

¡Vámonos!

1. Pick up a sheet labeled “**Vámonos!**” and a notes sheet.
2. Go to your **same seat** from yesterday.
3. On the **FIRST** box on your “**Vámonos**” paper, write in English about **your favorite holiday traditions**.

(What food do you eat? What do you do? Who is there with you? etc.)

Write until time is called.

Reminders:

- Pick up today's note sheet
- Sit in your assigned seat
- Drop off signed syllabus/family info paper

Los Anuncios

- Homework sheet #1 due Monday
 - Extras in the red folder
- Get binder and dividers by **FRIDAY**
- Hand in family info and signed syllabus by Friday

Reminders:

1. Be **WHERE** you are
2. Learning is like a grocery store. Respect all opinions.

El horario

- Español Trivia
- “Why Study Spanish” chat
- Countries that speak Spanish
- Culture + cultural iceberg
- My culture sheet
- Pasaporte + Learning Log

Remember, that learning Spanish also incorporates learning about different **CULTURES** - today, we are going to focus on understanding what culture is and what ours might be.

Español Trivia!

Using the A, B, C, D cards, you will hold up which you think the answer is and face it toward me.

This is a **QUIET** activity unless I ask for you to speak.

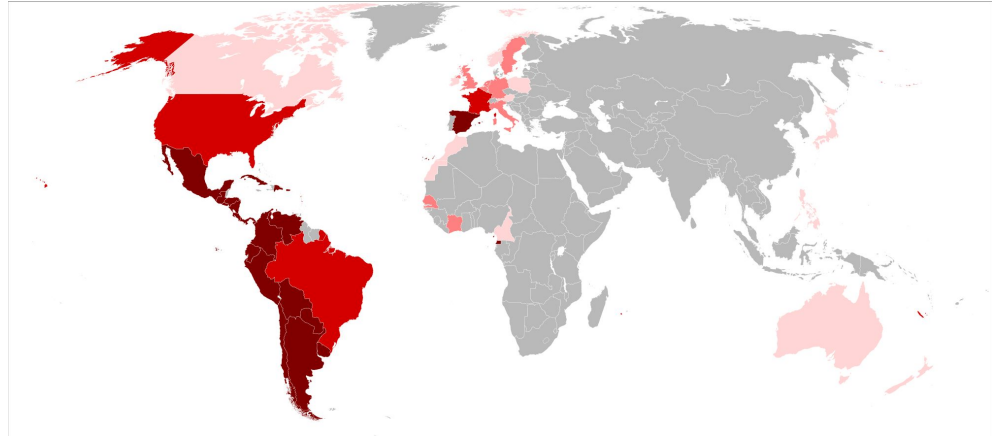
How many countries in the world have Spanish as its official language?

a. 20

b. 35

c. 16

d. 50



How many people in the world speak Spanish?

a. 1 billion

b. 400 million

c. 2 million

d. 80 million



True or false: Spanish is one of the six official languages of the United Nations

a. true

b. false



**Which country has the highest number
of Spanish speakers?**

a. United States

b. Spain

c. Mexico

d. Argentina



Spanish is the second most studied language in the world.

a. True

b. False



During what month is day of the dead celebrated in Mexico?

- a. November
- b. October
- c. July
- d. May



Which Latin American country does not have an army?

- a. Panama
- b. Argentina
- c. Costa Rica
- d. Honduras



Which language is closest to Spanish?

a. English

b. Italian

c. Portuguese

d. Russian



What season is it in Argentina in December?

a. spring

b. summer

c. fall

d. winter



A quinceñera celebrates a girl's 16th birthday.

a. true

b. false



What religion are most Latin American people?

