

# Savoir ou Connaître

## To Know

Both verbs are often mixed up because they both mean to know. To read the explanation on both verbs connaitre and savoir, go to the Vocabulary Sheets on the Web site.

### À vous de jouer – Your turn

1.First, decide if you should choose connaitre or savoir to translate “to know” for the following sentences. You may want to play this online game. (cut-and-paste from the link below)

<http://www.propofs.com/quiz-school/story.php?title=french-savoir-vs-connaître>

2.Second, translate the following sentences.

I don't <b>know</b> how to speak English.	
I <b>know</b> the song.	
Do you (fam) <b>know</b> Marion Cotillard ?	
She <b>knows</b> when Orsay is open.	
He doesn't <b>know</b> if they'll go to the festival.	
We (inf) don't <b>know</b> the schedule.	
We <b>know</b> where it is.	
Do you (pl) <b>know</b> this movie?	
They <b>know</b> French culture.	
They <b>know</b> very well you're in France.	

### Réponses – Answers

I don't know how to speak English.	Je ne sais pas parler anglais.
I know the song.	Je connais la chanson..
Do you (fam) know Marion Cotillard ?	Tu connais Marion Cotillard ?
She knows when Orsay is open.	Elle sait quand Orsay est ouvert.
He doesn't know if they'll go to the festival.	Il ne sait pas s'ils iront au festival.
We (inf) don't know the schedule.	On ne connaît pas les horaires.
We know where it is.	Nous savons où c'est.
Do you (pl) know this movie?	Vous connaissez ce film ?
They know French culture.	Ils connaissent la culture française.
They know very well you're in France.	Elles savent bien que tu es en France.

