

Rosa's Mercado Adventure: A Spanish Shopping Quiz

Learning objective: To recall and apply vocabulary related to shopping, prices, and quantities in Spanish, tailored for Year 5 learners.

Join Rosa the parrot on a trip to the local market! Read each question carefully and select the correct Spanish term or calculate the cost using your maths skills. Good luck!

Answer Key: 1.C, 2.True, 3.False, 4.El pan, 5.B, 6.A, 7.True, 8.Barato, 9.False, 10.¿Cuánto cuesta?

Word bank: ¿Cuánto cuesta? · La manzana · El pan · Caro · Barato · La tienda · La moneda · El mercado

1. Rosa wants to buy an apple. Which word should she use? A) El libro, B) La mesa, C) La manzana*, D) El perro (1 mark)

2. True or False: 'Caro' means expensive in Spanish. (1 mark)

3. True or False: 'Barato' means expensive in Spanish. (1 mark)

4. If you are at a bakery, what is the Spanish word for bread? (1 mark)

5. You see a toy for £5.00. How do you ask for the price in Spanish? A) ¿Cómo te llamas?, B) ¿Cuánto cuesta?*, C) ¿Qué tal?, D) ¿Dónde está? (1 mark)

6. Which phrase is used to say 'The shop'? A) La tienda*, B) El mercado, C) La casa, D) El colegio (1 mark)

7. True or False: In Spain, the currency used is the Euro (€), but for this quiz, we are using pounds (£). (1 mark)

8. If a chocolate bar costs £0.20, is it 'caro' (expensive) or 'barato' (cheap)? (1 mark)

9. True or False: 'La moneda' translates to 'The shopkeeper'. (1 mark)

10. Write the Spanish question you would ask to find out the price of an item. (1 mark)

Draw: Draw Rosa the parrot at a colourful Spanish market stall. Include labels for the items you have drawn (e.g., 'La manzana', 'El pan') using the correct Spanish vocabulary.



Extension challenge: Greater Depth Challenges: 1) Explain why knowing the gender of a noun (el/la) is important when shopping in Spain. 2) If Rosa buys three apples for £0.50 each and a loaf of bread for £1.20, calculate the total in pounds. Write the total in words in Spanish. 3) Justify your answer: Why might a shopkeeper prefer it if you use polite phrases like 'Por favor' when asking '¿Cuánto cuesta?' 4) Compare and contrast shopping in a small local 'mercado' versus a large supermarket. 5) What might happen if you confuse the words 'caro' and 'barato' when discussing prices with a seller? 6) Imagine you are the shopkeeper. Write a short dialogue in Spanish (using your word bank) where you tell a customer how much three items cost.