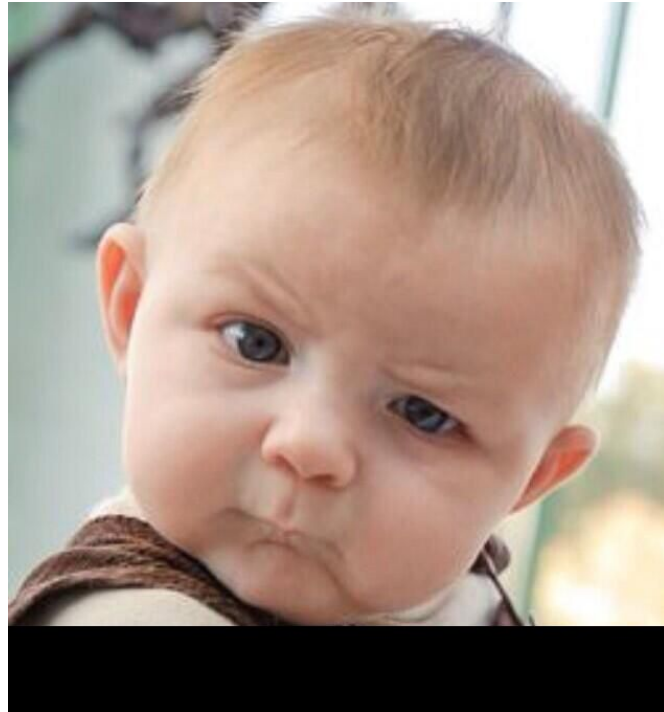
- a. Buddhist
- b. Jewish
- c. Catholic
- d. Not religious



Objetivo

I can understand various
Latin American countries'
cultures.

¿Porque estudiamos español?



LANGUAGE OF THE FUTURE!



SPANISH IS THE **4TH** MOST SPOKEN LANGUAGE IN THE WORLD

21 COUNTRIES CLAIM SPANISH AS THEIR OFFICIAL LANGUAGE.

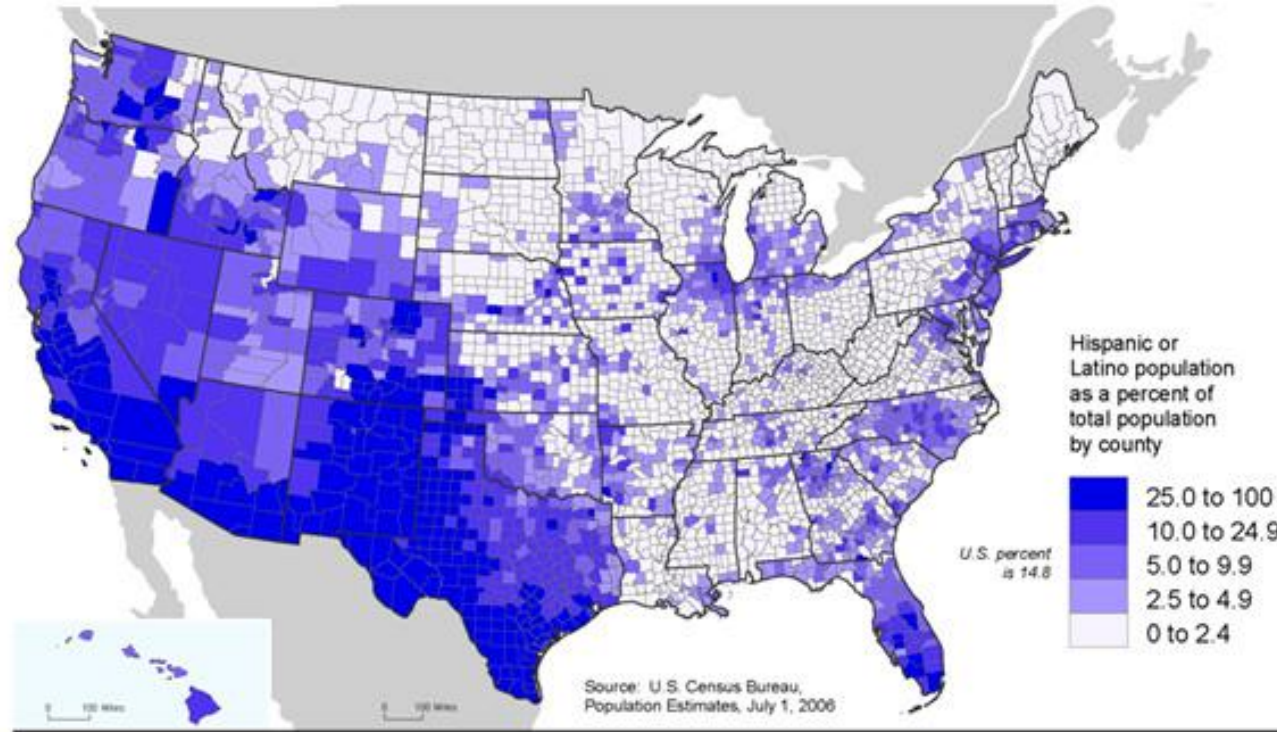
IT IS SPOKEN BY ALMOST **400 MILLION PEOPLE** WORLDWIDE!

