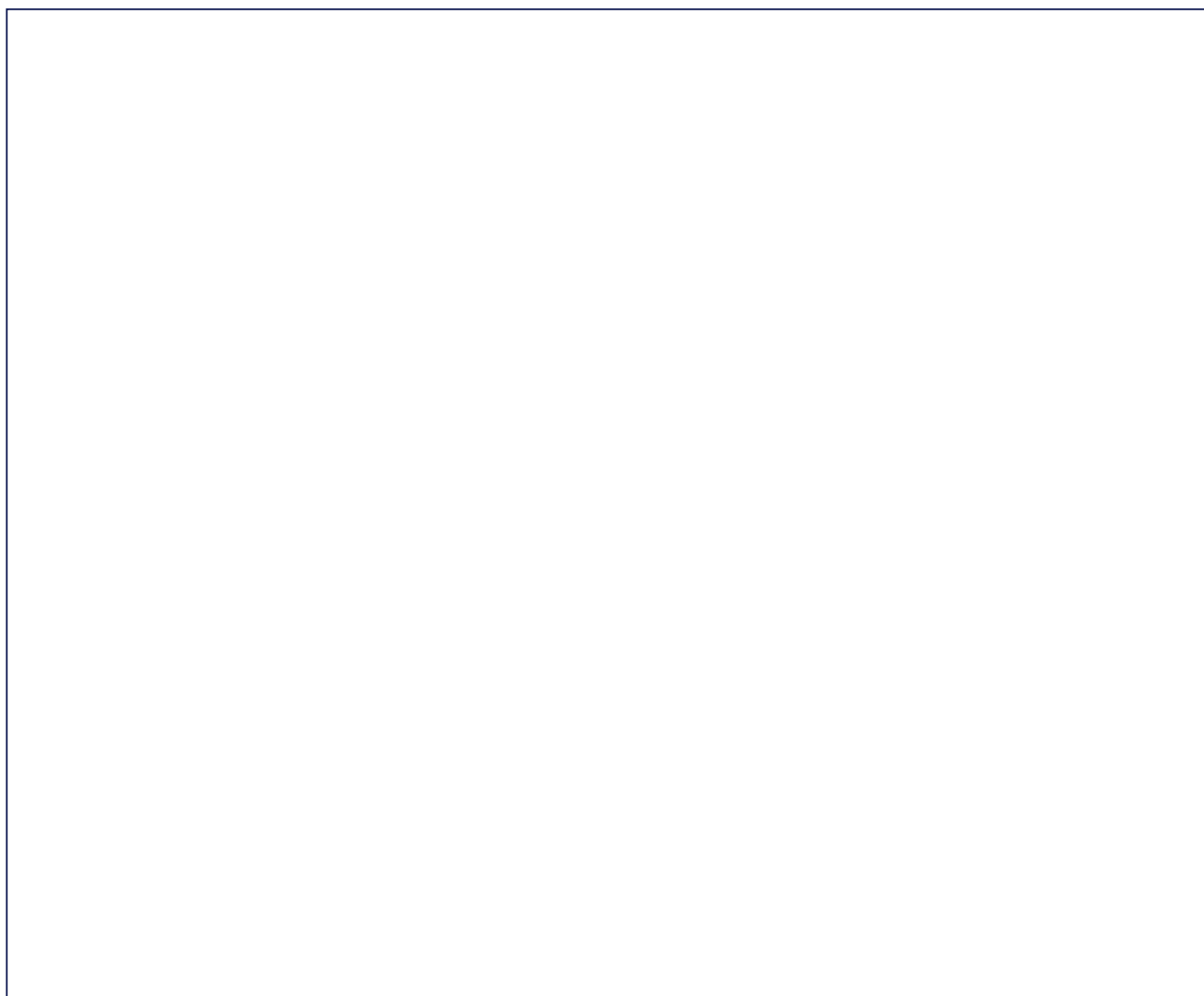


Rosa's Opinion Picnic: French Expressions

Learning objective: To use and apply French opinion phrases (J'aime, Je n'aime pas, J'adore, Je déteste) to describe preferences.

Help Rosa the parrot organise her picnic! Use the word bank to label the food items on the blanket. Next to each food item, draw a small symbol (a happy face, a heart, or a sad face) to show if Rosa likes it or not, then write the correct French phrase underneath.

Draw: Draw a large picnic blanket in the centre of the page. On the blanket, draw four food items: a shiny apple, a wedge of cheese, a bar of chocolate, and a bunch of crunchy carrots. In the top corner, draw Rosa the parrot wearing a colourful scarf, looking very excited about her feast. Use a bright, cheerful art style with clean lines.



Label words: J'adore (I love) · J'aime (I like) · Je n'aime pas (I do not like) · Je déteste (I hate) · la pomme (the apple) · le fromage (the cheese) · le chocolat (the chocolate) · les carottes (the carrots)

Steps:

1. Choose two food items from your drawing. Write a sentence for each using the correct French opinion phrase. Example: J'adore le chocolat.
2. Explain why it is important to use different opinion phrases when talking about your favourite foods. How does this change the way you describe your meal?

3. If Rosa were to share her picnic with a friend who has different tastes, how would she ask them what they like in French? (Hint: Think about how you turn a statement into a question).
4. Compare and contrast the phrases 'J'aime' and 'J'adore'. When would a French speaker choose one over the other?
5. Justify your answer: If Rosa says 'Je déteste les carottes', is she being polite or impolite? How could she phrase this more kindly?
6. What might happen if Rosa didn't have any phrases to express her opinions? How would her picnic be different?