

Alignment to Arizona's World and Native Languages Standards

Voces® *Nuestra historia* Level 4 Digital Courseware ~ Unit 1

***Nuestra historia* Level 4** is an interactive Spanish Comprehensible Input (CI) curriculum with proficiency-based materials for intermediate-level learners. Level 4 will take your middle or high school students from an Intermediate-mid level of proficiency to an Intermediate-high level of proficiency and beyond.

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.

Please explore the chart below to learn how Unit 1 in Level 4 aligns to Arizona's World and Native Languages Standards. If you have any questions, call 1-800-848-0256 or email info@vocesdigital.com.

<i>Unidad 1: ¿Qué crees?</i>			
Communication			
Interpersonal (IC): Learners interact and negotiate meaning in spoken, written, or signed conversations to share information, reactions, feelings, and opinions.			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do
<i>Historieta 1: El Graffitiour de la Comuna 13</i>	<i>Actividad 2: Este o el otro</i>	Writing	I can exchange emails about my and others' personal beliefs.
<i>Historieta 3: Un encuentro inesperado</i>	<i>Actividad 3: Habla con Carolina</i>	Speaking	I can have a conversation with someone I just met.
<i>Historieta 3: Un encuentro inesperado</i>	Interpersonal Writing: <i>Un encuentro inesperado</i>	Writing	I can write about an important community figure.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpersonal Writing	Writing	I can exchange emails about belief and identity.
Interpretive (IL & IR): Learners understand, interpret, and analyze what is heard, read, or viewed on a variety of topics.			
Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do
<i>Historieta 1: El Graffitiour de la Comuna 13</i>	<i>Actividad 2: Este o el otro</i>	Reading	I can read a story about neighborhood transformation.
<i>Historieta 1: El Graffitiour de la Comuna 13</i>	<i>Actividad 2: Este o el otro</i>	Listening	I can understand and answer spoken questions about a story I have read.
<i>Historieta 1: El Graffitiour de la Comuna 13</i>	<i>Actividad 3: Subtítulos</i>	Reading	I can select appropriate captions for pictures.
<i>Historieta 1: El Graffitiour de la Comuna 13</i>	Interpretive Listening: <i>Comuna 13 Graffiti Tour de Medellín</i>	Listening	I can understand a video about a city in Colombia.

<i>Historieta 2: Joselito</i>	Interpretive Reading: <i>El milagro de Joselito</i>	Reading	I can read an article about a family and its experiences.
<i>Historieta 3: Un encuentro inesperado</i>	Interpretive Reading: <i>Miss Rizos</i>	Reading	I can read an article about a cultural figure.
<i>Historia larga: La guayabera</i>	<i>Actividad 1: La mejor descripción</i>	Reading	I can read a story about cultural identity.

<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Artículos: La santería: ¿religión, cultura o identidad?</i>	Reading	I can read an article.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Biografía: Actividad 1: Orden cronológico</i>	Reading	I can read a biography.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	Dreaming Spanish with Pablo: <i>El País Vasco</i>	Listening	I can understand a video about the history and culture of a region in Spain.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpretive Reading Task	Reading	I can understand a text about belief and identity.
Presentational (PS & PW): 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
<i>Historieta 1: El Graffitiour de la Comuna 13</i>	<i>Nuestra historia - escritura</i>	Writing	Retell the class story
<i>Historieta 1: El Graffitiour de la Comuna 13</i>	<i>Nuestra historia - oral</i>	Speaking	Retell the class story
<i>Historieta 2: Joselito</i>	<i>Actividad 3: Una carta a la madre de Joselito</i>	Writing	I can write a personal letter.
<i>Historieta 2: Joselito</i>	Presentational Speaking: <i>El milagro de Joselito</i>	Speaking	I can prepare and give a speech for a debate.
<i>Historieta 2: Joselito</i>	<i>Nuestra historia - escritura</i>	Writing	Retell the class story
<i>Historieta 2: Joselito</i>	<i>Nuestra historia - oral</i>	Speaking	Retell the class story
<i>Historieta 3: Un encuentro inesperado</i>	<i>Nuestra historia - escritura</i>	Writing	Retell the class story
<i>Historieta 3: Un encuentro inesperado</i>	<i>Nuestra historia - oral</i>	Speaking	Retell the class story
<i>Historia larga: La guayabera</i>	Presentational Speaking: <i>La identidad es una cosa compleja</i>	Speaking	I can talk about public and private identities.
<i>Historia larga: La guayabera</i>	<i>Actividad 3: Presentación</i>	Speaking	I can talk about cultural identity.
<i>Historia larga: La guayabera</i>	<i>Actividad 4: Cuéntame la historia</i>	Writing	I can retell a story.

