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THE COLORS

AS CORES

1. white
2. red

branco
vermelho

3. purple
4. yellow

roxo
amarelo

DESCRIPTIVE ADJECTIVES

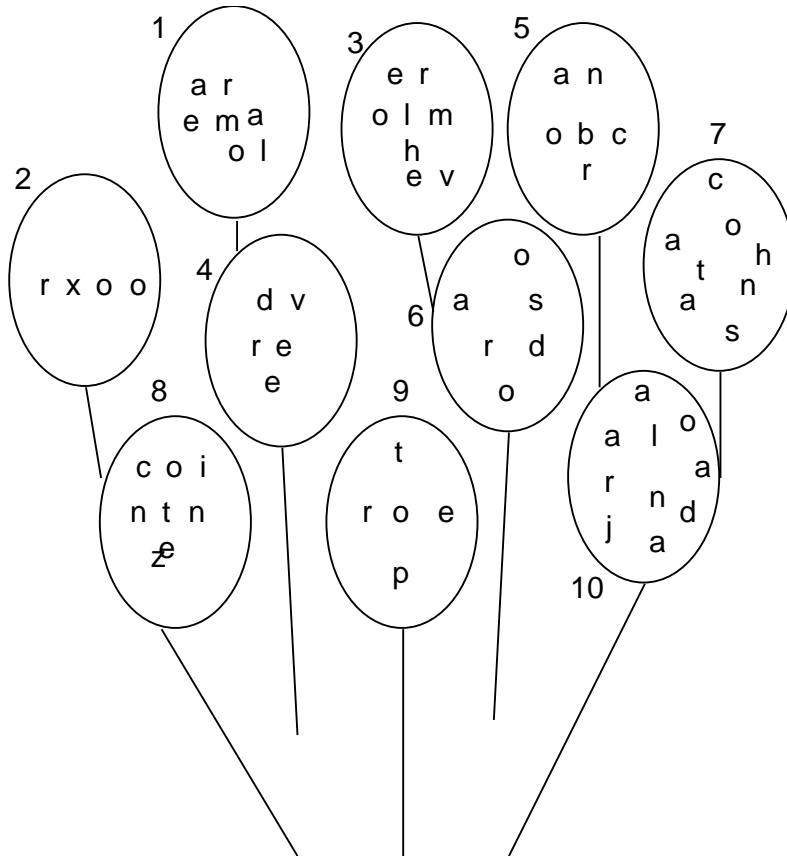
The name of a color is, in grammatical terms, an adjective. An adjective is used to describe a noun.

Exemplo: a red apple

uma maçã vermelha

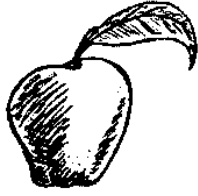
Exercício 3

Unscramble the letters in each balloon and discover its color. Write the answer on the space provided below.

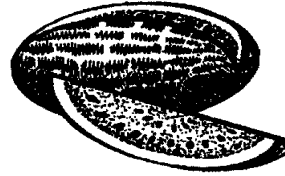


FRUITS FRUTAS

Nouns are names of objects, people and animals. Here are the names of ten common fruits.



maçã
apple



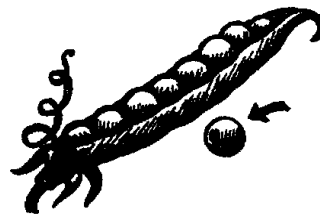
melancia
watermelon

VEGETABLES VEGETAIS

Here are the names of ten common vegetables.



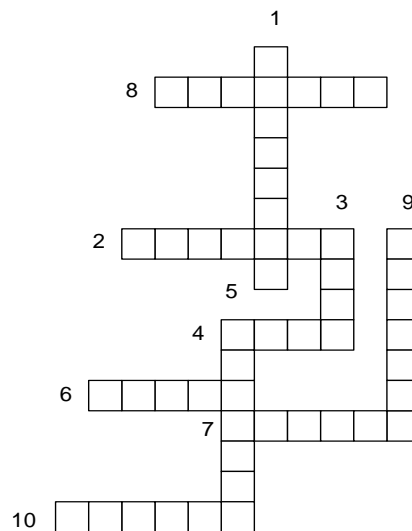
alho
garlic



ervilha
pea

Exercício 10

OS VEGETAIS



FOOD

O ALIMENTO

Let's learn the names of ten common foods.



sopa
soup



bolacha
cracker

BEVERAGES

AS BEBIDAS



(a) água
water



(o) café
coffee

THE DEFINITE AND INDEFINITE ARTICLES

The definite article **THE** in English has four forms in Portuguese which are:

o a os as

o is singular and masculine; it agrees with nouns ending in **o** (**o morango**)

a is singular and feminine; it agrees with nouns ending in **a** (**a pêra**)

os is plural and masculine; it agrees with nouns ending in **os** (**os pêsegos**)

as is plural and feminine; it agrees with nouns ending in **as** (**as maçãs**)

Exercício 28

Quanto custa?

Custa € 25,59

How much does it cost?

It costs twenty-five **euros** and fifty-nine **cêntimos**.

Find the cost of the following foods.

1. A Maria necessita comprar (needs to buy) 2 dúzias (dozen) de laranja. Cada (each) dúzia custa 3 euros.

Quanto dinheiro necessita a Maria?

A Maria necessita _____ euros.

