

Rosa's Spanish Opinion Workshop

Learning objective: To express likes and dislikes in Spanish using a range of opinion phrases.

Read the text below where Rosa the parrot shares her thoughts on her favourite hobbies. Use the word bank to help you understand the Spanish phrases, then answer the questions that follow.

¡Hola! My name is Rosa, and I love talking about my day. I have many hobbies, but I have strong opinions about them! Me encanta leer libros in the forest with Pip. It is so much fun. I also enjoy food; me gusta comer fruta, especially juicy apples. However, I am not a fan of everything. No me gusta bailar because I get dizzy! Most of all, odio hacer los deberes because I would much rather be flying in the sky.

Word bank: Me gusta... (I like...) · Me encanta... (I love...) · No me gusta... (I do not like...) · Odio... (I hate...) · Leer libros (reading books) · Bailar (dancing) · Comer fruta (eating fruit) · Hacer los deberes (doing homework)

1. Using the text, write down one thing that Rosa loves (Me encanta) and one thing she hates (Odio). (2 marks)

2. Translate the phrase 'No me gusta bailar' into English. (1 mark)

3. Rosa mentions she likes eating fruit. How would you write 'I like eating fruit' in Spanish? (1 mark)

4. Why does Rosa not like dancing? Answer in English. (1 mark)

5. Write a sentence in Spanish about one hobby you enjoy, using one of the opinion phrases from the word bank. (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a picture of Rosa the parrot doing her favourite hobby, 'leer libros'. Add a speech bubble next to her saying '¡Me encanta!'



Extension challenge: Research two more Spanish opinion phrases (e.g., 'prefiero' or 'me interesa') and write two full sentences explaining why you might use them instead of 'me gusta'.