<i>Revisión y evaluación</i>	<i>Cuéntanos una historia original</i>	Speaking	I can tell an original story.
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<i>Revisión y evaluación</i>	<i>¡Mi historia original!</i>	Writing	I can write an original story.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Presentational Speaking Task	Speaking	I can talk about people's beliefs and identities, and explain how our identities are shaped by those beliefs.
Culture (CUL) : Learners use the target language to investigate, explain, and reflect on the relationship between the practices, products, and perspectives of cultures studied.			
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description	
<i>Historieta 2: Joselito</i>	<i>Joselito</i>	A boy takes his place in religious and political upheaval in 1920s Mexico.	
<i>Historieta 2: Joselito</i>	<i>Versión alternativa: El milagro de Joselito</i>	A Mexican woman's Catholic faith is depicted as she pursues a miracle by a martyr.	
<i>Historieta 3: Un encuentro inesperado</i>	<i>Un encuentro inesperado</i>	A young woman changes her mind about how to present her curly hair	
<i>Historieta 3: Un encuentro inesperado</i>	<i>Versión alternativa: Todos pueden cambiar</i>	A middle-aged woman supports her daughter's decision about styling her hair, and follows suit herself.	
<i>Historieta 3: Un encuentro inesperado</i>	Interpretive Reading: <i>Miss Rizos</i>	I can read an article about a cultural figure.	
<i>Historia larga: La guayabera</i>	<i>Historia larga: La guayabera</i>	A reading about the traditional shirt worn in Cuba	
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Panorama: Un funeral en Chichicastenango, Guatemala</i>	I can make comparisons between cultural products and practices to help understand perspectives using a variety of complex sentences connected with transitions.	

<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	PechaKucha: <i>Artefactos y rituales en la religión</i>	Religious artefacts and practices in Chile
Connections (CON) : Learners build, reinforce, and expand knowledge of other content areas and evaluate information and diverse perspectives while using the target language to develop crucial thinking and creative problem solving.		
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<i>Historieta 2: Joselito</i>	<i>Joselito</i>	A boy takes his place in religious and political upheaval in 1920s Mexico.
<i>Historieta 2: Joselito</i>	<i>Versión alternativa: El milagro de Joselito</i>	A Mexican woman's Catholic faith is depicted as she pursues a miracle by a martyr.
<i>Historia larga: La guayabera</i>	<i>Actividad 1: La mejor descripción</i>	I can read a story about cultural identity.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Biografía: Bartolomé de las Casas</i>	A reading about a historical figure that fought for the rights of the indigenous
		populations in the Americas
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevista: Comprensión</i>	I can understand a video about someone's cultural identity.
Comparisons (COMP) : Learners use the language to investigate, explain, and reflect on the nature of language and the concept of culture through comparisons of the target language and cultures studied to one's own.		
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
<i>Historieta 1: El Graffitiour de la Comuna 13</i>	<i>Nota de gramática</i>	Review of All the Tenses
<i>Historieta 2: Joselito</i>	<i>Nota de gramática</i>	Subjunctive vs. Indicative with Impersonal Expressions
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	Dreaming Spanish with Pablo: <i>Machu Picchu</i>	I can understand a video about an ancient culture.
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	Dreaming Spanish with Pablo: <i>El País Vasco</i>	I can understand a video about the history and culture of a region in Spain.

<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!</i>	<i>Entrevista: Comparación cultural</i>	I can compare and contrast Venezuelan cultural identity with the cultural identity of my country, region, and/or people.
Communities (COM): Learners use the target language to participate in the community and in the globalized world, for enjoyment, enrichment, and advancement.		
Title		Can-Do/Description
<i>¡Extra! ¡Extra!: Entrevista: Comparación cultural</i>		Identifying symbols of local and national identity
Can-Do Checklist		Setting personal language goals, self-assessment on Can-Do statements, and unit reflection
Integrated Performance Assessment	Can-Do Self-Assessment	Self-assessment on IPA Can-Do statements