Alignment to South Carolina's Standard for World Language Proficiency

Voces® Introductory Spanish ~ Chapter 1

Voces Introductory Spanish is an award-winning, highly effective Spanish curriculum for introductory-level learners. Voces Introductory Spanish will take your upper elementary or middle school students through one year of introductory-level Spanish instruction and prepare them for further Spanish classes.

This standards-based online program integrates stories, communicative tasks, and culture in a cohesive, all-in-one format accessible to students and teachers from any device.

This document illustrates how the first chapter in Introductory Spanish aligns to South Carolina's Standard for World Language Proficiency. If you have any questions, call 1-800-848-0256 or email info@vocesdigital.com.

Chapter 1: Greetings

Language Competencies

1. Interpretive Listening (IL) and Reading (IR): Learners will be able to interpret information, concepts, and ideas from a variety of culturally authentic sources 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.

2. Interpersonal Communication (IC): Learners will be able to exchange information, concepts, and ideas with a variety of speakers or readers on a variety of topics in a culturally appropriate context.

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

3. Presentational Speaking (PS) and Writing (PW): Learners will be able to present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of topics in a culturally appropriate context.

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.

Intercultural Competencies

4. Investigation of Cultural Products and Practices (CPP): Learners will be able to use their language skills to investigate the world beyond their immediate environment.

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

5. Understanding of Cultural Perspectives (CP): Learners will be able to use their language skills to recognize and understand others' ways of thinking as well as their own.

Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
Introducción	Los saludos	Formal and informal
		greetings

Materiales auténticos	Saludos sin contacto de manos	Different cultural greetings	
6. Participation in Cultural Interaction (CIA): Learners will be able to use their language skills and cultural understanding to interact in a cultural context other than 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	
Vocabulario	En la comunidad	Introduce yourself to a native speaker in the community.	

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