

Rosa's Rainbow Adventure: Learning Spanish Colours

Learning objective: To identify, spell, and use common colour vocabulary in Spanish, applying them to describe objects in the world around us.

Read the passage about Rosa the parrot's colourful forest home. Use the word bank to help you answer the questions below. Remember to check your spellings carefully!

Hola! My name is Rosa, and I live in a beautiful, vibrant forest. Every morning, I fly over the trees to see the world. My feathers are a brilliant mix of colours. I see the bright amarillo sun waking up the forest, and the verde leaves rustling in the breeze. I land on a branch to watch a small butterfly with morado wings fluttering past. Below me, a fox is drinking from a clear stream that looks azul in the sunlight. Sometimes, I spot a bright naranja flower hidden in the grass. It is a wonderful world filled with colour!

Word bank: rojo (red) · azul (blue) · amarillo (yellow) · verde (green) · naranja (orange) · morado (purple) · blanco (white) · negro (black)

1. According to the passage, what colour are the leaves in the forest? Write your answer in Spanish. (1 mark)

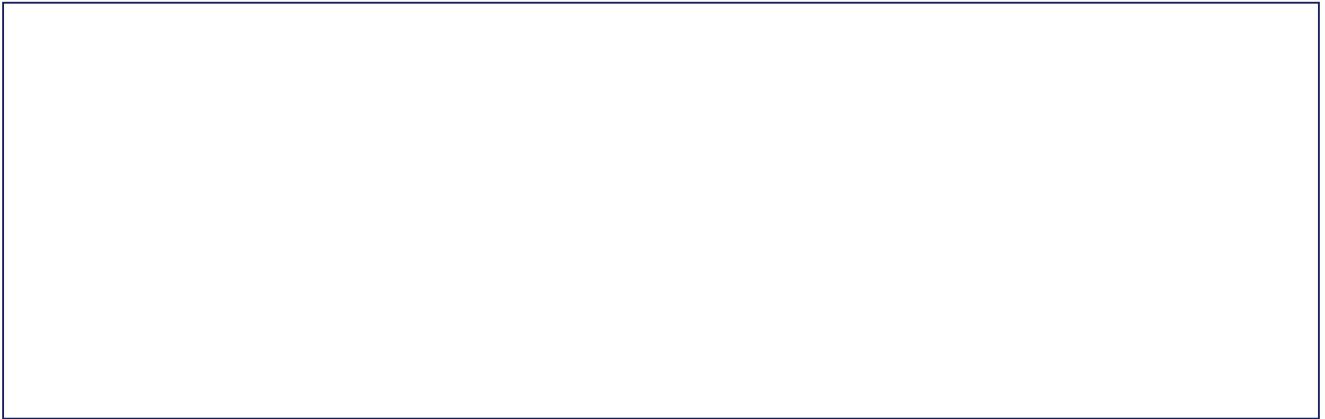
2. Rosa describes the sun as 'amarillo'. What is the English translation of this colour? (1 mark)

3. If you saw a butterfly with wings the colour of a plum or an aubergine, which Spanish word from the bank would you use to describe it? (2 marks)

4. Rosa mentions the stream looks 'azul'. Write a sentence in English explaining why the stream might look that way. (2 marks)

5. Translate these phrases into Spanish: 1) A red flower, 2) A black bird. (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a picture of Rosa the parrot sitting in a tree. Add at least four different items in the scene and label them in Spanish using the correct colours from the word bank.



Extension challenge: Imagine you are a painter. Write three short sentences in Spanish describing your favourite painting, using at least two different colours for each sentence (e.g., 'El cielo es azul y el sol es amarillo').