

# Unit 4

## **A** Match each city with its description.

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| 1. _____ Le Havre   | A. home of Duchess Anne of Brittany          |
| 2. _____ Nantes     | B. transoceanic shipping port                |
| 3. _____ Lille      | C. site of two Roman amphitheaters           |
| 4. _____ Strasbourg | D. one of the capitals of the European Union |
| 5. _____ Lyon       | E. city with Flemish history                 |

## **B** After studying the map of France and reading the information about French geography in your textbook, circle the letter of each correct answer.

- Which river starts in south-central France, flows north, and then turns west to the Atlantic?
 

A. la Loire	B. la Seine	C. la Garonne
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- What is the name of the ocean west of France?
 

A. l'Océan Indien	B. l'Océan Pacifique	C. l'Océan Atlantique
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- What is the name of the body of water between France and England?
 

A. la Garonne	B. Nantes	C. la Manche
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- What is the name of a major mountain range?
 

A. la Manche	B. les Pyrénées	C. Reims
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- Which river has its source in a Swiss glacier?
 

A. la Seine	B. le Rhône	C. la Garonne
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- Which river divides France and Germany?
 

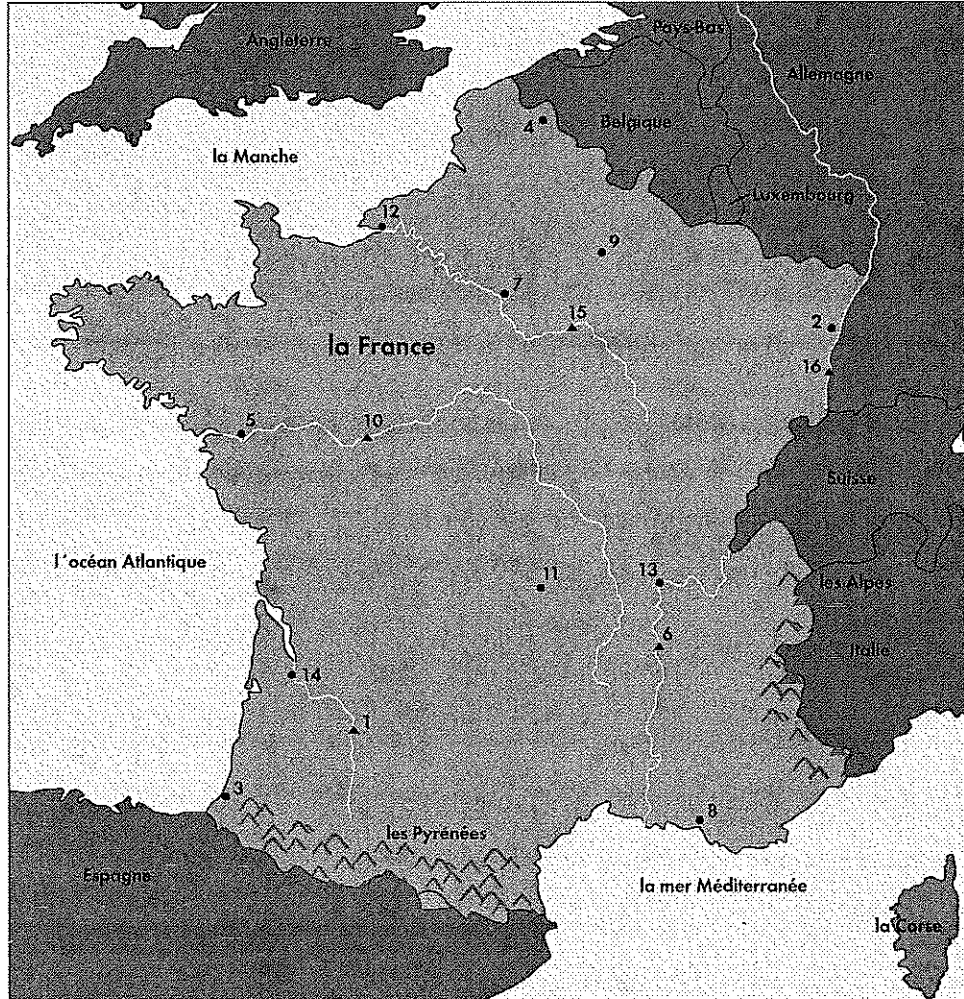
A. le Rhône	B. la Garonne	C. le Rhin
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- Which river flows through the city of Paris?
 

