

Alignment to World Language Standards of Learning for Virginia Public Schools

Voces® *Nuestra historia* Level 1 Digital Courseware ~ Unit 1

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This document illustrates how the first unit in Level 1 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.

Unidad 1: Mi vida escolar			
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>Historia larga 1: La muchacha fantástica</i>	Interpretive Reading: <i>Útiles escolares</i>	Reading	I can read a list of school supplies.
<i>Historieta 4: Una escuela nueva</i>	Interpretive Reading: <i>Sistema Educativo Nacional</i>	Reading	I can recognize dates and days of the week.
<i>Historia larga 2: Los maestros en México</i>	<i>Actividad 2: Opción múltiple</i>	Reading	I can read a story about school in Mexico.
<i>Historia larga 2: Los maestros en México</i>	<i>Actividad 3: Contesta las preguntas</i>	Reading	I can understand what happened in a story about school in Mexico.
<i>Historia larga 2: Los maestros en México</i>	Interpretive Reading: <i>3er Grado</i>	Reading	I can identify classes and understand days of the week in a class schedule.
<i>Historia larga 2: Los maestros en México</i>	<i>Los maestros en México</i>	Reading	Structure of school in Mexico

<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Artículos: Escuela en Guatemala</i>	Reading	Building a school in Guatemala
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Artículos: Huérfanos en LA</i>	Reading	Guatemalan teens crossing U.S. border
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Artículos: Hijos de Estados Unidos en escuelas de mexicanos</i>	Reading	U.S. students' lives after parents' deportation to Mexico
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Panoramas: Chichicastenango</i>	Viewing	Chichicastenango Market in Guatemala
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Panoramas: Una clase en México</i>	Viewing	Rural classroom in Mexico
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Notas culturales: Las lenguas de Guatemala</i>	Reading	I can compare languages I learn with languages Guatemalans learn.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Artículos: Escuela de la CDMX</i>	Reading	I can compare my school with a school in Mexico.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Intercultural Competencies		I can recognize some similarities and differences between school in Mexico and school in the United States.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpretive Reading 1	Reading	I can identify classes and instructors in a class schedule.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpretive Reading 2	Reading	I can read a list of classroom supplies.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpretive Listening	Listening	I can understand a commercial about school supplies.
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.			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Historia larga 1: La muchacha fantástica</i>	<i>Actividad 1: ¿Muchacho o muchacha?</i>	Reading	I can read a story about a boy and a girl in class.
<i>Historia larga 1: La muchacha fantástica</i>	<i>Actividad 3: Opción múltiple</i>	Reading	I can understand events in a story about a boy and a girl in class.
<i>Historia larga 3: Pedro el estudiante</i>	<i>Actividad 1: ¿Cierto o falso?</i>	Reading	I can read a story about a student.
<i>Historia larga 3: Pedro el estudiante</i>	<i>Actividad 3: Ordena la historia</i>	Reading	I can understand the order of events in a story about a student.

<i>Historia larga 4: Un maestro no normal</i>	<i>Actividad 1: ¿Cierto o falso?</i>	Reading	I can read a story about a teacher.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Notas culturales: Las escuelas en México</i>		I can understand the differences between my school and a school in Mexico.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Notas culturales: En sus marcas, listos, ¡fuera! Corredores Tarahumara</i>		The art of running for the Tarahumara people
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Artículos: Pandillas en Guatemala</i>	Reading	I can read an article on a current event about students in Guatemala.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Panoramas: Una clase en México</i>	Viewing	Rural classroom in Mexico
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Notas culturales: Las lenguas de Guatemala</i>	Reading	I can compare languages I learn with languages Guatemalans learn.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Artículos: Escuela de la CDMX</i>	Reading	I can compare my school with a school in Mexico.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevistas: Tania</i>	Listening	I can understand some of what a person says about where they live.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevistas: Wendy</i>	Listening	I can understand some of what a person says about themselves and where they live.

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>Historia larga 1: La muchacha fantástica</i>	Interpretive Reading: <i>Útiles escolares</i>	Reading	I can read a list of school supplies.
<i>Historieta 4: Una escuela nueva</i>	Interpretive Reading: <i>Sistema Educativo Nacional</i>	Reading	I can recognize dates and days of the week.
<i>Historia larga 2: Los maestros en México</i>	Interpretive Reading: <i>3er Grado</i>	Reading	I can identify classes and understand days of the week in a class schedule.

<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Artículos: Pandillas en Guatemala</i>	Reading	I can read an article on a current event about students in Guatemala.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevistas: Tania</i>	Listening	I can understand some of what a person says about where they live.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevistas: Wendy</i>	Listening	I can understand some of what a person says about themselves and where they live.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpretive Reading 1	Reading	I can identify classes and instructors in a class schedule.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpretive Reading 2	Reading	I can read a list of classroom supplies.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpretive Listening	Listening	I can understand a commercial about school supplies.

