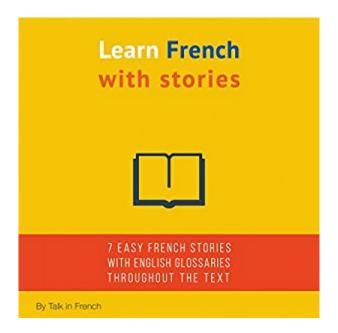
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# Learn French With Stories: 7 Short Stories For Beginner And Intermediate Students





# **Synopsis**

A rewarding and effective method of learning French. If you cannot easily visit a French-speaking country and immerse yourself in the French language, listening to a book is one of your best alternatives - a painless and effective way to absorb the French language. Listening has long been proven to be one of the most effective ways of learning a foreign language. By studying in this way, you should be able to improve your French without the monotonous chore of memorizing grammar. This audiobook covers a diverse range of grammatical structures (description, casual conversation, useful vocabulary). Perfect for anyone who wants to brush up his or her French language skills.

### **Book Information**

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## **Customer Reviews**

I donâ <sup>TM</sup>t know about you, but I have a little difficulty in applying language skills. Vocabulary is easy to learn, but how does it fit?After learning Spanish, German, and Italian, my next focus was French. French has always given me a little difficulty, and that is where this book comes in.If you have a basic understanding of French vocab and a little grammar, this book â œtricksâ • you into learning by teaching you in seven stories. You donâ <sup>TM</sup>t realize you are learning until you notice that you are no longer mechanically translating in your head. You are seamless. I found this book along with my Duolingo app were the two best additions to my French learning. Bravo to the author, and I hope they do a Part Deux.

It's been quite a few years since high school French class. I was really excited when this came up as an suggestion for me. I tried the sample first to make sure it was for beginners. Once I saw the

layout I was sold. After each paragraph there is a dictionary breakdown of hard to understand words. In addition to the book, you can download an mp3 to listen to the pronunciation. That was always my biggest downfall!! I knew the words in my head and how to read them but could never say them properly.

I would suggest this book for French learners that are more in the intermediate stage instead of beginner. It is extremely helpful for learning phrases and words that you could actually use abroad but if you're very new to French there would be sections where you miss parts of the story. Overall, I loved that the book is a series of stories as it feels more interesting and keeps the reader involved and wanting to know the next part. The layout is very clean and easy to read. It doesn't feel cluttered or confusing.

I have learnt French on and off for many years. As a result I have more than a basic knowledge of the language but have also forgotten much between periods of learning. I like to read to improve my French but it is difficult to find books that are right for my level; not too hard but still challenging enough to help me improve. I found this book helpful because it was the right mix of those two things. I particularly liked the running vocabulary alongside the text, I found it to be of great assistance for words and phrases I didn't know and it meant that I didn't have to read with a dictionary beside me, constantly looking up words. It was also a good length, not too long but not too short like some similar ebooks are. I enjoyed this book and would recommend it for anyone who has some prior knowledge of French and is looking to improve their skill level, whilst picking up some essential french phrases.

Learning a language is not easy. I am from the United States and it took me almost 5 years to feel comfortable with Spanish. I have since moved on to French and would say that I am an intermediate level currently. There are many aspects of a language that need to be learned, practiced, and applied in order to feel comfortable with the language as a whole. Reading, listening, speaking, vocabulary, and writing are all vital parts of learning and mastering a language and this eBook includes content to help in ALL of these aspects. What has amazed me about this eBook is how the author managed to fit so much content into such a short book. There is more to learning a language than just picking up vocabulary, or being able to read a short article; you need to be able to do all of the things that this eBook puts in front of you. I would say that this eBook is most suitable for intermediate level learners, but it is certainly still suitable for beginners who are willing to put in

some extra time and effort to understand and study the content. The layout and design of the eBook is excellent! Each chapter comes complete with a short story FILLED with vocabulary, a writing exercise, and an MP3 file of a native French speaker reading the story. I highly recommend downloading and listening to the MP3 because listening to a native speaker is an excellent learning tool and will challenge you more than just reading the story. For the small price, this eBook offers a lot! It is hard to find a learning tool for such a great price that contains all of the learning tools you need to master a language. I highly recommend this eBook to anyone who is currently learning French, and even to anyone just getting started on learning this wonderful language.

A great concept! Short stories which are not too long so that you get tired or frustrated of reading after the first two pages with a vocab guide at the end. Personally, I found it more helpful than studying a story with parallel text. It teaches vocabulary in a useful context which seems to help new words stick better for me. And instead of looking to the parallel text it challenges me to immerse my brain in reading just the French text. I think it might be a bit challenging for a beginner, but a great learning tool nonetheless.

I like the concept of this book. I wish this book, like others on the market now, were published years ago. You can read a short paragraph and right below are words you may not know, which will help you with immediate comprehension. You still need a dictionary or glossary for, but at the end of a story, there is a list of vocabulary, and it urges you to write and summarize the story, and gives you examples to compare your written work with prepared summaries. I like the fact that there are 7 different stories and subjects, which gives you vocabulary practice in many different areas. This is a very good book for A1/A2 with guidance and instruction, or someone with basic French knowledge studying on their own.

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