What is the name of the long beaked bird in the picture which comes to this region in spring?							
☐ Pigeon ☐ Hoopoe ☐ Owl If you go quietly along the river you might even catch a glimpse of one.							
Do you know what Malès means in catalan? Clue, the <i>chemin du Malès</i> (Malès lane) was named so because to get to the chateau the inhabitants had to pass this way and there was no bridge so it was not the easiest way to cross. □ maison (house) □ mauvais (bad) □ moulin (mill)							
Continue your walk and after having gone down the Rue des Ecoles, find five errors in the photo of the house adorned with sculptures (opposite the club house).							
1							
3							
4							
5							
Can you see a gargoyle? Do you know what it is for?							
On the wall of the house is an inscription in catalan. Copy it down below:							
and make							
Guess from the signs what it might mean: Ask your parents for help ☺							

Laroque-des-Albères Discovery of the flora and fauna







Begin by solving the problem below using the code to find out the starting point of your walk. Code: A=1, B=2, C=3, etc., ...

3 8 5 13 9 14 4 5 19 4 9 19 16 21 20 5 19

Now head for the path that overlooks Sorède and the Valée Heureuse, (Happy Valley). Why do farmers use the terracing you can see here?

- ☐ It's to prevent soil erosion.
- ☐ It's used because it looks pretty.
- ☐ It is used as a boundary between farmland.

Mimosa, a tree shrub that blossoms at the end of February in the South of Europe, has over 1200 species throughout the world and was initially imported from Australia. Its pleasant fragrance has inspired many different perfumes! Do you know what colour is its blossom? (CLUE: It's the same colour used to mark the walking tracks in and around Laroque.)

Circle the image that represents a mimosa branch:







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	omplete the crossword below and find the name of the plant which grows on se trunks, normally on the north facing side. rite the name of the plant here:					
1. What is the name of the town you are in?	1	2	3	4	5	6
2. What is the french word for the tusked animal that can be found in the mountains?						
3. What is the word for the object that carrys the irrigation water alongside the path?						
4. What do we find at the centre of the village on top of the hill? 5. What is the name of the mountain						
chain that Laroque is part of? 6. The french for a hike or trek is						
here does the stone come from that is us						

Do you know the name of the plant that you can see growing alongside the irrigation canal and streams, near open water or in the mountains up to 2000 m altitude? Look at the picture to help you...



Go down towards the spring (la source minérale).

The water is ferrous.

In your opinion what colour would the bottom of the bottle become if you filled it with this water and let it settle?



When you go back to the Office de Tourisme we can show you the result

What is the origin of the word in french for a wild boar « sanglier »?

- □ *singulier* (singular); It lives alone, isolated and not in groups.
- □ sans crier (no screaming); You shouldn't scream when you see one.
 - sang gicle (blood spilling); It attacks with its tusks until blood is spilt.

Do you know what type of animal this is? It's called the Patou and is used for guarding livestock in the Pyrenees? Join the dots to find out:



So,	the Patou is a	