

Rosa's Tasty Spanish Fiesta Quiz

Learning objective: To identify and categorise Spanish food vocabulary and understand how to order items using simple phrases.

Join Rosa the parrot for a delicious Spanish food challenge! Read each question carefully and select the best answer. Good luck, or as Rosa says, ¡buena suerte!

Answer Key: 1.C, 2.True, 3.la manzana, 4.B, 5.False, 6.el pan, 7.D, 8.la ensalada, 9.el desayuno, 10.B.

Explanation: 'El desayuno' is breakfast. 'La tortilla' in Spain is a potato omelette, distinct from the flatbread found in other regions.

Word bank: el desayuno · la cena · la manzana · el pan · la leche · la tortilla · el agua · la ensalada

1. 1. Which word means 'the milk' in Spanish? A) el pan B) la fruta C) la leche* D) el agua (1 mark)

2. 2. True or False: 'La cena' is the Spanish word for dinner. (1 mark)

3. 3. If you want to say 'the apple', you say: _____. (1 mark)

4. 4. Rosa is hungry! Which of these is a traditional Spanish potato omelette? A) la paella B) la tortilla* C) el gazpacho D) el churro (1 mark)

5. 5. True or False: 'El agua' is a type of dessert. (1 mark)

6. 6. Fill in the gap: 'Yo como _____' (I eat the bread). (1 mark)

7. 7. Which phrase would you use to order something politely? A) Yo quiero...* B) El libro C) La mesa D) Hasta luego (1 mark)

8. 8. What is 'la ensalada' in English? (1 mark)

9. 9. If you are eating cereal in the morning, which meal is it? A) la merienda B) la cena C) el desayuno* D) el postre (1 mark)

10. 10. Which of these is a healthy snack? A) el pastel B) la naranja* C) el chocolate D) el azúcar (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a vibrant 'Mercado' (market) stall. Include at least four different food items we have learned in Spanish and label them with their correct Spanish names.



Extension challenge: 1. Explain why it is important to know the gender (el/la) of nouns when learning Spanish. 2. Compare and contrast a typical Spanish breakfast with a typical British breakfast. 3. Justify your answer: If you were hosting a Spanish feast, which three items would you choose to include and why? 4. What might happen if you used the word 'la' instead of 'el' for a masculine noun? 5. Create a short dialogue (4 lines) between Rosa and a friend ordering food at a café. 6. Research and describe one other famous Spanish dish that was not mentioned in this quiz.