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Web Sites: <http://www.france.diplomatie.fr> is the official web site of the French government, maintained by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Paris. From this site, a variety of information is available, in French and English (as well as in other languages) about current French politics, economics, society, culture, tourism and history. Information includes the text of the constitution, biographical information about major French politicians and office-holders, descriptions of the political system and political parties, economic and social statistics, and historical overviews. Current French government policy statements are also available. See in particular the section “Profile of France” in the English language site.

Other useful sites include:

- <http://www.info-france.org> (French Embassy in Washington)

Some extra and suggested readings for you, as a beginning:


A quantitative study of voting behavior in France, based on a large survey.


