

Rosa's Sports Adventure: Les Sports

Learning objective: To identify and use French vocabulary related to sports and express personal preferences using 'je joue au/à la' and 'je fais du/de la'.

Rosa the parrot is getting ready for a multi-sport festival! Help her organise her equipment by matching the French sports phrases to the correct category. Then, complete the sentences to tell Rosa which sports you like to play. Use the word bank to help you.

Word bank: le football · le tennis · la natation · le basket · l'équitation · le rugby · je joue au... · je fais de la... · j'aime · je n'aime pas

1. 1. Categorise these sports: Put 'le football', 'le tennis', 'le basket', and 'le rugby' under the 'Je joue au...' column, and 'la natation' and 'l'équitation' under the 'Je fais de la...' column. (2 marks)

2. 2. Translate: How would you say 'I play football' in French? (1 mark)

3. 3. Preference: Write a full sentence in French explaining one sport you like and one sport you do not like. (2 marks)

4. 4. Application: If a game of tennis costs £3.50 to play, write the price in words in French (e.g., trois livres cinquante). (1 mark)

5. 5. Reasoning: Explain why we use 'au' for football but 'de la' for natation. (Hint: Think about which verbs take which prepositions). (2 marks)

Draw: Draw your favourite sport in the centre of a large circle. Around the circle, label the equipment you need for that sport using the French words you have learned today.



Extension challenge: Research one other sport in French that is not in the word bank and write a sentence explaining if you play it or do it.