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>Historia larga 4: Un maestro no normal</i>	Interpersonal Speaking: <i>Compras de material escolar</i>	Speaking	I can talk about what I need for class.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>El mundo en fotos: Benito Juárez</i>	Speaking	I can talk about my school.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>El mundo en fotos: Amigas de Guatemala</i>	Speaking	I can talk about my friends and what I wear.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevistas: Tania</i>	Writing	I can write a short note about where I live.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Notas culturales: Las escuelas en México</i>		I can understand the differences between my school and a school in Mexico.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Notas culturales: En sus marcas, listos, ¡fuera! Corredores Tarahumara</i>		The art of running for the Tarahumara people
<i>México y Guatemala</i>	<i>Descubre México y Guatemala</i>	Speaking	I can talk about places, celebrations, and customs in other countries.

Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpersonal Speaking	Speaking	I can talk about which school supplies I need for what classes on what days.
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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

Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Historia larga 4: Un maestro no normal</i>	Interpersonal Speaking: <i>Compras de material escolar</i>	Speaking	I can talk about what I need for class.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>El mundo en fotos: Benito Juárez</i>	Speaking	I can talk about my school.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>El mundo en fotos: Amigas de Guatemala</i>	Speaking	I can talk about my friends and what I wear.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevistas: Tania</i>	Writing	I can write a short note about where I live.
<i>México y Guatemala</i>	<i>Descubre México y Guatemala</i>	Speaking	I can talk about places, celebrations, and customs in other countries.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpersonal Speaking	Speaking	I can talk about which school supplies I need for what classes on what days.

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.

Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Historia larga 4: Un maestro no normal</i>	Interpersonal Speaking: <i>Compras de material escolar</i>	Speaking	I can talk about what I need for class.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>El mundo en fotos: Benito Juárez</i>	Speaking	I can talk about my school.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>El mundo en fotos: Amigas de Guatemala</i>	Speaking	I can talk about my friends and what I wear.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevistas: Tania</i>	Writing	I can write a short note about where I live.
<i>México y Guatemala</i>	<i>Descubre México y Guatemala</i>	Speaking	I can talk about places, celebrations, and customs in other countries.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpersonal Speaking	Speaking	I can talk about which school supplies I need for what classes

			on what days.
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.			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Historia larga 4: Un maestro no normal</i>	Interpersonal Speaking: <i>Compras de material escolar</i>	Speaking	I can talk about what I need for class.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>El mundo en fotos: Benito Juárez</i>	Speaking	I can talk about my school.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>El mundo en fotos: Amigas de Guatemala</i>	Speaking	I can talk about my friends and what I wear.
<i>México y Guatemala</i>	<i>Descubre México y Guatemala</i>	Speaking	I can talk about places, celebrations, and customs in other countries.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpersonal Speaking	Speaking	I can talk about which school supplies I need for what classes on what days.
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.			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Historia larga 4: Un maestro no normal</i>	Interpersonal Speaking: <i>Compras de material escolar</i>	Speaking	I can talk about what I need for class.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>El mundo en fotos: Benito Juárez</i>	Speaking	I can talk about my school.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>El mundo en fotos: Amigas de Guatemala</i>	Speaking	I can talk about my friends and what I wear.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevistas: Tania</i>	Writing	I can write a short note about where I live.
<i>México y Guatemala</i>	<i>Descubre México y Guatemala</i>	Speaking	I can talk about places, celebrations, and customs in other countries.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpersonal Speaking	Speaking	I can talk about which school supplies I need for what classes on what days.
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.

Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Historieta 4: Una escuela nueva</i>	Presentational Speaking: <i>Primer día de clases</i>	Speaking	I can say hello to my teacher and introduce myself.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevistas: ¿Y tú? ¿Quién eres?</i>	Speaking	I can give information about myself, like my name, how old I am, and where I live.
End-of-Unit Review and Assessment	<i>¡Mi historia original!</i>	Writing	I can write an original story.
End-of-Unit Review and Assessment	<i>Cuéntanos una historia original</i>	Speaking	I can tell an original story.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Presentational Speaking	Speaking	I can describe my class schedule, including what classes I have and what supplies I need for each class.

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.

Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Historieta 4: Una escuela nueva</i>	Presentational Speaking: <i>Primer día de clases</i>	Speaking	I can say hello to my teacher and introduce myself.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevistas: ¿Y tú? ¿Quién eres?</i>	Speaking	I can give information about myself, like my name, how old I am, and where I live.
End-of-Unit Review and Assessment	<i>¡Mi historia original!</i>	Writing	I can write an original story.
End-of-Unit Review and Assessment	<i>Cuéntanos una historia original</i>	Speaking	I can tell an original story.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Presentational Speaking	Speaking	I can describe my class schedule, including what classes I have and what supplies I need for each class.

