

Rosa's Parisian Fashion Boutique

Learning objective: To identify and use French vocabulary for common items of clothing and describe what someone is wearing.

Read the story below to see what Rosa the parrot is wearing for her trip to the market. Use the word bank to help you answer the questions in full sentences.

Bonjour! I am Rosa. Today is a very chilly day in the city, so I am getting ready for my morning walk. I am feeling quite stylish today. I am wearing a bright red jumper, which is 'un pull rouge', and a comfortable pair of blue trousers, 'un pantalon bleu'. Because it is cold, I have put on my thick winter coat, 'un manteau'. I have also polished my favourite pair of shoes, 'des chaussures'. My friend Leo the lion is coming with me, and he is wearing a smart shirt, 'une chemise'. We look very smart indeed!

Word bank: un pull (a jumper) · une chemise (a shirt) · un pantalon (trousers) · une robe (a dress) · des chaussures (shoes) · un manteau (a coat) · je porte (I am wearing) · il/elle porte (he/she is wearing)

1. What does Rosa say in French for 'I am wearing'? (1 mark)

2. List two items of clothing Rosa is wearing, including their French names. (2 marks)

3. Translate this sentence into English: 'Leo porte une chemise.' (2 marks)

4. If you were going to the park, which items from the word bank would you choose to wear? Write your answer in French. (2 marks)

5. Why does Rosa decide to wear 'un manteau' today? (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a picture of yourself wearing your favourite outfit. Label at least three items of clothing using the French words from the word bank.



Extension challenge: Imagine you are a fashion designer. Write a short paragraph in French describing an outfit for a friend. Use colours (like rouge, bleu, vert, or jaune) to make your description more detailed!