

Rosa's French Days of the Week

Learning objective: To learn the days of the week in French and be able to sequence them correctly.

Read the passage carefully with Rosa the parrot. Use the word bank to help you complete the questions below.

Bonjour! I am Rosa. I love to fly through the sky and sing songs in different languages. In French, the days of the week are very special. We start our week on lundi. After that, we have mardi, mercredi, and jeudi. Then comes the best part: vendredi, which means the weekend is almost here! Finally, we have the lovely samedi and dimanche for resting and playing. Remember, in French, we do not use capital letters for days of the week unless they start a sentence!

Word bank: lundi (Monday) · mardi (Tuesday) · mercredi (Wednesday) · jeudi (Thursday) · vendredi (Friday) · samedi (Saturday) · dimanche (Sunday)

1. What is the French word for Monday? Write it in the space below. (1 mark)

2. Rosa says the week starts on 'lundi'. Which day comes immediately after 'mercredi'? (1 mark)

3. List the two days of the weekend in French. (2 marks)

4. If today is jeudi, what day is tomorrow in French? (1 mark)

5. Can you put these three days in the correct order: mardi, lundi, mercredi? (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a picture of Rosa the parrot sitting on a branch. Around her, draw seven colourful balloons, each labelled with one day of the week in French.



Extension challenge: Write a short sentence in French about what you like to do on 'samedi'. For example: 'Le samedi, je joue au football.'