

Introduce yourself (je m'appelle)

SAY IT ALOUD

Je m'appelle	zhuh mah-PELL	My name is
Comment t'appelles-tu?	koh-MAHN tah-PELL too	What's your name? (informal)
Comment vous appelez-vous ?	koh-MAHN voo zah-play-VOO	What's your name? (formal)
Je suis	zhuh SWEE	I am
Et toi ?	ay TWAH	And you? (informal)
Et vous?	ay VOO	And you? (formal)
D'où viens-tu ?	doo vyan TOO	Where are you from?

THE CULTURE POINT

Je m'appelle — "I call myself", not "my name is"

COPYBOOK MOMENT · 3 MIN

Write the sentence that gives your own name, then the question that asks for someone else's.
Read as written. Pause the board; every pupil writes. Not collected, not marked.

WATCH FOR

- Accents. 1 of this lesson's words carry one (D'où viens-tu ?). A missing accent is a missing letter.
- This lesson has both a friendly and a polite form. Pupils tend to use whichever came first for everything.

ANSWERS

2 · Who?

- Comment t'appelles-tu? — **To a friend**
- Comment vous appelez-vous ? — **To a grown-up**
- Et toi ? — **To a friend**
- Et vous? — **To a grown-up**

3 · Join

- D'où viens-tu ? — **Where are you from?**
- Je suis — **I am**
- Je m'appelle — **My name is**