Good morning Y11,

Firstly, again well done for your work on week 5, I’m going to mark week 4 today, so that those of you who haven’t quite finished week 5 can.

Today, I’m again setting you work from both the workbook and this worksheet, which looks at a new Y12 topic: French cinema. The French often think that French films are the best in the world, and that there is an ‘exception française’, something about it that makes it unique and special. In the media, there is a lot of focus on how French cinema is doing in the world, and whether it’s retaining its status.

1/ complete the vocab, then listen to the clip: the transcript is just under the video, and it does go fast, so don’t be put off. However, it is short and you can relisten to it several times. Paste the link into your browser (it didn’t work in Explorer for me, just in Chrome). Try and complete the rest of the worksheet. E is an extension: it looks at writing a summary, which is a skill you’ll perfect in Y12. Feel free to have a go at it, if you do, I’ll of course feedback to you. I might even record a PowerPoint lesson for you to give you some guidance on it in the next couple of weeks.

2/ from the grammar workbook, I suggest you spend this week revising some more basics, but not verbs related this week: the pages on adjectives are a good reminder of what I’ll assume is known and understood next year: pages 10 to 19 are all really useful. Remember that you have the answers at the back, so I would suggest, as you did for your purple revision workbooks this year, tear out the pages if you think you’ll be tempted to have a look, and only mark your answers when you’re done –it’s really not hard, you know this well by now.

Good luck with this week, bonne chance, and any questions, please don’t hesitate to email me at [jones\_c@trinityhigh.com](mailto:jones_c@trinityhigh.com)

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**A. Avant de regarder le clip, reliez ces mots du reportage à leur équivalent en anglais.**

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| 1. atteint | 1. the sale |
| 1. un coup de fouet | 1. China |
| 1. les chiffres | 1. competition |
| 1. la vente | 1. figures |
| 1. l’Empire du Mileu | 1. dark rooms, i.e. cinemas |
| 1. les salles obscures | 1. gone beyond |
| 1. franchi | 1. a boost |
| 1. la concurrence | 1. reached |

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**B. Regardez et écoutez le reportage sur la popularité du cinéma en 2017, en cochant les mots ci-dessus quand vous les entendrez. Vous trouverez le clip ici:**

[www.francetvinfo.fr/culture/cinema/2017-annee-record-pour-le-cinema-francais\_2543341.html](https://www.francetvinfo.fr/culture/cinema/2017-annee-record-pour-le-cinema-francais_2543341.html)

**C. Réécoutez encore une fois le reportage et notez les synonymes ou les expressions que vous entendez pour:**

1. tickets =
2. global =
3. les montants =
4. augmenté =
5. une croissance =
6. [en comparaison de](http://dictionnaire.sensagent.leparisien.fr/en%20comparaison%20de/fr-fr/#anchorSynonyms) =
7. à cause de =
8. en dépit de =

**D. Choisissez les 5 phrases vraies.**

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| 1. | La vente de billets de cinéma n'a jamais eu un aussi grand succès. |
| 2. | La Chine joue un rôle important dans la vente des billets. |
| 3. | En 2017, la vente de billets a bondi de dix milliards de dollars en Chine. |
| 4. | On a observé une augmentation de 30% par rapport à l'année précédente. |
| 5. | En 2017, la France a également eu une année record. |
| 6. | Plus de 200 millions de billets ont été vendus. |
| 7. | Les sites de vidéos à la demande menacent le cinéma français. |
| 8. | En France, de moins en moins de personnes vont au cinéma. |

**E. Écrivez en français et en phrases complètes un paragraphe de 90 mots au maximum ou vous résumez ce que vous avez compris suivant ces points:**

* pourquoi 2017 a été une année record (2 points)
* les effets de la Chine sur la croissance (3 points)
* les conséquences pour la France. (2 points)

Attention! Il y a cinq points supplémentaires pour la qualité de votre langue.