

Rosa's Weather Wonders: A Spanish Quiz

Learning objective: To identify and use accurate Spanish vocabulary to describe weather conditions and justify climate preferences.

Join Rosa the parrot as she flies across the world! Read each question carefully. For multiple choice, select the correct option. For true/false, write the full word.

Answer Key: 1.C, 2.True, 3.Llueve, 4.A, 5.False (it is cold), 6.Hace viento, 7.B, 8.True, 9.C, 10.Hace sol.

Word bank: Hace sol · Hace frío · Hace viento · Está nublado · Llueve · Nieva · ¿Qué tiempo hace? · Me gusta

1. Rosa asks, '¿Qué tiempo hace?' What is she asking? A) What is your name? B) Where are you going? C) What is the weather like? D) How are you? (1 mark)

2. True or False: 'Hace sol' translates to 'It is sunny'. (1 mark)

3. If you see water falling from the clouds in Spanish, you would say: _____. (1 mark)

4. Which phrase describes a day where you might need a thick coat because it is cold? A) Hace frío B) Hace calor C) Hace sol D) Nieva (1 mark)

5. True or False: 'Hace calor' is the correct phrase to use when it is snowing. (1 mark)

6. When the trees are swaying because of a strong breeze, what is the Spanish phrase for 'It is windy'? (1 mark)

7. What does the phrase 'Está nublado' mean? A) It is raining B) It is cloudy C) It is hot D) It is snowing (1 mark)

8. True or False: The word 'Nieva' comes from the verb 'nevar', meaning to snow. (1 mark)

9. If Rosa is flying in a storm with lots of wind, which phrase would she use? A) Hace calor B) Hace sol C) Hace viento D) Está nublado (1 mark)

10. 10. Translate this sentence to Spanish: 'It is sunny'. (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a scene featuring Rosa the parrot in a location that has two different types of weather happening at once (e.g., sunny but windy). Label the weather in Spanish.



Extension challenge: 1. Explain why it is important to use the verb 'hacer' for some weather phrases but 'estar' for others (e.g., 'Está nublado'). 2. Compare and contrast the weather in the UK to a Spanish-speaking country of your choice. 3. Justify your answer: Which type of weather is most difficult for a bird like Rosa to fly in and why? 4. What might happen if the weather suddenly changed from 'Hace sol' to 'Nieva' while you were outside? 5. Create a short weather report script for Rosa, including three different weather conditions. 6. If you were writing a poem about the weather, which Spanish words would you choose to create a rhythmic effect?