A. la Garonne	B. le Rhin	C. la Seine
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- Which river has its source in the Pyrenees Mountains?
 

A. la Seine	B. la Garonne	C. le Rhône
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**E** Look at the map of France. Identify the numbered cities and rivers on the map, and write their names in spaces 1–16 below. Each dot represents a city and each triangle represents a river.

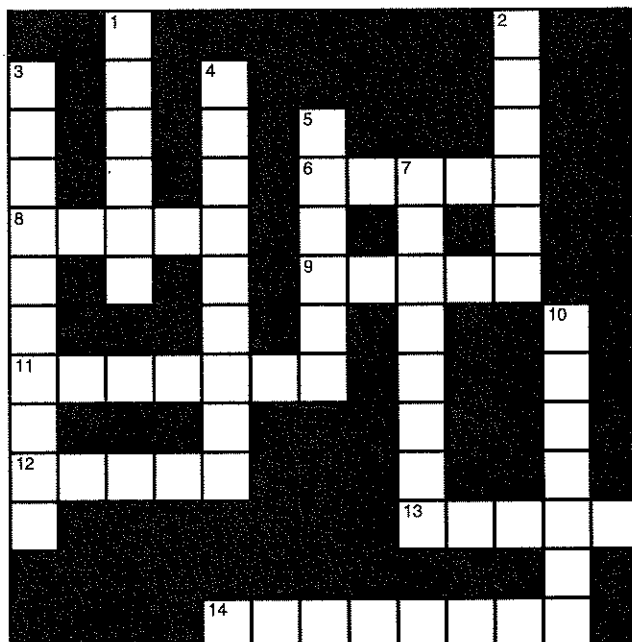


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**F** *Parlons!* Imagine that you are inquiring at a travel agency about a trip to France. Ask your partner, a travel agent, about what you should see and do there. Also ask about what you should pack for a two-week stay. Decide on a particular month so you can plan what clothing to bring. Then switch roles.

**G** *Mots croisés.* Complete the following crossword puzzle with vocabulary from this unit.



**Horizontalement**

- 6. mountain range to the southeast
- 8. river in north central France
- 9. *la* \_\_\_\_\_, or Corsica
- 11. *l'*\_\_\_\_\_, or Spain
- 12. river in southeastern France
- 13. river that divides Paris in two
- 14. *la* \_\_\_\_\_, or Belgium

**Verticalement**

- 1. *l'*\_\_\_\_\_, or Italy
- 2. *la* \_\_\_\_\_, or Switzerland
- 3. *l'*\_\_\_\_\_, or England
- 4. *l'*\_\_\_\_\_, or Germany
- 5. English Channel
- 7. mountain range to the south
- 10. river in southwestern France



Review the clippings and answer the questions or provide the requested information.



# Maroc

**Guadeloupe.** Sur les pentes de la Soufrière, le parc national de l'île est un résumé des biotopes tropicaux : savanes d'altitude, forêt dense, jardins créoles...

## Corse

île et département français

Corse - Ile de Beauté

### Les îles de Saint-Pierre et Miquelon

Bienvenue aux îles Saint-Pierre et Miquelon, où la France rencontre l'Amérique. Cinq cents ans d'histoire, un paysage naturel intact, de l'air pur, une hospitalité légendaire et surtout, la joie de vivre !