QUIZ # 1

I. Translate the following words to Portuguese.

1. red _____
2. orange _____
3. green _____
4. yellow _____
5. apple _____
6. cherry _____
7. strawberry _____
8. plum _____
9. watermelon _____
10. peach _____

II. Match the following English words to the Portuguese equivalent.

- | | | |
|-------------|-------|-------------|
| 1. chicken | _____ | a. sardinha |
| 2. celery | _____ | b. cebola |
| 3. mushroom | _____ | c. salada |
| 4. cabbage | _____ | d. aipo |
| 5. carrot | _____ | e. galinha |
| 6. onion | _____ | f. repolho |
| 7. salad | _____ | g. cogumelo |
| 8. sardine | _____ | h. cenoura |

III. Name the following foods.









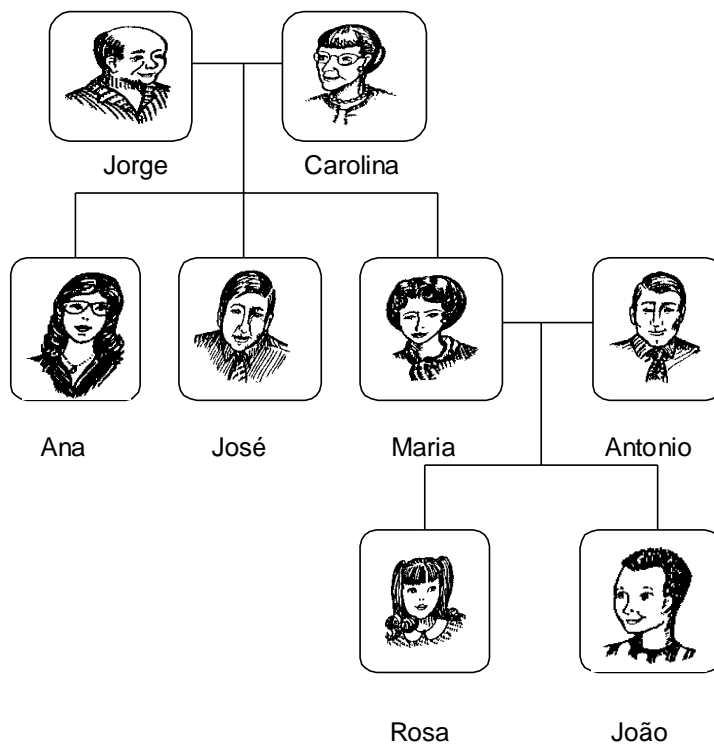








A FAMÍLIA DA ROSA



Exercício 30

Write ten sentences describing Rosa's family.

Exemplo: A Carolina é a mãe da Maria.

1. _____

2. _____

Exercício 32

Write ten sentences describing members of your family.

Exemplo: A minha mãe é alta.

1. _____

2. _____

THE SUBJECT OF A SENTENCE

Complete sentences have a subject. The subject is the word we are talking about. The subject of a sentence can either be a noun or a pronoun. A pronoun is a word that replaces a noun in a sentence.

SUBJECT PRONOUNS

English Singular	Portuguese	English Plural	Portuguese
I	eu	we	nós

THE VERB SER

O VERBO SER

The verb **SER**, which means **TO BE** in English, is irregular. Therefore, it has to be memorized.

	ser	to be	
I am	eu sou	we are	nós somos
you are	tu és	you are	vós sois
he is	ele é	they are	eles são
she is	ela é	they are	elas são

THE VERB TER

O VERBO TER

	ter	to have	
I have	eu tenho	we have	nós temos
you have	tu tens	you have	vós tendes
he has	ele tem	they have	eles têm
she has	ela tem	they have	elas têm

Exercício 43

Provide the correct form of the verb ter.

1. Eu _____ uma salada para (for) a ceia.
2. Ela _____ três repolhos na canastra (basket).

QUIZ 1

I. *Translate the following vocabulary into Portuguese.*

1. pretty _____
2. tall _____
3. short _____
4. strong _____
5. old _____
6. handsome _____
7. intelligent _____
8. thin _____

II. *Translate the sentences into Portuguese.*

1. Rosa's brother is kind.

2. John's daughter is young.

3. John and Rose's parents are from Colombia.

III. *Write the corresponding Subject Pronoun.*

- | | |
|--------------------|--------------------|
| 1. _____ tenho | 5. _____ temos |
| 2. _____ tens | 6. _____ tendes |
| 3. _____ (M/S) tem | 7. _____ (M/P) têm |
| 4. _____ (F/S) tem | 8. _____ (F/P) têm |

IV. *Translate the English possessive adjectives to Portuguese.*

	Singular	Plural
1. my	_____ livro	_____ livros
2. your (f)	_____ casa	_____ casas
3. our	_____ filho	_____ filhos
4. our	_____ filha	_____ filhas
5. his	_____ primo	_____ primos
6. their	_____ avô	_____ avós

Sample Answer Key

Exercício # 1

- | | | |
|-----|-------------------|--|
| 1. | verde | verde, verdes |
| 2. | cinzento | cinzento, cinzenta, cinzentos, cinzentas |
| 3. | branco | branco, branca, brancos, brancas |
| 4. | roxo | roxo, roxa, roxos, roxas |
| 5. | castanho | castanho, castanha, castanhos, castanhas |
| 6. | rosado | rosado, rosada, rosados, rosadas |
| 7. | vermelho | vermelho, vermelha, vermelhos, vermelhas |
| 8. | preto | preto, preta, pretos, pretas |
| 9. | alaranjado | alaranjado, alaranjada, alaranjados, alaranjadas |
| 10. | amarelo | amarelo, amarela, amarelos, amarelas |

Exercício # 2

cinzento, vermelho, alaranjado	arco
amarelo, castanho, verde	íris

Exercício # 3

- | | |
|-------------|----------------|
| 1. amarelo | 6. rosado |
| 2. roxo | 7. castanho |
| 3. vermelho | 8. cinzento |
| 4. verde | 9. preto |
| 5. branco | 10. alaranjado |

Exercício # 4

cinzento, roxo, vermelho, preto, rosado, branco, verde, amarelo, castanho, alaranjado