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partager	to share
le billet	ticket
visiter	to visit
désolé	sorry
pouvoir	to be able to
devoir	to have to
savoir	to know
vouloir	to want
chercher	to look for



# Devoir - to have to/must



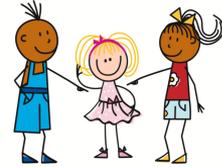
Je dois - I must/have  
to



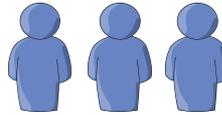
Tu dois - You  
(specific) must / have  
to



Il doit - He must / has to



Elle doit - She must / has  
to



On doit - You (general)  
must/have to



# Devoir - to have to / must

Use **devoir** with an infinitive to say what you must do:

**Je dois** rester chez moi.



I must stay at home.

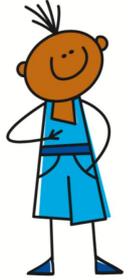
**Je dois** faire les magasins.



I must go shopping.



# Savoir - to know (how to)



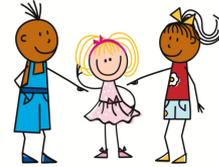
Je sais - I know



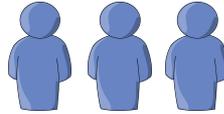
Tu sais - You (specific)  
know



Il sait - He knows



Elle sait - She knows



On sait - You (general)  
know



# Savoir - to know how to do something

Use **savoir** with an infinitive to say what you **know how to do** :

**Je sais** jouer au tennis



I know **how** to play tennis

**Je sais** parler l'anglais



I know **how** to speak English



# Say what you want to do and must do [1/2]



1. The verb **devoir** means **to have to / must**
2. I must = **je dois**
3. The verb **savoir** means = **to be know (how to)**
4. I know = **je sais**
5. He must = **il doit**
6. You (specific) know = **tu sais**

