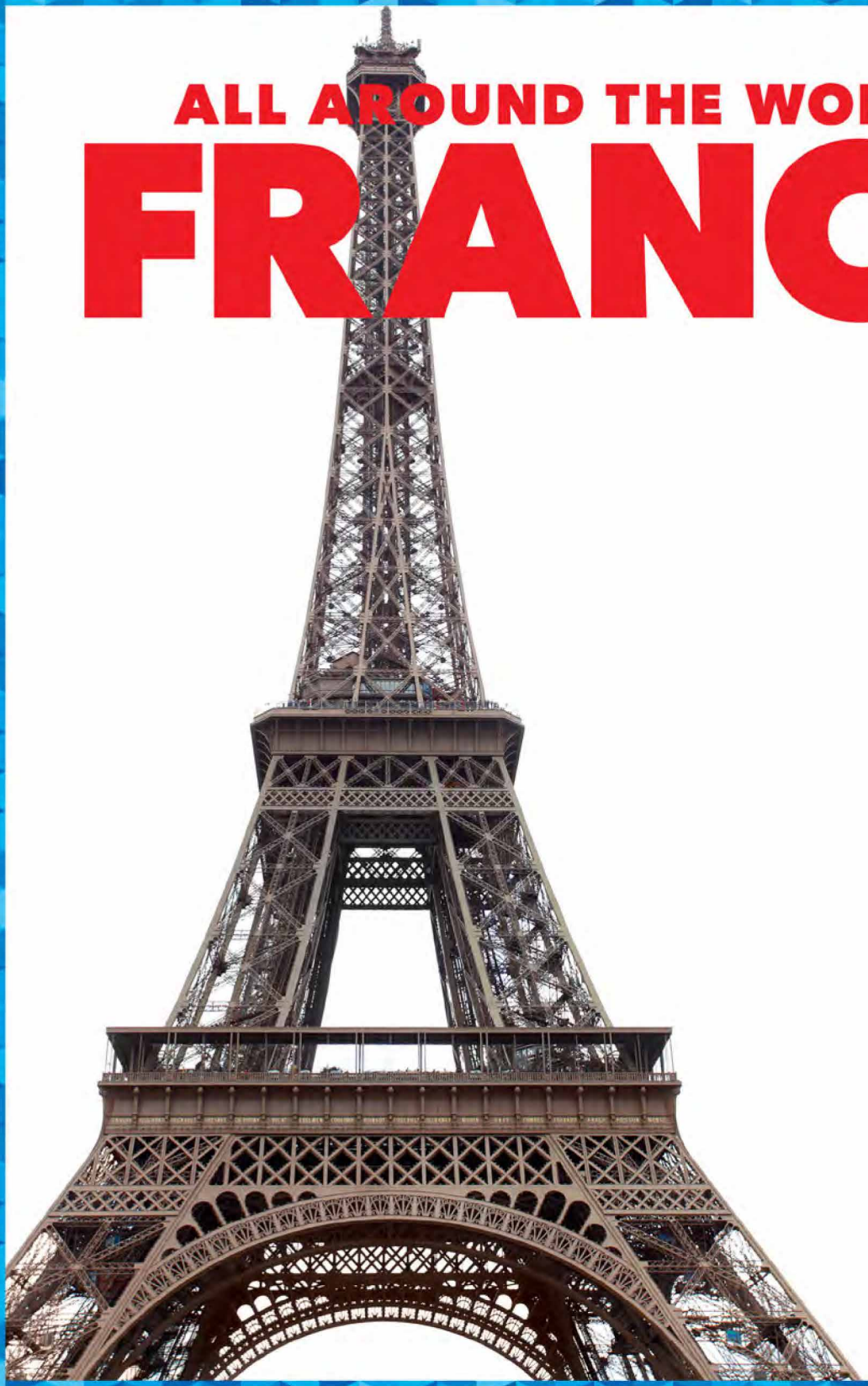
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FRANCE



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Carefully leveled text with a strong photo match offers early fluent readers the support they need to succeed.

Before Reading

- "Walk" through the book and point out the various nonfiction features. Ask the student what purpose each feature serves.
- Look at the glossary together. Read and discuss the words.

Read the Book

- Have the child read the book independently.
- Invite him or her to list questions that arise from reading.

After Reading

- Discuss the child's questions. Talk about how he or she might find answers to those questions.
- Prompt the child to think more. Ask: France is known for its delicious food. Have you ever eaten French food?

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CHAPTER 1

WELCOME TO FRANCE!

Go to the top of the Eiffel Tower!
Take a cruise down the River Seine.
Eat tasty foods. Welcome to France!



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France has a rich history. It is filled with beautiful **monuments**. The Arc de Triomphe is in Paris. It took 30 years to build!

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Paris is the **capital** of France. The president appoints the **prime minister**. They share government duties. A Council of Ministers advises them.

The Louvre Museum is in Paris. It is home to famous **masterpieces**. The *Mona Lisa* is one.



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Versailles is a beautiful **palace**. The **monarchy** once lived here. King Louis XIV built it. When? More than 335 years ago!

The palace has 2,300 rooms. One is the Hall of Mirrors. This room has 357 mirrors in it. The ceiling is covered in paintings. How many? 30! They depict the life of the king.



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QUICK FACTS & TOOLS

AT A GLANCE



FRANCE

Location: Western Europe

Size: 248,573 square miles (643,801 square kilometers)

Population: 67,106,161 (July 2017 estimate)

Capital: Paris

Type of Government: semi-presidential republic

Language: French

Exports: machinery, aircraft, chemicals, plastics, beverages

Currency: euro

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