

STEP 1 : Choose a song and explain its meaning in French. CE de **A2** à B1

1. **Take** a screenshot of the lyrics of the song or **copy and paste** the lyrics on a document.
2. Pick out the pronouns (You ? He? She? I, me?).
3. What tenses are used? Past (verbs ending in -ed or irregular ?) present (-S/ES 3rd person singular / be+ V-ING)? Future (WILL + verb)?
4. Pick out repetitive words or phrases (like the chorus)
5. Are there places and dates mentioned? (It helps understand what the song is about).
6. Explain in French what your favourite song is about.

• **Complete the grid:**

	Elements:	Deductions:
Pick out the pronouns that are used (you? He ? She ? We? I, me?)	Circle the pronouns you can hear : You / I / we He / she /it	I think the singer talks to someone (you)... Maybe he/she expresses his/her emotions about..... I suppose the singer tells the story of someone (she /he...)
What tenses are used? Present, past, future?	Simple present (s/es 3 rd it/she/he) Present -ing (be+ING) Past (verbs in -ed/ irregular verbs) Future (Will+ verbe)	The singer refers to the habits or the daily life of ... The singer talks about something that is happening now, or as if it is happening now. The singer tells a past story. The singer sings about future events
Pick out repetitive words or phrases. What is the general tone of the song? (sad, happy, mixed feeling... ?	The chorus ? Words about feelings or emotions (love, sadness, hope, fear) Comparisons or metaphors	In the chorus, the singer sings "...", so I think that he/she insists on I have the feeling that the words ...,, are all about The singer expresses with his/her voice, and The comparison he/she uses in makes me think about
Are there places or dates mentioned in the song?	A place : city, country, location, shop, rooms in a house? A metaphoric place : sky, heaven, space	The precise reference to shows that the song is about at..... The mention of is poetic. So, I think the song is more about

6. **Explain** in French the meaning of the song you have chosen. (homework)

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