Rosa’s Spanish Verb Adventure: My Daily Diary

Learning objective: To practise using common Spanish verbs in the present tense to describe daily activities.

Rosa the parrot is helping us learn Spanish! Use this diary template to record your day. In the Spanish boxes, use the correct form of the verb provided in the word bank to describe what you or your friends are doing. Remember to check if the verb needs to change for 'yo' (I) or 'él/ella' (he/she).

Word bank: comer (to eat) - como/come · beber (to drink) - bebo/bebe · jugar (to play) - juego/juega · estudiar (to study) - estudio/estudia · vivir (to live) - vivo/vive · hablar (to speak) - hablo/habla

1. Morning Routine: Write a sentence in Spanish about what you eat or drink for breakfast. Use the verb 'comer' or 'beber'. (2 marks)

2. School Time: Write a sentence in Spanish about what you study in class. Use the verb 'estudiar'. (2 marks)

3. Playtime: Write a sentence in Spanish about a game you play with friends. Use the verb 'jugar'. (2 marks)

4. Home Life: Write a sentence in Spanish about where you live or who you speak to at home. Use 'vivir' or 'hablar'. (2 marks)

5. Grammar Check: Look at your sentences. Explain how the verb ending changes when you talk about yourself ('yo') compared to talking about someone else ('él/ella'). (3 marks)

Extension challenge: Try to write a short paragraph in Spanish describing Rosa the parrot's day. Use at least three different verbs from the word bank and include one sentence about what she likes to eat!