### French

#### Le and La focus on body parts

Last term, we started to learn that French words are masculine or feminine and therefore start with either <u>*le*</u> or <u>*la*</u>.

### <u>Task 1</u>

Watch the video clip (a 'cool' song) to learn the body parts and to learn which body parts begin with **le** and which begin with **la**...

https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/french-ks2-masculine-andfeminine-body-parts/zn84d6f

I have put the body parts below too if you can't access the video. You could research other parts of the body, like eyes, if you want to.

le bras – <b>arm</b>	le <u>cou</u> – <b>neck</b>	le <u>coude</u> – <b>elbow</b>	le <u>poignet</u> – wrist
le <u>doigt</u> – <mark>finge</mark> r	le pied – <b>foot</b>	le <u>ventre</u> – stomach	le <u>genou</u> – <mark>knee</mark>
le <u>cœur</u> – heart	le dos – back	la gorge <b>– throat</b>	la <u>cheville</u> – ankle
la j <u>ambe</u> – <b>leg</b>	la cuisse – thigh	la main – hand	la tête – <b>head</b>
<u>l'épaule</u> – shoulder	<u>l'estomac</u> – stomach	les orteils/les doigts de pied – <u>toes</u>	

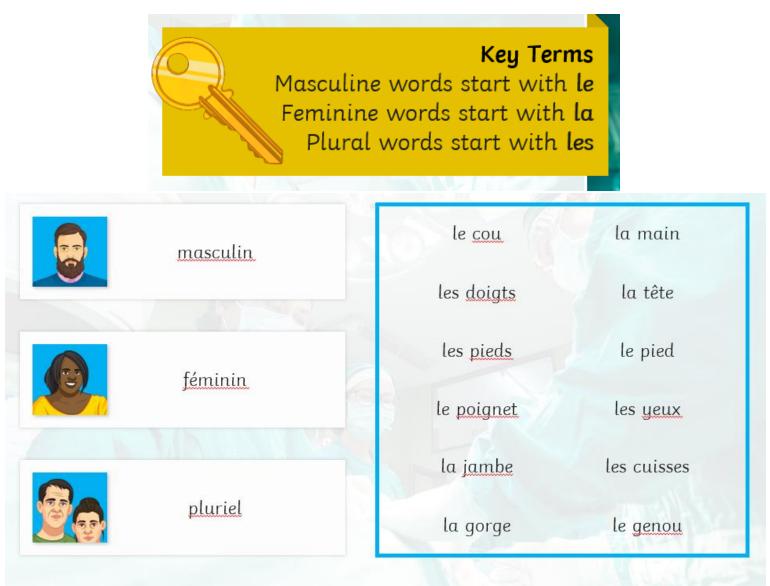
### <u>Task 2</u>

Draw a person and label the body parts in French.

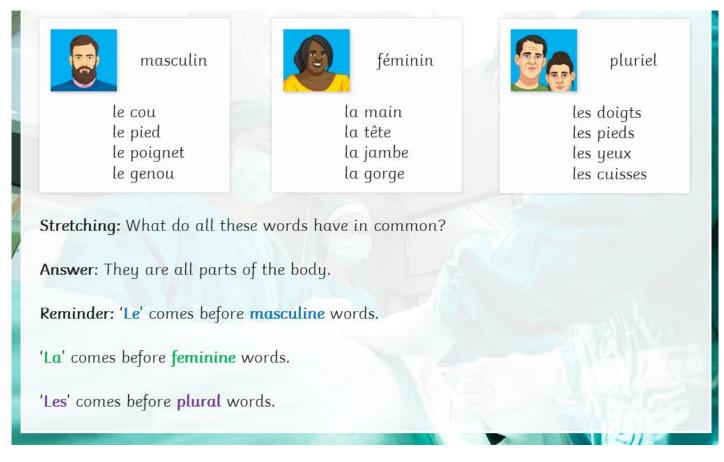
Take particular care with whether the word starts with le or la.

# <u>Task 3</u>

Can you work out which body parts are feminine and which are masculine? Some words are also plural so do not fit **le** and **la** (for example you have 2 eyes so the word is <u>les</u> yeux). Use the yellow key to help you.

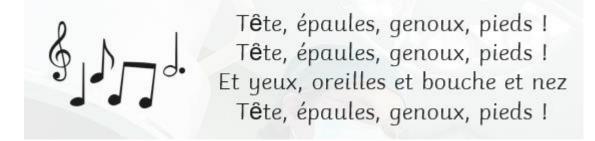


## <u>Answers</u>



### <u>Challenge</u>

What well known children's song do you think this is in French?



If you are feeling particularly adventurous, you could try to sing along with the song with your new found understanding of body parts in French. The link is a YouTube version for you to sing along with.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eVbbLXPdJKQ