

Les Couleurs: Rosa's Rainbow Guide

Dive into a world of colour with Rosa the parrot and paint your French vocabulary bright!

- Primary colours in French are 'le rouge', 'le bleu', and 'le jaune'. Can you spot these in the world around you today?
- When describing a feminine noun, such as 'une fleur' (a flower), remember to check if your colour needs an extra 'e'.
- The word 'marron' is used for brown, but unlike many other colours, it does not change its spelling when describing plural or feminine nouns.
- If you are unsure of a colour's gender, look for the article 'un' (masculine) or 'une' (feminine) that comes before the object.
- Rosa loves to remind us that 'violet' becomes 'violettes' when describing a feminine object!

Did you know? Did you know? In French, colours are adjectives that usually come after the noun they describe. For example, instead of saying 'a red apple', you would say 'une pomme rouge' (an apple red)! Remember, if the noun is feminine, you might need to add an 'e' to the colour, though many colours like 'jaune' and 'orange' stay exactly the same.

Key vocabulary: rouge (red) · bleu (blue) · jaune (yellow) · vert (green) · orange (orange) · violet (purple) · noir (black) · blanc (white) · rose (pink) · marron (brown)