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**Book:** “À vous! Méthode de français. A1”  
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**Skills developed:**
- Greet someone
- Introduce yourself
- Ask and give one’s phone number
- Talk about likes and dislikes
- Introduce a friend/colleague
- Ask questions about somebody
- Ask questions to gather information
- Describe someone

**Skills developed:**
- Describe where you live
- Say what you are planning to do
- Describe your timetable
- Talk about your routine/activities
- Talk about your weekend/holidays (past tense is introduced)
- Ask someone about their routine/holidays

**Skills developed:**
- Plan a trip
  - Make reservations and suggestions
  - Talk about your future projects
  - Ask for directions or information
  - Write an email or letter to a friend

- Plan a meal or go out to a restaurant
  - Read and write recipe
  - Use quantity and prices
  - Appreciate a good meal
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- Ask for information in shops
- Talk about your tastes
- Buy a present
- Interact in a professional context
- Talk about your health
- Talk about what happened to you
- Fill in a medical form
- Understand and give instructions

- Organise a professional/leisure project
- Describe a town/neighbourhood
- Talk about films/series
- Give your opinion
- Make comparisons
- Interview somebody
- Present a project
- Communicate on the phone

- Introduce yourself
- Ask questions
- Talk about your holidays/hobbies
- Describe your environment
- Write an email/letter
- Plan a trip
- Describe a past habit
- Give your opinion
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