# Flash Cards

Link to video on flash cards

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#### **Example**

Front	Back
What is the French	Avoir It is an irregular verb
verb for 'to have'?	J'ai I have Tu as You have
	Il as He has
	Elle as Sha has

### What are Flash Cards?

- Flashcards are a study tool that engage what is known as 'active recall', the process of repetitively retrieving information from memory.
- Flashcards should:
  - Have a singular question on the front, with an answer on the back
  - o Contain short bursts of information
  - Be made as soon as possible after learning something new.

#### Pro's and Con's of Flash Cards

Pro's	Con's
<ul> <li>Portable – allowing you to study on the go</li> <li>Creating them assists memory consolidation</li> <li>Encourage self-reflection when you check to see if you had the correct answer</li> <li>Supports dual coding if you combine pictures with words</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Too much information can overload the card and your working memory, making them ineffective</li> <li>Can mistakenly be used for summarising, rather than testing</li> <li>Adding lots of colours and images can make these time-consuming to create</li> </ul>

## **Learning French Verbs**

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What is the french	Avoir (t is an irregular verb
verb for 'to have'?	J'ai I have Tu as You have II as Me has Elle as She has