

Rosa's Review: My Favorite Things

Learning objective: To express opinions in French using phrases such as 'J'aime', 'J'adore', 'Je n'aime pas', and 'Je déteste'.

Join Rosa the parrot to practice your French! Think of four things you enjoy or dislike, such as school subjects, sports, or food. Use the word bank to help you write your opinions in French, and remember to give a reason why using the word 'parce que' (because).

Word bank: J'adore (I love) · J'aime (I like) · Je n'aime pas (I don't like) · Je déteste (I hate) · parce que c'est... (because it is...) · amusant (fun) · ennuyeux (boring) · délicieux (delicious) · difficile (difficult)

1. Choose a sport or hobby. Write a sentence in French saying if you like it or not, and explain why using 'parce que'. (2 marks)

2. Choose a school subject. Write a sentence in French saying how you feel about it and give a reason. (2 marks)

3. Choose a type of food. Write a sentence in French to express your opinion about it. (2 marks)

4. Look at the phrase 'Je déteste'. Why might someone use this phrase instead of 'Je n'aime pas'? (2 marks)

5. Translate this sentence into English: 'J'adore le football parce que c'est amusant.' (2 marks)

Extension challenge: Can you write a short dialogue between you and Rosa where you ask her what she likes to eat, and she replies in French?