

The Acadians are descendants of French colonists who settled 400 years ago in what is now the Atlantic region. Quebecers live in Quebec. Most are

French-speaking descendants of French settlers from the 17th and 18th centuries who brought many French traditions with

them. Quebecers have a unique identity, culture and language. In 2006, the Canadian parliament recognized the Quebecois form a nation within a united Canada. One million English-speaking Anglo-Quebecers form an important part of Quebec society.