#### Où se trouve donc Saint-Pierre et Miquelon ?

L'archipel français de Saint-Pierre et Miquelon se trouve au sud de l'île canadienne de Terre-Neuve, à plus de 1800 kilomètres à l'Est de Montréal et 4300 km à l'Ouest

1. The word for island is *île*. Look over the clippings and find the names of four islands. What are they?

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2. Which island is located in the Mediterranean Sea?

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3. Which islands are located in the North Atlantic Ocean?

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4. Which island is located in the Caribbean Sea?

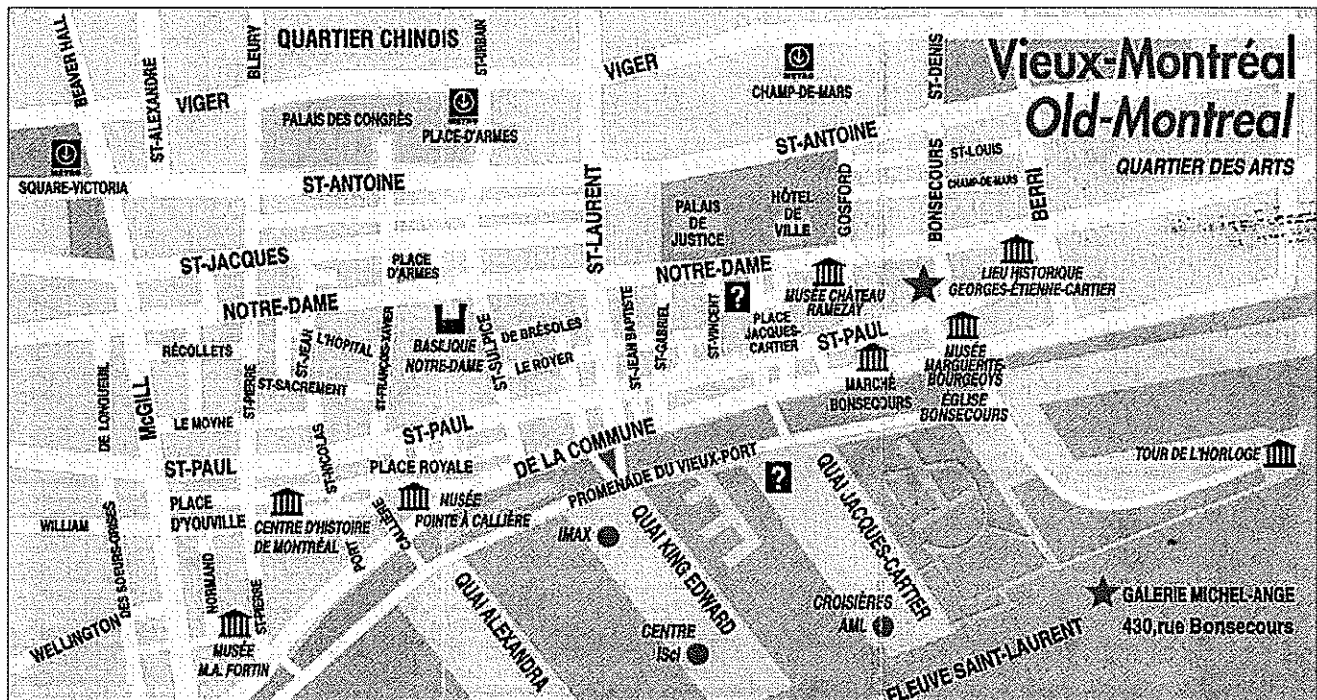
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5. Find the name of the country where *arabe* is spoken.

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6. Give the English name of this country and its continent.

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7. A wharf is a place where ships tie up to load and unload cargo. What is the French word for this place?  
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8. What is the name of the river?  
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9. The *Palais des Congrès* is located near which square, or *place*?  
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10. Is the *Centre d'histoire de Montréal* close to Chinatown?  
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11. Most of the streets and avenues have French names; name one that does not.  
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