

Rosa's French Food Feast

Learning objective: To identify and use French vocabulary for food and drink, and to express preferences using 'J'aime' and 'Je n'aime pas'.

Help Rosa the parrot prepare for her French picnic! Read the questions carefully and use the word bank to help you express your preferences in French.

Word bank: le pain (bread) · le fromage (cheese) · la pomme (apple) · le chocolat (chocolate) · l'eau (water) · le jus d'orange (orange juice) · la salade (salad) · le gâteau (cake) · J'aime (I like) · Je n'aime pas (I do not like)

1. Rosa is making a shopping list. Translate these three items into French: bread, cheese, and apple. (3 marks)

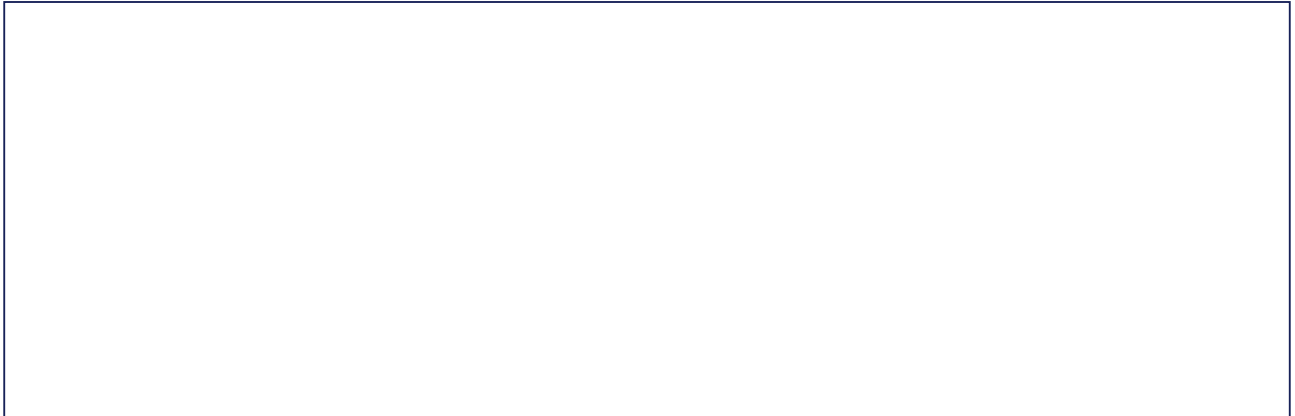
2. Using 'J'aime' or 'Je n'aime pas', write two full sentences about which items from the word bank you would choose for your own picnic. (4 marks)

3. Explain why it is useful to know how to express preferences when visiting a French market. Justify your answer. (3 marks)

4. Compare and contrast the French words for 'the' (le/la/l'). Why do you think French uses different words for 'the' while English only uses one? (4 marks)

5. What might happen if you were at a restaurant in France and you used the phrase 'Je n'aime pas' incorrectly? How could you politely change your sentence? (4 marks)

Draw: Draw a 'pique-nique' basket and fill it with at least four items from the word bank. Label each item in French.



Extension challenge: Design a three-course French menu for a special occasion. Include a starter, a main course, and a dessert using French vocabulary. For each course, write a short sentence in French explaining why you enjoy that dish.