

Rosa the Parrot's Famille Fun Quiz

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

Join Rosa the Parrot for a quick linguistic flight! Read each question carefully. Choose the correct option or write your answer clearly in the space provided. Remember to check your spelling in both English and French.

Answer Key: 1.C, 2.A, 3.B, 4.False, 5.le frère, 6.True, 7.la grand-mère, 8.la mère, 9.le grand-père, 10.la sœur. (Greater Depth: Pupils should explain that 'le' is used for masculine nouns and 'la' for feminine nouns).

Word bank: la mère · le père · le frère · la sœur · le grand-père · la grand-mère · la famille · le bébé

1. 1. What is the French word for 'father'? A) la mère B) le frère C) le père* D) la sœur (1 mark)

2. 2. Which word means 'mother'? A) la mère* B) le père C) le grand-père D) la grand-mère (1 mark)

3. 3. If you have a sister, you would call her: A) le frère B) la sœur* C) la mère D) le bébé (1 mark)

4. 4. True or False: 'Le frère' means 'the sister'. (1 mark)

5. 5. What is the French word for 'brother'? (1 mark)

6. 6. True or False: 'La famille' is the French word for 'the family'. (1 mark)

7. 7. How would you say 'the grandmother' in French? (1 mark)

8. 8. Which French word would you use to describe your female parent? (1 mark)

9. 9. What is the French term for 'the grandfather'? (1 mark)

10. 10. If you have a female sibling, which word from the bank describes her? (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a portrait of your family (or a fictional one) and label each person using the correct French vocabulary from the word bank.



Extension challenge: Greater Depth Challenges: 1. Explain why we use 'le' for some family members and 'la' for others. 2. Compare and contrast the French words for grandparents with the English versions; are there any similarities? 3. Justify why it is important to learn the gender of nouns when learning French. 4. What might happen to the sentence structure if we wanted to say 'my mother' instead of 'the mother'? 5. Create a short French sentence introducing your family members. 6. If a family had a new baby, how would you describe them using the word bank?