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The situation is tense on the Ukrainian border. In the region of Donbass, clashes broke out between Ukrainians and pro-Russian separatists for the second day in a row. Russia has also announced that it will lead, tomorrow and under the supervision of Vladimir Putin, the firing of ballistic missiles. On the sidelines of an international summit, Emmanuel Macron once again asked Russia for a return to calm.

And Emmanuel Macron is participating today by videoconference in a summit on Russia with several world leaders, including Joe Biden.

Nordahl Lelandais, on the last day of his trial for the murder of Maëlys says that he sincerely recognizes all the events of which he is accused ". He promised that he was going to "seriously work on himself". It is today that the Court of Isère will deliver its verdict. Yesterday the Public Prosecutor's Office requested life in prison with a 22-year security period.

Jean-Michel Blanquer launches a consultation on mathematics in high school, with the aim of improving the level of students in math. He wants to make changes to the way the discipline is taught. Teachers have been alarmed for several years by a drop in the number of students in Première and Terminale taking this subject, especially among girls.

And in France, unemployment has dropped by 0.06% in the fourth quarter of 2021 and is now at 7.4%. Throughout the quarter, youth unemployment sharply dropped and reached the record levels which were reached at the end of the 80s and 90s. The Minister of Economy Bruno Le Maire states that these unemployment figures are "a great French victory".

And then 5 departments are still under orange weather alert for violent wind and coastal flooding: La Manche, Seine-Maritime, Somme, Pas-de-Calais and Nord. Météo France calls for caution.