




# Science in the Language Class

Espèces menacées

Endangered Species

**Answers & further information**

# Endangered Species

English	French
 <p>ring-tailed lemur</p>	<p>le lémurien à queue annelée</p>
 <p>red-bellied lemur</p>	<p>le lémurien à ventre rouge</p>
 <p>crowned lemur</p>	<p>le lémurien couronné</p>
 <p>aye aye</p>	<p>l'aye aye</p>

# Threats & Conservation

English	French
threat	la menace
habitat loss	la perte d'habitat
burning of plantations	l'incendie des plantations
climate change	le changement climatique
over hunting	la chasse excessive

# Language Challenge – body parts

English	French
head	la tête
arm	les bras
leg	la jambe
hand	la main
foot	le pied
mouth	la bouche
nose	le nez
ear	l'oreille
eyes	les yeux

# Language Challenge – colours

English	French
red	rouge
orange	orange
yellow	jaune
blue	bleu / bleue
green	vert / verte
black	noir / noire
white	blanc / blanche
grey	gris / grise
brown	brun or marron

# Language Challenge – cognates\*

English	French
animal	animal
danger	danger
final	final
information	information
correct	correct
science	science
decision	décision
habitat	habitat

\*Cognates: words which look the same and mean the same.

# Fact Challenge – habitats

English	French
rainforest	la forêt tropicale
mixed forest	la forêt mixte
desert	le désert
grassland	la prairie
mountain	la montagne
river	la rivière

# Fact Challenge – lemurs

aye aye	golden brown mouse lemur	red fronted lemur
black & white ruffed lemur	greater dwarf lemur	red tailed sportive lemur
blue-eyed black lemur	hairy eared dwarf lemur	ring tailed lemur
crowned lemur	indri	silky sifaka
eastern woolly lemur	jolly's mouse lemur	southern bamboo lemur
fat tailed dwarf lemur	northern giant mouse lemur	white collared brown lemur
golden bamboo lemur	red bellied lemur	white footed sportive lemur

Listed above are 21 species of lemur. There are at least 101 known lemur species.



## Fact Challenge – animals with a colour in their name

English	French
red panda	panda rouge
red squirrel	écureuil roux
grey squirrel	écureuil gris
black bear	ours noir
brown bear	ours brun
blue whale	baleine bleue
blue tit	mésange bleue
black bird	oiseau noir

# Fact Challenge – vertebrate groups

	<b>body covering</b>	<b>breathing</b>	<b>breeding</b>
<b>mammal</b>	hair or fur	lungs	live birth
<b>bird</b>	feathers	lungs	hard shelled eggs
<b>reptile</b>	dry scales	lungs	soft shelled eggs
<b>amphibian</b>	plain skin	gills when young lungs when adult	jelly-like eggs
<b>fish</b>	wet scales	gills	jelly-like eggs

There are some exceptions to these rules. See the French classification game.