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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<i>Historieta 4: Una escuela nueva</i>	Presentational Speaking: <i>Primer día de clases</i>	Speaking	I can say hello to my teacher and introduce myself.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevistas: ¿Y tú? ¿Quién eres?</i>	Speaking	I can give information about myself, like my name, how old I am, and where I live.
End-of-Unit Review and Assessment	<i>¡Mi historia original!</i>	Writing	I can write an original story.
End-of-Unit Review and Assessment	<i>Cuéntanos una historia original</i>	Speaking	I can tell an original story.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Presentational Speaking	Speaking	I can describe my class schedule, including what classes I have and what supplies I need for each class.

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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<i>Historieta 4: Una escuela nueva</i>	Presentational Speaking: <i>Primer día de clases</i>	Speaking	I can say hello to my teacher and introduce myself.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevistas: ¿Y tú? ¿Quién eres?</i>	Speaking	I can give information about myself, like my name, how old I am, and where I live.
End-of-Unit Review and Assessment	<i>¡Mi historia original!</i>	Writing	I can write an original story.
End-of-Unit Review and Assessment	<i>Cuéntanos una historia original</i>	Speaking	I can tell an original story.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Presentational Speaking	Speaking	I can describe my class schedule, including what classes I have and what supplies I need for each class.

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.

Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Historieta 4: Una escuela nueva</i>	Presentational Speaking: <i>Primer día de clases</i>	Speaking	I can say hello to my teacher and introduce myself.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevistas: ¿Y tú? ¿Quién eres?</i>	Speaking	I can give information about myself, like my name, how old I am, and where I live.
End-of-Unit Review and Assessment	<i>¡Mi historia original!</i>	Writing	I can write an original story.
End-of-Unit Review and Assessment	<i>Cuéntanos una historia original</i>	Speaking	I can tell an original story.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Presentational Speaking	Speaking	I can describe my class schedule, including what classes I have and what supplies I need for each class.

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

Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>Historia larga 1: La muchacha fantástica</i>	<i>Actividad 1: ¿Muchacho o muchacha?</i>	Reading	I can read a story about a boy and a girl in class.
<i>Historia larga 1: La muchacha fantástica</i>	<i>Actividad 3: Opción múltiple</i>	Reading	I can understand events in a story about a boy and a girl in class.
<i>Historia larga 1: La muchacha fantástica</i>	Interpretive Reading: <i>Útiles escolares</i>	Reading	I can read a list of school supplies.
<i>Historieta 4: Una escuela nueva</i>	Interpretive Reading: <i>Sistema Educativo Nacional</i>	Reading	I can recognize dates and days of the week.
<i>Historia larga 2: Los maestros en México</i>	<i>Actividad 2: Opción múltiple</i>	Reading	I can read a story about school in Mexico.

<i>Historia larga 2: Los maestros en México</i>	<i>Actividad 3: Contesta las preguntas</i>	Reading	I can understand what happened in a story about school in Mexico.
<i>Historia larga 2: Los maestros en México</i>	Interpretive Reading: 3er Grado	Reading	I can identify classes and understand days of the week in a class schedule.
<i>Historia larga 3: Pedro el estudiante</i>	<i>Actividad 1: ¿Cierto o falso?</i>	Reading	I can read a story about a student.
<i>Historia larga 3: Pedro el estudiante</i>	<i>Actividad 3: Ordena la historia</i>	Reading	I can understand the order of events in a story about a student.
<i>Historia larga 4: Un maestro no normal</i>	<i>Actividad 1: ¿Cierto o falso?</i>	Reading	I can read a story about a teacher.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Artículos: Pandillas en Guatemala</i>	Reading	I can read an article on a current event about students in Guatemala.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevistas: Tania</i>	Listening	I can understand some of what a person says about where they live.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevistas: Wendy</i>	Listening	I can understand some of what a person says about themselves and where they live.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpretive Reading 1	Reading	I can identify classes and instructors in a class schedule.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpretive Reading 2	Reading	I can read a list of classroom supplies.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpretive Listening	Listening	I can understand a commercial about school supplies.

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>Historia larga 4: Un maestro no normal</i>	Interpersonal Speaking: <i>Compras de material escolar</i>	Speaking	I can talk about what I need for class.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>El mundo en fotos: Benito Juárez</i>	Speaking	I can talk about my school.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>El mundo en fotos: Amigas de Guatemala</i>	Speaking	I can talk about my friends and what I wear.

<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevistas: Tania</i>	Writing	I can write a short note about where I live.
<i>México y Guatemala</i>	<i>Descubre México y Guatemala</i>	Speaking	I can talk about places, celebrations, and customs in other countries.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpersonal Speaking	Speaking	I can talk about which school supplies I need for what classes on what days.

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

Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevistas: ¿Y tú? ¿Quién eres?</i>	Speaking	I can give information about myself, like my name, how old I am, and where I live.
End-of-Unit Review and Assessment	<i>¡Mi historia original!</i>	Writing	I can write an original story.
End-of-Unit Review and Assessment	<i>Cuéntanos una historia original</i>	Speaking	I can tell an original story.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Presentational Speaking	Speaking	I can describe my class schedule, including what classes I have and what supplies I need for each class.

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