

Rosa's Weather Report: El Tiempo

Learning objective: To identify and use common Spanish weather phrases correctly in written and spoken contexts.

Rosa the parrot has been flying around the world! Look at the weather symbols Rosa has collected in her notebook. Match the correct Spanish weather phrase from the word bank to the symbol description provided in the questions below. Write the Spanish phrase clearly in the space provided.

Word bank: Hace sol · Hace frío · Hace calor · Está nublado · Llueve · Nieva · Hace viento

1. Rosa looks out of her window and sees big, grey clouds covering the sky. What is the weather like? (In Spanish) (2 marks)

2. Max the monkey is shivering! He needs a jumper because it is very cold. What does he say? (In Spanish) (2 marks)

3. The trees are swaying and leaves are blowing everywhere in the garden. What is the weather like? (In Spanish) (2 marks)

4. Pip the caterpillar is putting on sun cream because the sun is shining brightly. What is the weather like? (In Spanish) (2 marks)

5. Ellie the elephant is using an umbrella because water is falling from the sky. What is the weather like? (In Spanish) (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a weather map of Spain featuring three different weather conditions. Label each condition using the Spanish phrases from the word bank.

Extension challenge: Imagine you are a weather presenter on television. Write a short script in Spanish (3-4 sentences) describing the weather in three different cities, for example: 'En Madrid hace sol, en Barcelona llueve, y en León nieva.'