Les verbes vendre, attendre, entendre, descendre et rendre

The verbs “vendre” *(to sell)*, “attendre” *(to wait)*, “ entendre” *(to hear)*, “descendre” *(to go down) and* “rendre” *(to give back)*

Introduction

Nous descendons sur le quai et nous attendons le train.

We are going down to the platform and waiting for the train.

L'employé vend des tickets.

The employee sells tickets.

Je te prête mon parapluie.

Merci ! Je le rends demain, c'est promis.

I’ll lend you my umbrella. Thanks ! I’ll give it back to you tomorrow.

Use

The verbs “vendre” *(to sell)*, “attendre” *(to wait)*, “ entendre” *(to hear)*, “descendre” *(to go down) and* “rendre” *(to give back)* are very useful.

- **vendre** *(to sell)*


Les sociétés « Airbus » et « Boeing » vendent des avions. *(Airbus and Boeing sell planes.)*


Patricia vend des fleurs dans son magasin.(*Patricia sells flowers in her shop.*)

- **attendre**

 Michel attend le train. (*Michel is waiting for the train.*)

 Ils attendent le docteur. *(They are waiting for the doctor.)*

- **entendre** *(to hear)*

 Tu entends ? le téléphone sonne! (*Can you hear that? The phone is ringing.*)

- **descendre** (*to go down*)

 Patrick descend les escaliers.(*Patrick is going down the stairs.*)

- **rendre** (*to give back*)

 Nous rendons la voiture de location à l'agence « Rent-a-car » de l'aéroport. (*We are giving the rental back to the “rent-a-car” agency at the airport.*)