Rosa’s Weather Wonders: A French Quiz

Learning objective: To identify and recall common French weather phrases appropriate for Grade 3 learners.

Join Rosa the parrot as she flies across France! Read the questions carefully and choose the correct French weather phrase to complete the sentence or answer the question. Good luck, or as Rosa says, 'Bonne chance!'

Answer Key: 1. B, 2. A, 3. True, 4. Il pleut, 5. C, 6. False, 7. B, 8. True, 9. Il neige, 10. A

Word bank: Il fait beau · Il pleut · Il fait froid · Il fait chaud · Il y a du soleil · Il y a du vent · Il neige

1. 1. If the sun is shining brightly, what would Rosa say? A) Il pleut B) Il y a du soleil* C) Il fait froid D) Il neige (1 mark)

2. 2. Which phrase means 'It is hot'? A) Il fait chaud* B) Il fait beau C) Il y a du vent D) Il fait froid (1 mark)

3. 3. True or False: 'Il fait froid' means 'It is cold'. (1 mark)

4. 4. If you see raindrops falling from the sky, what is the French phrase? (1 mark)

5. 5. Which phrase would you use on a lovely, pleasant day? A) Il pleut B) Il fait froid C) Il fait beau* D) Il y a du vent (1 mark)

6. 6. True or False: 'Il y a du soleil' means 'It is windy'. (1 mark)

7. 7. How do you say 'It is windy' in French? A) Il fait chaud B) Il y a du vent* C) Il fait beau D) Il pleut (1 mark)

8. 8. True or False: 'Il neige' means 'It is snowing'. (1 mark)

9. 9. Rosa is looking at a winter landscape covered in white powder. What does she say? (1 mark)

10. 10. Which of these is the correct way to say 'It is cold'? A) Il fait froid* B) Il fait chaud C) Il fait beau D) Il pleut (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a picture of Rosa the parrot looking out of a window at a weather scene of your choice. Label your drawing with the correct French phrase from the word bank!

Extension challenge: Imagine you are a weather reporter for a French television channel. Write three sentences in French to describe the weather in three different cities in France today.