



Vive La France – brief summary

A brother and sister live in a small village in France and are preparing for the village gala.

Nothing is as it seems and from what at first appears to be a sleepy country village the audience is quickly drawn into a world where paintings can talk, people climb ladders without leaning them against walls and the simple act of laying a table can turn into a balancing act of baguette juggling.

There is even the chance to learn the Mona Lisa Rap.

Oh and watch out for the weather forecast because in Monoeil it's a real experience!

The audience can help all of this to happen through interacting in French with the actors.

The performance includes:

Food, the weather,
numbers, time, colours,
gender, parts of the body, directions,
pets, animals, the countryside,
members of family, rooms of the house

Note to teachers:

After many years of performing we have found that the methods we use encourage the students to join in freely. The enjoyment of the performance is enhanced when students realise how much French they actually understand and can speak.