

Vocabulaire: La description et nationalité

English	French
Amusing, fun	Amusant
Intelligent	Intelligent
Interesting	Intéressant
Mean, nasty	Méchant
Silly, dumb	Bete
Nice, pleasant	Sympathique
Timid	Timide

*To remember amusant, drop the –ing, and add the –ant.

*Méchant, and mean both start with m.

*Timid is the same word, just add an –e.

Nice, kind	Gentil (Gentille)
Cute	Mignon (Mignonne)
Athletic	Sportif (Sportive)

*Nice has a feminine and masculine version, to make it feminine just add an -le.

Adverbs

Rather	Assez
Very	Très

***To make adjectives feminine you add an –e,
unless it already has an -e at the end.**

Example Sentances:

1. Masculine: Il est amusant.
Feminine: Elle est amusante.

**You add an –e because the
sentence is feminine.**



2. Masculine: Il est sympathique.
Feminine: Elle est sympathique.

You don't add an –e to the end because it already ends in one.

American	Américain
Mexican	Mexicain
French	Français
English	Anglais
Spanish	Espagnol
Swiss	Suisse
Italian	Italien (italienne)
Canadian	Canadien (canadienne)

***American, you add an
accent on the e and add an
–i.**

***Swiss, you drop the –w
and replace it with a –u,
and add an –e.**

Japanese	Japonais
Chinese	Chinois

Forms of adjectives:

	Masculine	Feminine
Singular:	Grand	Grande
Plural:	Grands	Grandes

Add an –e, for the feminine version.

Add and –e, before the –s, because it is feminine.

Also:

Timide, timide

Français, françaises

Introducing a conclusion:

So, then	Alors.
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Example.

- Alors, tu es américain!

*In French, the adjectives usually come after the noun they modify.