HALF OF THE POPULATION IN THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE SPEAKS SPANISH, MAKING IT THE PRIMARY LANGUAGE FOR AS MANY PEOPLE AS ENGLISH IN THIS REGION OF THE WORLD.

THE SPANISH-SPEAKING POPULATION IN THE UNITED STATES HAS SKYROCKETED IN RECENT YEARS, MAKING PROFICIENCY IN THE LANGUAGE ALL THE MORE IMPORTANT!



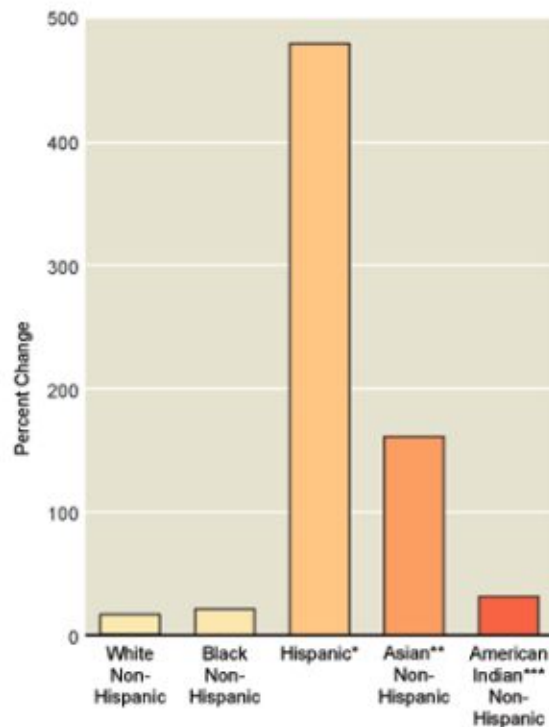
Spanish Speakers in the US



SPANISH IN NORTH CAROLINA

- AS THE GRAPH SHOWS, NORTH CAROLINA'S HISPANIC POPULATION HAS MORE THAN QUADRUPLED BETWEEN 1990 AND 2002.
- THE STATE'S 479 PERCENT GROWTH RATE FOR HISPANICS RANKED FIRST AMONG ALL THE STATES.
- NORTH CAROLINA'S TOTAL HISPANIC POPULATION MOVED FROM 28TH TO 15TH LARGEST IN THE NATION BETWEEN 1990 AND 2000.

Figure 13. Ethnic Population Growth, 1990-2002



* Hispanic includes all races.

