## Alignment to Oklahoma Standards for World Languages

## **Voces® Introductory Spanish ~ Chapter 1**

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This document illustrates how the first chapter in Introductory Spanish aligns to the Oklahoma Standards for World Languages. If you have any questions, call 1-800-848-0256 or email info@vocesdigital.com.

## **Chapter 1: Greetings**

**Goal 1 - Communication:** Communicate effectively in more than one language in order to function in a variety of situations and for multiple purposes

**Interpretive Communication:** Learners understand, interpret, and analyze what is heard, read, or viewed on a variety of topics.

Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
Ejemplos		Listening	Listen to simple
			introductions
Actividades	Actividad 2	Reading	I can recognize basic
			greetings vocabulary.
Actividades	Actividad 5	Reading	I can greet someone
			appropriately in formal
			and informal situations.
Actividades	Actividad 7	Reading	I can recognize the
			correct greeting in
			formal and informal
			situations.
Actividades	Actividad 9	Reading	I can respond
			appropriately to an
			introduction or basic
			greeting
Actividades	Actividad 10	Reading	I can respond
			appropriately to an
			introduction or basic
			greeting.
Interpersonal Communication: Learners interact and negotiate meaning in spoken, signed, or written			

conversations to share information, reactions, feelings, and opinions.			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
¡Vamos a charlar!		Speaking	I can introduce myself
			and ask how someone is.
Preguntas personal	les	Speaking	Listen and respond to
			simple Spanish greetings
Vocabulario	En la comunidad	Speaking	Introduce yourself to a
			native speaker in the
			community

**Presentational Communication:** Learners present information, concepts, and ideas to inform, explain, persuade, and narrate on a variety of topics using appropriate media and adapting to various audiences of listeners, readers, or viewers.

Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
Actividades	Actividad 3	Writing	I can respond to an
			introduction or basic
			greeting.
Actividades	Actividad 4	Writing	I can greet someone
			appropriately in formal
			and informal situations.
Actividades	Actividad 8	Speaking	I can respond
			appropriately to an
			introduction or basic
			greeting.

Goal 2 - Culture: Interact with Cultural Competence and Understanding.

**Relating Cultural Practices to Perspectives:** Learners use the target language to investigate, explain, and reflect on the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the cultures studied.

Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
Introducción	Los saludos	Formal and informal
		greetings
Panorama	De Chihuahua al Pacífico	Greeting someone while
		traveling
Materiales auténticos	Lengua de señas	Sign language and
		Spanish greetings
Materiales auténticos	Saludos sin contacto de manos	Different cultural
		greetings

**Goal 3 - Connections:** Connect with other disciplines and acquire information and diverse perspectives in order to use the language to function in academic and career-related situations.

**Making Connections:** Learners build, reinforce, and expand their knowledge of other disciplines while using the language to develop critical thinking and to solve problems creatively.

I	Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
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Nota cultural		Learn where Spanish is spoken
Materiales auténticos	Saludos sin contacto de manos	Different cultural greetings

**Acquiring Information and Diverse Perspectives:** Learners access and evaluate information and diverse perspectives that are available through the language and its cultures.

Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
Introducción	Los saludos	Formal and informal
		greetings
Materiales auténticos	Saludos sin contacto de manos	Different cultural
		greetings

**Goal 4 - Comparisons:** Develop insight into the nature of language and culture in order to interact with cultural competence.

**Language Comparisons:** Learners use the language to investigate, explain, and reflect on the nature of language through comparisons of the language studied and their own.

Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
Introducción	Los saludos	Formal and informal
		greetings
Panorama	De Chihuahua al Pacífico	Greeting someone while traveling

**Cultural Comparisons:** Learners use the language to investigate, explain, and reflect on the concept of the culture through comparisons of the cultures studied and their own.

Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
Introducción	Los saludos	Formal and informal
		greetings
Panorama	De Chihuahua al Pacífico	Greeting someone while traveling
Materiales auténticos	Saludos sin contacto de manos	Different cultural greetings

**Goal 5 - Communities:** Communicate and interact with cultural competence in order to participate in multilingual communities at home and around the world.

**Schools and Global Communities:** Learners use the language both within and beyond the classroom to interact and collaborate in their community and the globalized world.

Section	Title	Can-Do/Description		
Vocabulario	En la comunidad	Introduce yourself to a		
		native speaker in the		
		community.		
Lifelong Learning: Learn	Lifelong Learning: Learners set goals and reflect on their progress in using languages for enjoyment,			
enrichment, and advancement	enrichment, and advancement.			
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description		
Can-Do Goals		Setting personal		
		language goals, self-		
		assessment on Can-Do		
		statements, and unit		
		reflection		

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