

Joe: Hello. I'd like some information about French courses, please.

Woman: Certainly. Beginners classes are on Wednesdays, other classes are on Mondays or Fridays.

Joe: I'm a beginner and I'm going to France on holiday. I want to speak to people in shops and read information in museums and other places.

Woman: Do 'French for Tourists' then. It'll be better than our Business class and you want more than French Conversation.

Joe: Great. I can only come in the evening.

Woman: Fine, it starts at half past six, there's a break at quarter past seven and you go on until half past eight.

Joe: Is it a big class?

Woman: We never have fewer than nine students or more than fifteen and . . . let me see, there are fourteen at the moment, so with you, the class will be full.

Joe: OK. What about the coursebook?

Woman: You'll get that in the first class and a special notebook. Bring a dictionary – that's always useful.

Joe: Fine. Oh, how much is the course?

Woman: It's a hundred and seventy pounds for people from outside the city, but it's twenty-five pounds less, or a hundred and forty-five pounds, if you live here.

Joe: Oh, I do.

Woman: Good. So let me just take your name . . .