

Alignment to World Language Standards of Learning for Virginia Public Schools

Voces® Introductory Spanish ~ Chapter 1

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

Chapter 1: Greetings			
Interpretive Communication			
STANDARD 1: Investigate Intercultural Products, Practices and Perspectives through Interpretive Communication (Interpretive Mode)			
1.NL Recognize a few typical products and practices related to familiar, everyday life in native and other cultures.			
1.NM Identify typical products and practices related to familiar, everyday life in native and other cultures to help understand perspectives.			
1.NH Identify and compare typical products and practices related to familiar, everyday life in native and other cultures to help understand perspectives.			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Introducción</i>	<i>Los saludos</i>	Reading	Formal and informal greetings
<i>Panorama</i>	<i>De Chihuahua al Pacífico</i>	Viewing	Greeting someone while traveling
<i>Ejemplos</i>		Listening	Listen to simple introductions
<i>Actividades</i>	<i>Actividad 2</i>	Reading	I can recognize basic greetings vocabulary.
<i>Actividades</i>	<i>Actividad 5</i>	Reading	I can greet someone appropriately in formal and informal situations.
<i>Actividades</i>	<i>Actividad 7</i>	Reading	I can recognize the correct greeting in formal and informal situations.

<i>Actividades</i>	<i>Actividad 9</i>	Reading	I can respond appropriately to an introduction or basic greeting.
<i>Actividades</i>	<i>Actividad 10</i>	Reading	I can respond appropriately to an introduction or basic greeting.

STANDARD 2: Compare Intercultural Behaviors

2.NL Recognize a few very simple behaviors in other cultures.

2.NM Identify familiar or everyday behaviors in other cultures.

2.NH Identify and compare familiar or everyday behaviors in native and other cultures.

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<i>Actividades</i>	<i>Actividad 10</i>	Reading	I can respond appropriately to an introduction or basic greeting.

STANDARD 3: Comprehend Authentic Texts that are Spoken, Written, or Signed

3.NL Understand a few familiar words or phrases in authentic informational texts; authentic fictional texts; and overheard or observed conversations.

3.NM Understand very basic information in authentic informational texts; authentic fictional texts; and overheard or observed conversations.

3.NH Understand the topic and some isolated facts in authentic informational texts; authentic fictional

texts; and overheard or observed conversations.			
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<i>Materiales auténticos</i>	<i>Lengua de señas</i>	Listening	Sign language and Spanish greetings
<i>Materiales auténticos</i>	<i>Saludos sin contacto de manos</i>	Reading	Different cultural greetings
Interpersonal Communication			
STANDARD 4: Investigate Intercultural Products, Practices and Perspectives (Interpersonal Mode)			
4.NL Identify a few typical products and practices related to familiar, everyday life in native and other cultures.			
4.NM Identify typical products and practices related to familiar, everyday life to help understand perspectives of native and other cultures.			
4.NH Identify products and practices related to everyday life to help understand perspectives of native and other cultures.			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>¡Vamos a charlar!</i>		Speaking	I can introduce myself and ask how someone is.
<i>Preguntas personales</i>		Speaking	Listen and respond to simple Spanish greetings
<i>En la comunidad</i>		Speaking	Introduce yourself to a native speaker in the community
STANDARD 5: Interact with Culturally Appropriate Language and Behaviors (Interpersonal Mode)			
5.NL Interact in very familiar situations using practiced language and behaviors and show cultural awareness by recognizing a few culturally inappropriate behaviors.			
5.NM Interact in very familiar situations using practiced language and behaviors and show cultural awareness by recognizing culturally inappropriate behaviors.			
5.NH Interact in familiar, everyday situations using practiced language and behaviors and show cultural awareness by recognizing culturally inappropriate behaviors			
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<i>¡Vamos a charlar!</i>		Speaking	I can introduce myself and ask how someone is.
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STANDARD 6: Exchange Information and Ideas

6.NL Provide basic oral or signed information on very familiar topics.

6.NM Request and share simple oral or signed information on familiar or everyday topics.

6.NH Request and share oral or signed information on familiar and everyday topics.

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	<i>En la comunidad</i>	Speaking	Introduce yourself to a native speaker in the community.

STANDARD 7: Meet Personal Needs or Address Situations

7.NL Express a few basic personal needs in very familiar situations.

7.NM Express basic needs in familiar or everyday situations.

7.NH Interact with others to meet basic needs in familiar and everyday situations.

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STANDARD 8: Express, React to and Support Preferences, Opinions, or Viewpoints

8.NL Express a few basic preferences or feelings.

8.NM Express basic preferences or feelings and react to those of others.

8.NH Express, ask about, and react to simple preferences, feelings, or opinions on familiar topics.

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Presentational Communication

STANDARD 9: Investigate Intercultural Products, Practices and Perspectives (Presentational Mode)

9.NL Identify a few typical products and practices related to familiar, everyday life in native and other cultures.

9.NM Identify typical products and practices related to familiar, everyday life to help understand perspectives of native and other cultures.

9.NH Identify similarities and differences between typical products and practices related to everyday life to help understand perspectives of native and other cultures.

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<i>Actividades</i>	<i>Actividad 3</i>	Writing	I can respond to an introduction or basic greeting.
<i>Actividades</i>	<i>Actividad 4</i>	Writing	I can greet someone appropriately in formal and informal situations.
<i>Actividades</i>	<i>Actividad 8</i>	Speaking	I can respond appropriately to an introduction or basic greeting.

STANDARD 10: Communicate with Culturally Appropriate Language and Behaviors (Presentational Mode)

10.NL Present in very familiar intercultural situations using memorized or practiced language and behaviors.

10.NM Present in very familiar intercultural situations using practiced or learned language and behaviors.

10.NH Present in very familiar situations using appropriate learned behaviors to show basic cultural awareness.

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STANDARD 11: Inform, Describe, Explain, or Provide Instructions

11.NL Name very familiar people, places, and objects.

11.NM Give simple information about very familiar topics.

11.NH Give simple descriptions of familiar and everyday topics.

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STANDARD 12: Narrate About Life, Events, or Experiences

12.NL Provide very basic details about self.

12.NM Provide simple details about self, interests, and activities.

12.NH Provide details about personal life, interests, and activities.

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STANDARD 13: Support Preferences, Opinions, or Viewpoints

13.NL Express likes and dislikes about very familiar topics from native and other cultures.

13.NM Express likes and dislikes about familiar topics from native and other cultures.

13.NH Express preferences on familiar and everyday topics or topics of interest from native and other cultures.

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COMMUNICATIVE LITERACY

STANDARD 14: Develop Interpretive Literacy

14.1 Infer Meaning and Nuances of Texts

14.2 Recognize and Use Organizational Features of Texts

14.3 Apply Self-Questioning Skills

14.4 Make Text Connections

14.5 Select, Use and Cite Resources

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<i>Materiales auténticos</i>	<i>Saludos sin contacto de manos</i>	Reading	Different cultural greetings
STANDARD 15: Develop Interpersonal Literacy 15.1 Communicate, React, and Show Interest 15.2 Continue and Extend Conversations 15.3 Increase Comprehensibility and Clarity of Expression 15.4 Infer Meaning of Unfamiliar Language 15.5 Select, Use and Cite Resources			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Preguntas personales</i>		Speaking	Listen and respond to simple Spanish greetings
STANDARD 16: Develop Presentational Literacy 16.1 Choose Relevant, Authentic Content and Concepts 16.2 Organize Information 16.3 Increase Comprehensibility and Clarity of Expression 16.4 Maintain and Increase Audience Interest 16.5 Select, Use and Cite Resources			
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