



## THE 100 MOST USED FIRST-GROUP VERBS IN FRENCH

### A – F

accepter – accept

embrasser – kiss

porter – carry

acheter – buy

emporter – take away

poser – put

aider – help

entrer – enter

posséder – own

aimer – love

envoyer – send

pousser – push

ajouter – add

espérer – hope

préparer – prepare

appeler – call

essayer – try

présenter – introduce

apporter – bring

exister – exist

prier – pray

approcher – approach

expliquer – explain

prononcer – pronounce

appuyer – press

exprimer – express

quitter – leave

arrêter – stop

fermer – close

raconter – tell

arriver – arrive

former – form

rappeler – remind

assurer – assure

### F-S

frapper – hit

refuser – refuse

avancer – advance

gagner – win

regarder – watch

briller – shine

garder – keep

rencontrer – meet

brûler – burn

glisser – slip

rentrer – return

cacher – hide

jeter – throw

répéter – repeat

causer – cause

jouer – play

ressembler – resemble

cesser – cease

juger – judge

rester – stay

changer – change

lever – lift

retourner – return

chanter – sing

manger – eat

retrouver – find

charger – load

manquer – miss

rêver – dream

chercher – search

marcher – walk

rouler – drive

commencer – begin

monter – climb

### S-Z

sauver – save

compter – count

montrer – show

sembler – seem

continuer – continue

nommer – name

tirer – pull

coucher – lay down

occuper – occupy

tomber – fall

crier – shout

oublier – forget

toucher – touch

décider – decide

parler – speak

tourner – turn

demander – ask

passer – pass

travailler – work

deviner – guess

payer – pay

traverser – cross

donner – give

penser – think

tromper – deceive

écouter – listen

placer – place

trouver – find

élever – raise

pleurer – cry

tuer – kill

voler – steal

voyager – travel