

Rosa's French Food Market Adventure

Learning objective: To learn and apply French vocabulary for common food items and express preferences using 'J'aime' (I like) and 'Je n'aime pas' (I do not like).

Rosa the parrot is visiting a bustling French market! Below is a list of food items she has found. Your task is to act as a food critic. Firstly, categorise the food items into the 'Le Fruit' (Fruit) or 'Les Légumes' (Vegetables) columns. Secondly, write a short sentence for three items explaining your preference using 'J'aime' or 'Je n'aime pas'. Finally, complete the price challenge to help Rosa calculate her shopping bill.

Word bank: la pomme · la carotte · la banane · la tomate · la fraise · le brocoli · l'orange · l'oignon

1. Sort the word bank into two groups: 'Le Fruit' and 'Les Légumes'. (4 marks)

2. Choose three items from the list. Write a sentence in French for each to state whether you like it or not. Example: J'aime la pomme. (6 marks)

3. Rosa buys a bag of apples for £2.50 and a bunch of carrots for £1.20. How much does she spend in total? Show your working out. (2 marks)

4. Explain why it is important to understand the gender of nouns (le/la/l') when learning French vocabulary. (3 marks)

5. Compare and contrast: Why might a French market display food differently than a large supermarket? (4 marks)

6. Justify your answer: If Rosa wanted to make a healthy soup, which items from the list would she choose and why? (3 marks)

Draw: Draw a colourful French market stall and label at least four of the items using their correct French names from the word bank.



Extension challenge: Imagine you are opening your own French café. Create a menu featuring four items from our list. Assign a price in pounds (£) to each item and write a short, persuasive advertisement in French to encourage customers to visit your café.