

Rosa the Parrot's Spanish Verbs

Learning objective: To learn how to use simple Spanish verbs and understand how they change to show who is doing the action.

Read the sentences about Rosa. Look at the word bank to help you. Fill in the gaps to finish the sentences.

Rosa the parrot loves to talk! She says: 'Yo hablo español' (I speak Spanish). When Rosa talks about her friend Leo the lion, she says: 'Leo habla español' (Leo speaks Spanish). Rosa also loves food and games. She says: 'Yo como fruta' (I eat fruit) and 'Yo juego hoy' (I play today). When Leo joins in, she says: 'Leo come fruta' (Leo eats fruit) and 'Leo juega hoy' (Leo plays today).

Word bank: hablo (I speak) · habla (he/she speaks) · como (I eat) · come (he/she eats) · juego (I play) · juega (he/she plays)

1. Rosa says 'Yo _____ español'. (Use the word bank to say 'I speak') (2 marks)

2. When talking about Leo, Rosa says 'Leo _____ español'. (Use the word bank to say 'he speaks') (2 marks)

3. Rosa says 'Yo _____ fruta'. (Use the word bank to say 'I eat') (2 marks)

4. When talking about Leo, Rosa says 'Leo _____ fruta'. (Use the word bank to say 'he eats') (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a picture of Rosa the parrot eating a piece of fruit and talking to Leo the lion. _____



Extension challenge: Can you try to say 'I play' in Spanish using the word bank? Write it in a full sentence.