

Rosa's Sporting Adventure: Le Quiz des Sports

Learning objective: To recall and apply French vocabulary related to sports and physical activities, including the correct use of 'jouer au/à la' and 'faire de'.

Join Rosa the parrot as she takes flight across the stadium! Read each question carefully and select the correct French sporting term. Remember to check your grammar for masculine and feminine nouns.

Answer Key: 1.C, 2.True, 3.le tennis, 4.A, 5.True, 6.le rugby, 7.B, 8.False (We use 'faire de' for individual sports like swimming), 9.la danse, 10.B. Marking: 1 mark per correct answer.

Word bank: le football · le tennis · la natation · jouer au · faire de · le basket · le rugby · le cyclisme · la danse · le judo

1. 1. Which phrase would you use to say 'I play football'? A) Je fais de football B) Je joue à la football C) Je joue au football* D) Je fais le football (1 mark)

2. 2. True or False: 'Le cyclisme' is the French word for cycling. (1 mark)

3. 3. What is the French name for the sport played with a racket and a yellow ball? (1 mark)

4. 4. Which of these sports is feminine in French? A) La natation* B) Le judo C) Le basket D) Le rugby (1 mark)

5. 5. True or False: You use 'faire de' to talk about sports like 'le judo' or 'la natation'. (1 mark)

6. 6. Fill in the blank: Rosa loves watching the Six Nations tournament. In French, this sport is called _____. (1 mark)

7. 7. How do you say 'I play basketball'? A) Je fais du basket B) Je joue au basket* C) Je joue à la basket D) Je fais le basket (1 mark)

8. 8. True or False: 'Je joue à la natation' is the correct way to say 'I go swimming'. (1 mark)

9. 9. Translate this word into English: 'La danse'. (1 mark)

10. 10. Which sport is a martial art? A) Le cyclisme B) Le judo* C) Le football D) Le rugby (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a picture of Rosa the parrot wearing a sports kit, holding a ball or racket. Label her equipment using the French words you have learnt today.



Extension challenge: Greater Depth Challenges: 1. Explain why we use 'au' for football but 'de' for swimming. 2. Compare and contrast the use of 'jouer' and 'faire' in the context of sport. 3. Justify why it is important to know the gender of a noun when choosing between 'au', 'à la', and 'aux'. 4. What might happen if you used the wrong preposition? 5. If Rosa wanted to start a new club, write a short persuasive sentence in French about why children should join. 6. Create a table categorising five sports into 'Ball Games' and 'Individual Activities' using the correct French articles.