Alignment to the Iowa World Language Competencies Voces® Nuestra historia: Puentes

Nuestra historia: Puentes is an interactive Spanish Comprehensible Input (CI) curriculum with proficiency-based materials for novice-level learners. *Puentes* will take your middle or high school students who have no prior experience in Spanish from Novice-Low through Novice-Mid/High levels of proficiency. This standards-based, online program integrates communication and culture in a cohesive, all-in-one format accessible to students and teachers from any device.

This document illustrates how unit one in *Puentes* aligns to the Iowa World Language Competencies. If you have any questions, call 1-800-848-0256 or email info@vocesdigital.com.

Unidad 1: Los saludos y las emociones

IPL. Interpersonal Communication: Express self and negotiate meaning in the target language by appropriately engaging in unrehearsed conversations and/or correspondence to actively participate in social interactions (face-to-face or electronically) as a global citizen.

Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
Historieta 3: Erika quiere practicar el español	Interpersonal Speaking: Una amiga nueva	Speaking	I can describe how I am feeling and ask about others' feelings.
¡Extra! ¡Extra!	Entrevistas: ¿Cómo te llamas y de dónde eres?	Speaking	Introduce yourself to your classmates
¡Extra! ¡Extra!	Entrevistas: ¿Qué te gusta jugar con los amigos?	Speaking	Have simple conversations with your classmates about the sports you like to play
¡Extra! ¡Extra!	Entrevistas: ¿Qué música te gusta escuchar?	Speaking	Have simple conversations with your classmates about the music you like
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpersonal Speaking	Speaking	I can interact with people that I am meeting for the first time. I can identify social practices such as greetings, introductions, leave-taking, and thanking people.

ITV. Interpretive Communication: Interpret authentic written/spoken/signed language by applying appropriate comprehension strategies to extract meaning and use information for personal and/or community enrichment.

Historieta 1: Un regalo perfecto	Actividad 1: Empareja	Reading	I can understand familiar statements from simple sentences in a story.
Historieta 2: El cacerolazo	Actividad 1: Completa la frase	Reading	Determine the appropriate sentence ending
Historia larga 1: La cacerola nueva	Actividad 1: ¡A dibujar!	Reading	I can represent the sequence of events from a story I've read.
Historieta 3: Erika quiere practicar el español	Actividad 2: Empareja	Reading	I can identify some basic facts from familiar words and phrases when they are supported by visuals in a story.
Historieta 3: Erika quiere practicar el español	Interpretive Reading: ¡Bienvenidos!	Reading	I can understand information presented on a sign.
Historieta 4: Héctor no quiere bailar	Actividad 2: ¿Primero o segundo?	Reading	I can recognize some events from a story timeline.
¡Extra! ¡Extra!	Entrevistas: ¿Cómo te llamas y de dónde eres?	Listening	Listen to students introduce themselves
¡Extra! ¡Extra!	Entrevistas: ¿Qué te gusta jugar con los amigos?	Listening	Listen to students talk about their interests
¡Extra! ¡Extra!	Entrevistas: ¿Qué música te gusta escuchar?	Listening	Listen to students talk about their music preferences
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpretive Reading	Reading	I can interpret an advertisement about Costa Rican food items. I can describe items of cultural significance in a Spanish-speaking country.

PRE. Presentational Communication: Present information, concepts, and ideas in the target language through appropriately prepared oral and written discourse to inform, persuade, and narrate on a variety of topics to a diverse audience.

Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
Historieta 2: El	Actividad 3: Describe la escena	Writing	Write a sentence to
cacerolazo			describe the picture
Historia larga 2: El	Actividad 2: Secuencia	Writing	I can write the sequence
regalo mágico			of events from a story
			about travel.
Historia larga 2: El	Presentational Writing: El	Writing	I can present
regalo mágico	estudiante nuevo		information about a
			new student.

Integrated Performance Assessment	Presentational Writing	Writing	I can write a variety of simple messages in a
			social media post.
			I can write sentences
			expressing emotions.

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