Your Own VocabularyFox Quiz File – Do It Yourself!

This article explains how a VocabularyFox quiz file is structured.
Examples of quiz files are at the end of the article.

1. A quiz file is a text file, which is saved in the UTF-8 format in the "**quizzes**" folder.

2. A quiz file starts with **info lines** of text, which describe the quiz, followed by **answer-question lines** of text.

3. Each **info line** contains a **keyword** and a **value**. They are separated by an **equal sign** (=). The **capitalization** of the keyword **doesn't matter**.

Keyword	The value is …	Example
@Key	… a **text by which the quiz is sorted** in VocabularyFox's list of quizzes	ENFR01
@Unit	… the **path of the quiz unit** (folders are separated by a vertical bar (|))	Bonjour!|Unité 1
@Title	… the **title of the quiz**	À l'opéra
@SourceLanguage	… the **language of the questions**	DE (German)
@TargetLanguage	… the **language of the answers**	EN (English) or FR (French)

4. Each **answer-question line** contains an **answer text** ("answer") and a **question text** ("question"). They are separated by a vertical bar (\|).

5. When taking a quiz, you must enter the **answer text** in VocabularyFox **as is**.
   There are the following **exceptions**, however:

   a. If one of the following words is part of the answer text, then you can enter one of its **synonyms**.

      In an **English** quiz (@TargetLanguage=EN) there are the following synonyms:
      - something, sth, or sth.
      - somebody, sb, or sb.

      In a **French** quiz (@TargetLanguage=FR) there are the following synonyms:
      - Monsieur, or M.
      - Madame, or Mme
      - quelq'un, qn, or qn.
      - quelque chose, qc, or qc.

   b. If the **answer text** contains the text @M@ or @F@ (which is not entered in the answer), then two buttons "m." (masculine) und "f." (feminine) appear in VocabularyFox. In addition to the entered answer, click one of these buttons to be able to get to the next question. This is useful in a **French** quiz to quiz those nouns whose gender is **not obvious** from their article, for example, "l'orchestre".

6. To give a **hint to the answer** in a **question text**, place the hint text between underscores (_). VocabularyFox will display the **question text** in **black**, the **hint text** in **grey**.

7. Text after a **double slash** (//) is **ignored** to the end of the line.

Examples of quiz files:

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@Key=ENFR01
@Unit=Bonjour!|Unité 1
@Title=À l'opéra
@SourceLanguage=EN
@TargetLanguage=FR
Bienvenue!      | Welcome!
aller à l'opéra | to go to the opera
l'orchestre @M@ | the orchestra
jouer de qc     | to play sth. _(instrument)_
jouer à qc      | to play sth. _(game)_
le piano        | the piano
le violon       | the violin
le chanteur     | the singer _(m.)_
la chanteuse    | the singer _(f.)_
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@Key=DEFR01
@Unit=Bonjour!|Unité 1
@Title=À l'opéra
@SourceLanguage=DE
@TargetLanguage=FR
Bienvenue!      | Willkommen!
aller à l'opéra | in die Oper gehen
l'orchestre @M@ | das Orchester
jouer de qc     | etw. spielen _(Instrument)_
jouer à qc      | etw. spielen _(Spiel)_
le piano        | das Klavier
le violon       | die Geige
le chanteur     | der Sänger
la chanteuse    | die Sängerin
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