

# 2026 Rendez-vous de la Francophonie

## “Comme on dit par chez nous” Contest

### Contest rules

#### 1. General contest rules

The “Comme on dit par chez nous” contest, which is part of the 2026 edition of Les Rendez-vous de la Francophonie (RVF), is open to all residents of Canada who have reached the age of majority under the laws in their province or territory of residence. Excluded from participating are representatives and employees of the Dialogue Network, members of the 2026 RVF national coordination team, employees of Public Services and Procurement Canada’s Translation Bureau and persons with whom the above-mentioned persons reside.

#### 2. Contest period

The 2026 RVF “Comme on dit par chez nous” contest begins on February 26, 2026, at 8:00 a.m. (ET), and ends on March 31, 2026, at 11:59 p.m. (ET).

#### 3. Contest instructions

To enter the RVF “Comme on dit par chez nous” contest, go to the Contests section of the RVF website ([rvf.ca/en](http://rvf.ca/en)). Answer all of the questions by selecting the correct answer from the given choices; then complete the entry form. Only correct answers will be eligible for the draw, so click on the links provided in the hints and check your answers on the Language Portal of Canada’s website.

Each correct answer gives you a chance to win. You double your chances of winning when you click on the hint that leads to a Language Portal of Canada web page. You may submit two entry forms a day: one in English and one in French. All correct answers will be entered into a draw.

Entry forms must be submitted online no later than 11:59 p.m. (ET) on March 31, 2026.

The entries received will be deemed to have been submitted by the authorized account holder of the email address assigned to that person by an Internet access provider, an online service provider or any other organization (such as a company or an educational institution) responsible for assigning email addresses for the domain associated with the email address submitted.

The telephone number and email address provided in the entry form must be valid.

#### 4. Prize

The prize is a trip for two to a Canadian destination of the winner’s choice. The prize includes transportation provided by Air Canada (valued at approximately \$2100) and \$2000 in spending money. The trip must be completed, at the latest, within the twelve (12) months following the date on which the winner was awarded the prize.

The prize winner and their travelling companion are responsible for any and all fees, costs and taxes not expressly described in these rules.

The contest organizers reserve the right, at their sole discretion, to replace the prize with one of equal or greater value or to consent to a transfer.

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#### **5. General conditions**

The draw for the prize will be held in the Dialogue Network offices between April 1 and April 10, 2026. The winner will be drawn from among all eligible entries received online from February 26 and March 31, 2026. The chances of winning the prize depend on the total number of eligible entries received during the contest period.

The contest organizers will try to contact the winner by telephone or by email within five (5) business days of the draw. The telephone number and email address provided in the entry must be valid. Proof of identity must be provided upon request. The first person whose name is drawn will be declared the prize winner, provided that person fulfills all the conditions specified in these contest rules.

The prize winner waives all action against the contest organizers and sponsors if the prize proves not to be to the winner's complete satisfaction. The contest organizers and sponsors reserve the right, at their sole discretion, to offer a prize of equal or greater value if the prize as described cannot be awarded for any reason.

Before being awarded the prize, the winner must sign a declaration and release form attesting that they have read, understood and complied with the official contest rules, and grant all approvals required under those rules. In so doing, the winner authorizes the contest organizers to disseminate, publish and communicate the winner's name and their city and province or territory of residence, along with their photograph and any recordings of their voice, if applicable, as part of any promotion or publicity, any transmission of information or any publication for entertainment and information purposes, without compensating the winner. The winner accepts the prize as offered and releases the contest organizers and sponsors from all liability, regardless of its nature, that could arise from the winner's participation in the contest and from the receipt and use of the prize. If the winner is not eligible, or cannot be contacted by the contest organizers within five (5) business days of the draw, or does not sign and return the declaration and release form within the required period of time, the contest organizers reserve the right to disqualify the winner and draw a new winner, and the contest organizers will have no obligation or liability whatsoever in this regard.

The contest is subject to all applicable federal, provincial, territorial and municipal laws and regulations.

The prize must be accepted as awarded, with no substitutions. The prize may not be transferred or converted to cash, and it may not be sold, traded or bartered. No claim for reimbursement will be deemed admissible.

The contest organizers and sponsors will not be held liable for theft, any forms of loss or any other human or technical error in awarding the prize, or for the loss or misplacement of entries.

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The contest organizers and sponsors will not be held liable for typographical or other errors in providing or administering this contest, including, but not limited to, advertising errors, errors in official contest rules, errors in the selection and announcement of the winner or errors in the distribution of prizes.

The contest organizers and sponsors will not be held liable for any technical problem or malfunction in any telephone line or network, online computer system or server, or for software problems or congestion on the Internet or on any website. The contest organizers and sponsors will assume no liability for damage to the computer of the participant or of any other person arising from participation in the contest.