** Asian includes Pacific Islanders.

*** American Indian includes Alaskan Natives.

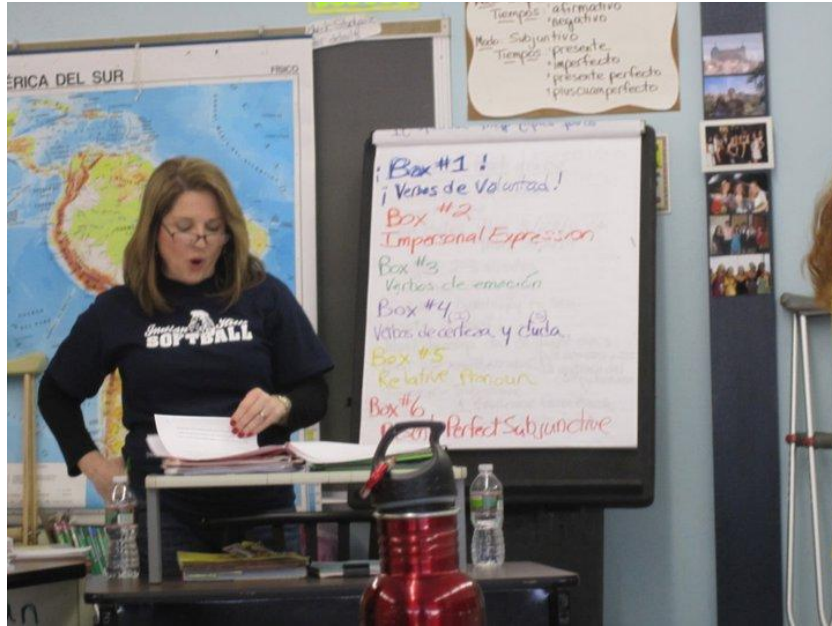
HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION AND COLLEGE ADMISSION



- CMS REQUIRES STUDENTS TO TAKE 8 ELECTIVE CREDITS. SPANISH COUNTS AS ONE OF THOSE CREDITS!
- NOT ONLY IS PROFICIENCY IN SPANISH IMPORTANT FOR GRADUATION, IT IS ALSO SIGNIFICANT FOR ADMISSION TO COLLEGES ACROSS THE UNITED STATES.
- INCREASING NUMBERS OF COLLEGES ARE REQUIRING 2 TO 4 YEARS OF FOREIGN LANGUAGE IN HIGH SCHOOL AS A PRE-REQUISITE FOR ADMISSION.
- THE FOLLOWING SCHOOLS REQUIRE THEIR APPLICANTS TO HAVE AT LEAST 2 CLASSES OF A SINGLE FOREIGN LANGUAGE:
 - UNC Chapel Hill
 - UNC Charlotte
 - North Carolina State
 - Johnson C. Smith
 - Xavier University



When I was in high school... I took Spanish for 4 years and 3 of those years were with the same teacher - Señora Wehran





JOBS AND EMPLOYMENT



- SPANISH CAN BE AN INCREDIBLY MARKETABLE SKILL AND ASSET THAT CAN GIVE YOU A **SIGNIFICANT ADVANTAGE** OVER THE COMPETITION IN OUR GLOBAL ECONOMY.
- DUE TO THE INCREASE IN THE SPANISH-SPEAKING POPULATION IN THE U.S., KNOWING BOTH ENGLISH AND SPANISH WILL CONTINUE TO BECOME MORE AND MORE VALUABLE IN THE JOB MARKET.
- INDIVIDUALS THAT ARE BILINGUAL HAVE **MORE CAREER CHOICES** AND CAN MAKE **MORE MONEY** IN THE LONG RUN.

JOBS FOR SPANISH SPEAKERS

LEARNING SPANISH CAN HELP YOU TO ACQUIRE PROMOTIONS AT YOUR JOB OR CAN PAVE THE WAY FOR YOU TO MOVE ABOVE AND BEYOND TO OTHER CAREER PATHS. JUST HAVING A REFERENCE ON YOUR RESUME THAT YOU CAN SPEAK SPANISH CAN OFTEN MEAN THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN YOUR RESUME WINDING UP IN THE TRASH OR ACQUIRING THE CRUCIAL INTERVIEW!

WHAT KINDS OF JOBS CAN YOU GET IF YOU SPEAK A SECOND LANGUAGE?

TRANSLATOR INTERPRETER
TEACHER REPORTER
TOUR GUIDE LAWYER
BUSINESSMAN DOCTOR
SOCIAL WORKER
FLIGHT ATTENDANT
.... AND MANY MORE!

