

Rosa's French Market Adventure

Learning objective: To learn vocabulary for shopping in French and practice asking for items using currency (£).

Read the story about Rosa the parrot's trip to the market. Use the word bank to help you answer the questions. Remember to use full sentences in your French responses where possible.

Rosa the parrot has arrived at a bustling French market. She wants to buy some treats for her friends. She spots a stall with fresh food. She greets the shopkeeper and looks at the price tags. She sees an apple for £1, a loaf of bread for £2, and a bar of delicious chocolate for £3. Rosa carefully counts her coins, feeling very clever as she practices her French phrases to order exactly what she needs.

Word bank: Je voudrais... (I would like...) · S'il vous plaît (Please) · Combien ça coûte ? (How much does it cost?) · La pomme (The apple) · Le pain (The bread) · Le chocolat (The chocolate) · C'est... (It is...) · Une livre (One pound)

1. If Rosa wants to buy the apple, what phrase should she use to tell the shopkeeper what she would like? (2 marks)

2. Write the French question Rosa should ask to find out the price of the chocolate. (2 marks)

3. If the bread costs £2, how would you write 'It is two pounds' in French using the word bank? (2 marks)

4. Compare the cost of the apple and the chocolate. Which item is more expensive and by how much? (3 marks)

5. Explain why it is important for Rosa to say 'S'il vous plaît' when shopping. How does this affect the shopkeeper's reaction? (3 marks)

Draw: Draw a French market stall featuring the items Rosa saw. Label each item with its French name and the price in £.



Extension challenge: Imagine Rosa wants to buy one apple, one loaf of bread, and two bars of chocolate. Calculate the total cost in pounds. Write a short script in French where Rosa explains what she is buying and asks for the total price.