

Rosa's French Number Challenge

Learning objective: To be able to recall, spell, and use French numbers from 1 to 20 accurately within a written context.

Help Rosa the parrot prepare for her language lesson! Use this fact-file to practise your French numbers. Fill in the boxes below by writing the French word for each digit, solving the simple addition sums, and creating your own number-based sentence in French.

Word bank: un · deux · trois · quatre · cinq · six · sept · huit · neuf · dix · onze · douze · treize · quatorze · quinze · seize · dix-sept · dix-huit · dix-neuf · vingt

1. Number Matching: Pick three numbers between 1 and 10. Write the digit and the correct French word for each one. (3 marks)

2. Maths with Rosa: Solve these calculations in French. Write the number word as your answer: 'Cinq + trois = ?' and 'Dix - quatre = ?' (2 marks)

3. Teen Numbers: Write the French words for the numbers 11, 15, and 19. Check your spelling against the word bank. (3 marks)

4. Creative Counting: Write a short sentence in French describing how many items you have (e.g., 'J'ai...'). Use a number between 10 and 20. (2 marks)

5. Reflection: Which French number do you find the trickiest to spell? Why do you think that is? (1 mark)

Extension challenge: Try to write the numbers 21 to 30 using the pattern you have learned for the numbers 1 to 9. Rosa says: 'Look at how we add -et-un after vingt!'