



Common Loanwords

Language	Examples
French	<i>Ballet, salon, quiche, entrepreneur, catalogue, café, béret, faux pas, genre, cul-de-sac, brunette, souvenir, attaché, apéritif, avant-garde, chauffeur, chic, cliché, débris, déjà vu, dossier, en route, façade, fiancé, liaison, première, rendez-vous, restaurant, risqué, silhouett</i>
German	<i>Schadenfreude, zeitgeist, lager, delicatessen, wanderlust, kindergarten, doppelganger, angst, wunderkind, ersatz, rucksack, kaputt, waltz</i>
Italian	<i>Opera, piano, broccoli, prima donna, cartoon, volcano, fiasco, finale, solo, diva, ballerina, duo, terracotta, motto, extravaganza, magenta, stiletto, casino, propaganda, paparazzi, graffiti, confetti, vendetta</i>
Spanish	<i>Canyon, tornado, patio, cigar, vigilante, mosquito, ranch, stampede, macho, armado, cargo, siesta, pronto, suave</i>
Dutch	<i>Buoy, yacht, easel, sketch, cookie, boss, mannequin, bluff, snoop, frolic</i>
Greek	<i>Anonymous, metropolis, kudos, cemetery, dinosaur, galaxy, marathon, panic, phobia, planet, sarcasm</i>
Latin	<i>Mea culpa, quid pro quo, alter ego, impromptu, per se, ad hoc, ergo, pro rata</i>