

Rosa's Sports Report: Le Sport

Learning objective: To use French vocabulary to describe sporting preferences and express opinions using 'J'aime' (I like) and 'Je n'aime pas' (I do not like).

Rosa the parrot has been flying over French sports clubs! Use this fact-file template to describe your favourite sports. Use the word bank to help you write sentences in French, and remember to justify your opinions using the 'Greater Depth' questions provided.

Word bank: le football (football) · le tennis (tennis) · la natation (swimming) · le cyclisme (cycling) · le basket (basketball) · le judo (judo) · J'aime (I like) · Je n'aime pas (I do not like) · parce que (because) · c'est amusant (it is fun) · c'est difficile (it is difficult) · c'est passionnant (it is exciting)

1. Mon sport préféré: Name your favourite sport in French and explain why you enjoy it using the word bank. (2 marks)

2. Un sport que je n'aime pas: Name a sport you do not enjoy and justify your opinion using the word bank. (2 marks)

3. Compare and contrast: Compare two sports mentioned in your report. Which is more physically demanding and why? (3 marks)

4. Explain why: Why might someone choose to play a team sport like football instead of an individual sport like swimming? (3 marks)

5. Justify your answer: If you were organising a school sports day, which sport would you include to ensure everyone could participate? Justify your choice. (4 marks)

6. What might happen if: Imagine a sport where the rules changed completely (e.g., you cannot use your feet in football). How would the game change? (4 marks)

Extension challenge: Creative Task: Write a short, persuasive paragraph in French explaining why your chosen sport is the best one to play at school. Use at least three adjectives to describe the sport.