

Rosa's Spanish Sports Challenge

Learning objective: To learn and apply Spanish vocabulary related to common sports and express preferences using 'me gusta' and 'no me gusta'.

Read the questions carefully and use the word bank to help you complete the sentences in Spanish. Ensure your spelling is accurate.

Rosa the parrot is helping her friends stay active! In Spanish, we use the verb 'jugar' for ball games, but 'hacer' or 'la' for sports like swimming. Remember: 'Me gusta' means 'I like', and 'No me gusta' means 'I do not like'.

Word bank: el fútbol (football) · el baloncesto (basketball) · la natación (swimming) · el tenis (tennis) · el atletismo (athletics) · me gusta (I like) · no me gusta (I do not like) · jugar (to play)

1. Rosa loves to swim. Write a sentence in Spanish to say: 'I like swimming.' (2 marks)

2. Max the monkey wants to play basketball. Write a sentence in Spanish to say: 'I like to play basketball.' (2 marks)

3. If you really dislike football, how would you write that in Spanish? Use the phrase 'No me gusta'. (2 marks)

4. Translate this phrase into English: 'Me gusta el tenis.' (1 mark)

5. Choose two different sports from the word bank and write two sentences explaining your preferences (one you like, one you do not like). (4 marks)

Draw: Draw your favourite sport in a box and label it in Spanish, for example: 'Me gusta el fútbol'.



Extension challenge: Research one Spanish-speaking country and find out which sport is the most popular there. Write a short sentence in Spanish about whether you would like to try that sport.