BEGINNER2. LESSON #34. BONNE ANNÉE

- 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1.
BONNE ANNÉE!
Champagne!

TRANSLATION
- 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1.
HAPPY NEW YEAR!
Champagne!

Compte à rebours (masc.) : count down.
Bonne année : happy new year.
Champagne (masc.) : champagne.

Traditionally we have a very good diner with family or close friends at home or at the restaurant. We have nice dishes. Sometimes people dance. We count the last seconds of the finishing year and at exactly midnight, we kiss everybody and we wish each other « Bonne année! » and we drink champagne.

Every year in Paris lots of people gather at the Tour Eiffel or the Champs Elysées to celebrate the beginning of the new year. There’s a big firework for the occasion.