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HABLA

ESPAÑOL



TRAVEL EXPERIENCES & STUDY ABROAD

- MANY COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES ACROSS THE WORLD OFFER STUDENTS THE OPPORTUNITY TO **STUDY ABROAD** – TO LIVE, TRAVEL, AND TAKE CLASSES IN A FOREIGN COUNTRY – FOR A SEMESTER OR EVEN A YEAR.
- KNOWING A SECOND LANGUAGE SUCH AS SPANISH INCREASES THE OPPORTUNITY TO IMMERSE ONESELF IN A FOREIGN LANGUAGE AND CULTURE.
- STUDYING ABROAD ALLOWS YOU TO DEEPEN YOUR UNDERSTANDING OF THE LANGUAGE WITH MORE SPEED THAN IN THE CLASSROOM, AND BROADEN YOUR LIFE PERSPECTIVE WHILE DISCOVERING AND APPRECIATING THE DIVERSITY OF CULTURE AND THE DIFFERENCES IN THE WORLD AROUND YOU.



Reflections on my study abroad experience





mi universidad

el centro comercial

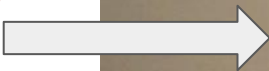


mi apartamento



mi "familia" en Costa Rica

mi amiga de
Delaware,
Megan













coffee plant!



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=64ib_AvTNgM

Based on what was said, at the top
of your sheets,

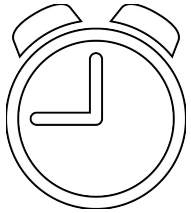
escribe **TRES** things that make
learning Spanish important to you.



Instrucciones

With a partner, on your note sheets, quietly fill in the missing countries of the world that speak Spanish. Try your best!

HINT - they go in alphabetical order!



3 minutos

Map of where Spanish is spoken in the world



*Dobla y habla
(turn and talk)*

*What is culture?
What do you know about culture?*

Definition of culture

Culture is a **system** of *beliefs, values, and assumptions* about life that **guide behavior** and are **shared** by a **group** of people. It includes **customs, language, and material artifacts**. These are transmitted from **generation to generation**, normally without instructions.

Culture has to do with values and beliefs.

Culture involves customs and traditions.

Culture is shared by a group.

Everyone has a culture.

¡Un video!

Write down 3 that you hear quotes as you watch

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m8pbmbfeoHs>



Why is culture important?

Why are we studying culture in Spanish class?

Let's explore your culture!

Instrucciones:

Silently at your desks by yourselves, fill in this worksheet on the back

Next, go around the classroom and share your culture with others.

On the bottom of your sheet, write about FIVE other people's personal cultures/facts about them.

Ejemplo: Danielle eats turkey with her family on Thanksgiving every year.

Let's share!

You may share...

- something about your own culture
- something interesting you learned about someone else
- something that really made you think

Before leaving...

You will get a folder

1. Write your **name** on the outside so it's easy to read
2. On the “**learning log**” side, write today's date, what you learned and why what you learned is important. Then, draw a line under what you wrote.
3. On the “**pasaporte**” side, in the first box, answer the following in your own words:
 - a. *It's important to study Spanish because...*
 - b. *It's important to study culture in Spanish class because...*

¡Arte! - Nuestras Banderas (pasaporte for the day)

By yourselves, at your desks, create a personal flag. This should represent who you are and what is important to you in your life.



Be sure to include:

- your full name, block number, and date on the back
- at least 3 symbols or pictures on it of things that are important to you (example: basketball, family, the beach)
- You may use your culture sheet to help you along

Don't forget to fill out your learning log!

PROPER EXIT PROCEDURE

- Make sure your desk/area is clean
- Turn in personal flag into the black bin.
- Place today's notes in your folder until you get your binder.
- Return all of Profe. Imhoff's materials that you borrowed (pencils, glue, markers, etc.)
- Return your binder/folder to its area
- You do not leave until Profe. Imhoff and the bell dismiss you