



Changing Lives - Body, Mind and Soul!

Thanks to our Campus Pastor and Community Laison, Risner Emile, for translating some common Kreole phrases you may find useful to learn for your upcoming trip to Haiti!

Bonjou (**good morning**)/Bonswa (**good afternoon**)/Bonwe (**good night**): **Hi!**

Kijan ou ye? Koman ou ye? OR **How are you doing?**

Mwen byen: **I am doing well.**

Mwen pa pimal: **I am soso.**

Koman manman ou ye? **How is your mom doing?**

Koman papa ou ye? **How is your dad's doing?**

Koman ou te pase nwit la? **How was the night?**

Koman ou te pase jounen an? **How was your day?**

Koman mwen ka ede ou? **How can I help you?**

Kisa ou bezwen? **What do you need?**

Ki maladi ou soufri? **What disease do you suffer from?**

Depi kile ou te malad konsa? **For how long have you been sick like that?**

Ki klas wap fe? **What grade are you in?**

Ki laj ou? **How old are you?**

Kijan ou rele? **What is your name?**

Konbyen fre ou genyen? **How many brothers do you have?**

Konbyen se ou genyen? **How many sisters do you have?**

Ki laj fre ou a? **How old is your brother?**

Ki laj se ou a? **How old is your sister?**

Ki kote ou rete? **Where do you live?**

Konbyen minit ou fe de lakay ou ak isit la? **How many minutes from your house to get here?**

Ou renmen lekòl? **Do you like school?**

Kisa ou ta renmen aprann apre klas segonde ou? **What do you want to study/learn after high school?**

Ki matye ou pi renmen nan klas ou a? **What class do you like the most?**

Mwen renmen ou: **I love you.**

Jezi renmen ou: **Jesus loves you.**



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Ki kote chanm benyen an ye? **Where is the bathroom?**

Eske mwen ka anbrase ou? **Can I give you a hug?**

Sa bel: **That is beautiful!**

Ou bel: **You are beautiful!**

Li bel: **He/she is beautiful!**

Li fe sho! **It is so hot!**

Li fe fret! **It is cold!**

Ann bay lanmen! **Let's shake hands!**

Ann aplodi: **Let's applaud**

Ann al travay: **Let's go to work**

Ann travay: **Let's work**

Ann mache: **Let's walk**

Ann kouri: **Let's run**

Ann shita: **Let's sit down**

Ann kanpe: **Let's stand up**