

Rosa's Family Tree (Ma Famille)

Learning objective: To identify and use French vocabulary for family members and describe family relationships.

Read the questions carefully and use the word bank to help you complete the sentences. Remember to use 'mon' or 'ma' correctly depending on whether the family member is masculine or feminine.

Rosa the parrot is showing us her family tree! She says: 'Bonjour! Here is my family. I have a brother and a sister. My grandfather is very kind and my mother loves to sing.'

Word bank: père (father) · mère (mother) · frère (brother) · sœur (sister) · grand-père (grandfather) · grand-mère (grandmother) · mon · ma · J'ai

1. Translate the following into French: 'My mother' and 'My father'. (2 marks)

2. If you wanted to say 'I have a brother', which French phrase would you use from the word bank? (1 mark)

3. Complete the sentence: 'Ma _____ est gentille' (My grandmother is kind). (1 mark)

4. Why do we use 'mon' for 'père' but 'ma' for 'mère'? Explain the grammar rule briefly. (2 marks)

5. Write a French sentence to describe one member of your own family using the vocabulary provided. (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a tree and label the branches with your family members in French (e.g., write 'mon frère' next to a drawing of your brother).



Extension challenge: Research and write down the French words for 'uncle' (oncle) and 'aunt' (tante). Can you add them to your family tree drawing?