**Français 3 Nom \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**I. Sondage: Les vacances des Français pour l’été 2014 (**[**http://www.lefigaro.fr/assets/infographie/print/1fixe/201426\_vacances\_francais.png**](http://www.lefigaro.fr/assets/infographie/print/1fixe/201426_vacances_francais.png)**)**

**A. Key Word Recognition**. Find the French words/phrases that best express the meanings of the following English words/phrases.

1. vacation \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. the ocean/sea\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3. country(side) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**B. What is the main idea of this infographic? Answer in English.**

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**C. Supporting Details.**

1. Check each detail that is mentioned in the article (not all are included).

2. Fill in the information that is given for each detail you have checked. Write in English.

\_\_\_ The percentage of French people who planned on taking a vacation this summer \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ The percentage of French people who planned on going to the ocean. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ The percentage of French people who planned on going to the mountains. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ The percentage of French people who planned on going abroad. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ The percentage of French people who didn’t plan on going on vacation. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ The percentage of French people who had already reserved their lodging at the time of this survey. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ The percentage of French people who planned on doing a staycation (visiting sites in their own area). \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ The percentage of French people who hadn’t decided where they were going yet. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ The percentage of French people who planned on staying with friends or family while on vacation. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ The percentage of people who planned on renting a place to stay on vacation. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ The percentage of people who planned on staying in their own vacation home. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**D. Guessing Meaning from Context.** Find the underlined words/phrases and write what you think they mean in English. The information in parenthesis tells you which paragraph the word appears in.

1. 63% des Français envisagent de partir en vacances \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. Les modes d’hébergement envisagés \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3. Chambres d’hôtes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**E. Comparing Cultural Perspectives.** Answer the following questions in English.

1. According to one study\*, 37% of Americans were planning on going on vacation this summer. Why do you think that fewer Americans than French were planning on taking a vacation?

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2. The percentage of Americans who prefer to vacation at the beach is approximately the same as it is for the French. Why do you think this is?

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3. The percentage of Americans who planned on staying in a hotel was 70%, why do you think more Americans stay in hotels?

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Sources:

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<http://www.tripadvisor.com/PressCenter-c7-Survey_Insights.html>

**II. Discusion.**

1. Look at the questions below and jot down your ideas (in French) in the first column.

2. Then discuss the question with your partner and take notes about his/her ideas in the second column.

**Questions:**

1. Quelles sont les avantages et les inconvénients des destinations suivantes:

* Qu’est-ce qu’on peut y faire ?
* Quel temps y fait-il ?
* Comment est-ce qu’on peut y arriver ?
* C’est relaxant /amusant ? Pourquoi ou pourquoi pas ?

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|  | **Moi** | **Mon partenaire** |
| **la mer** |  |  |
| **la campagne** |  |  |
| **la montagne** |  |  |

**2. Discutez vos expériences à chaque endroit.**

* Vous êtes parti en vacances à la mer/ à la montagne/ à la campagne ?
* Quand ?
* Avec qui ?
* Qu’est-ce que vous y avez fait ?
* C’était amusant ? Pourquoi ou pourquoi pas ?

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| **la campagne** |  |  |
| **la montagne** |  |  |

3. Quelles sont les avantages et les inconvénients des modes d’hébergement suivants ?

* Est-il cher ?
* Est-ce que les repas sont compris ?
* Est-ce qu’on peut y préparer les repas (ou est-ce qu’il faut toujours sortir au restaurant) ?
* Est-ce qu’il y a beaucoup de choses à faire (ou est-ce qu’il faut planifier vos propres activités) ?
* Est-ce qu’on y dort bien ? Pourquoi ou pourquoi pas ?

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|  | **Moi** | **Mon partenaire** |
| **Chez des amis/de la famille** |  |  |
| **Une location** |  |  |
| **un hôtel** |  |  |
| **un camping** |  |  |
| **un gite/une chambre d’hôte** |  |  |
| **une résidence secondaire** |  |  |
| **Un club vacances** |  |  |

**4.** **Discutez vos expériences dans chaque mode d’hébergement.**

* Vous y êtes resté ?
* Ou?
* Avec qui ?
* Ca t’a plus ? Pourquoi ou pourquoi pas ?

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**III. Rédaction**. Décrivez des vacances réelles ou imaginées que vous avez passées. Ecrivez sur une autre feuille de papier et comprenez les détails suivants :

* Quand est-ce que tu es parti ?
* Ou est-ce que tu es allé ?
* Qu’est-ce que tu y as fait ?
* Ou est-ce que tu es resté ?
* C’était amusant ? Pourquoi ou pourquoi pas ?

