

Rosa's Colourful Garden

Learning objective: To identify and understand basic Spanish colour vocabulary within a simple text.

Read the story about Rosa the parrot. Use the word bank to help you understand the Spanish words. Write your answers in the boxes provided.

Rosa the parrot loves her garden. She flies over the flowers every morning. Today, she is looking for colours to teach her friends. First, she lands on a bright sunflower. 'Look!' says Rosa. 'The flower is amarillo.' She flies to the pond. The water is cool and claro azul. It sparkles in the sun. Rosa looks down at her own wings. Her plumas are a mix of colours. She has soft verde leaves around her and a bright rojo berry in her beak. 'Learning colours is fun!' she chirps. Rosa hops onto a stone and sings a song about the rainbow. She wants everyone to see how beautiful the world is. She hopes her friends will learn the Spanish words for the colours they see every day. Rosa is a very happy bird.

Word bank: Rojo - Red · Azul - Blue · Verde - Green · Amarillo - Yellow · Jardín - Garden · Plumas - Feathers

1. What colour is the sunflower in Spanish? (Literal) (2 marks)

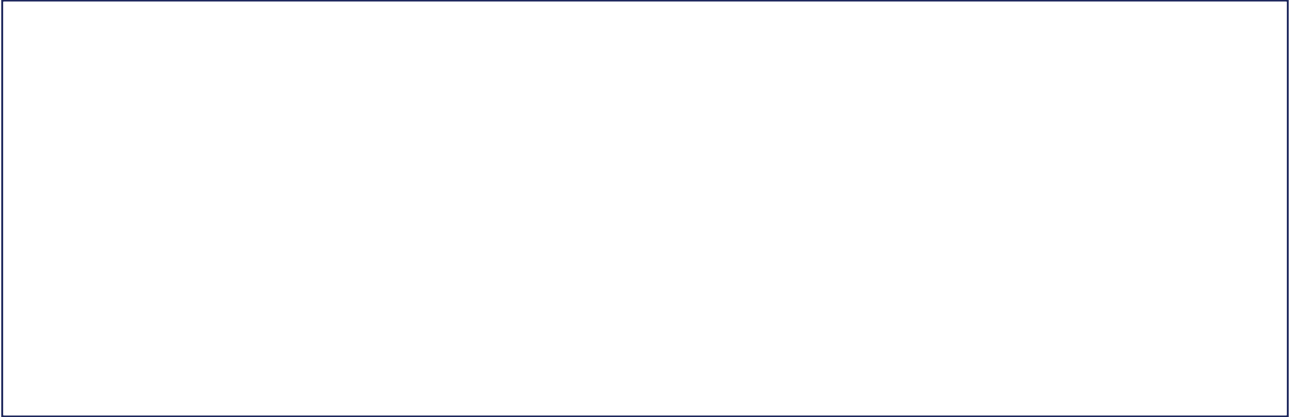
2. Where does Rosa find the colour azul? (Literal) (2 marks)

3. How does Rosa feel about teaching her friends? Explain how you know. (Inferential) (2 marks)

4. Why do you think Rosa has so many different colours on her wings? (Inferential) (2 marks)

5. Which colour from the story is your favourite and why? (Evaluative) (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a picture of Rosa the parrot sitting in her garden. Make sure you colour the sunflower 'amarillo' and the pond 'azul'.



Extension challenge: Can you name three other things in your classroom and write down what colour they are in Spanish?