Alignment to South Dakota's World Language Standards Voces® *Nuestra historia: Puentes~* Unit 1

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 South Dakota's World Language Standards. If you have any questions, call 1-800-848-0256 or email info@vocesdigital.com.

Unidad 1: Los saludos y las emociones

- 1. Communication: Communicate effectively in more than one language for various purposes in multiple contexts.
- **1.1 Interpersonal Communication:** Share and infer information, reactions, feelings, and opinions in spoken, signed, or written conversation.

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.

1.2 Interpretive Communication: Understand, interpret, and analyze what is viewed, heard, or read on a variety of topics.

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Historieta 1: Un regalo	Actividad 1: Empareja	Reading	I can understand
perfecto			familiar statements from
			simple sentences in a
Historieta 2: El	Actividad 1: Complete la france	Reading	story. Determine the
cacerolazo	Actividad 1: Completa la frase	Reading	appropriate sentence
caceroia20			ending
Historia larga 1: La	Actividad 1: ¡A dibujar!	Reading	I can represent the
cacerola nueva			sequence of events from
			a story I've read.
Historieta 3: Erika	Actividad 2: Empareja	Reading	I can identify some
quiere practicar el			basic facts from familiar
español			words and phrases when
			they are supported by
			visuals in a story.
Historieta 3: Erika	Interpretive	Reading	I can understand
quiere practicar el	Reading: ¡Bienvenidos!		information presented
español			on a sign.
Historieta 4: Héctor no	Actividad 2: ¿Primero o	Reading	I can recognize some
quiere bailar	segundo?		events from a story
			timeline.
¡Extra! ¡Extra!	Entrevistas: ¿Cómo te llamas y	Listening	Listen to students
	de dónde eres?		introduce themselves
¡Extra! ¡Extra!	Entrevistas: ¿Qué te gusta jugar	Listening	Listen to students talk
	con los amigos?		about their interests
¡Extra! ¡Extra!	Entrevistas: ¿Qué música te	Listening	Listen to students talk
	gusta escuchar?		about their music
			preferences
Integrated Performance	Interpretive Reading	Reading	I can interpret an
Assessment			advertisement about
			Costa Rican food items.
			I can describe items of
			cultural significance in a
			Spanish-speaking
			country.
	1.3 Presentational Communication: Present information, concepts, ideas, and opinions to different		
	inform, persuade, explain, and narra		
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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: <i>El</i>	Writing	I can present
regalo mágico	estudiante nuevo		information about a
			new student.
Integrated Performance	Presentational Writing	Writing	I can write a variety of

Assessment		simple messages in a social media post.
		I can write sentences
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our world.	act with respect and cultural compet	tence in search of understanding
	n Relation to Cultural Perspectives: Use	
	onship between the <u>practices</u> , customs, an	
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Costa Rica y Chile	¡Visitemos Costa Rica!	Learn about Costa Rica and its culture
Costa Rica y Chile	¡Visitemos Chile!	Learn about Chile and its culture
Historieta 1: Un regalo perfecto	Cultura breve: La hora tica	I can interpret how people in other cultures think about time.
Historieta 3: Erika quiere practicar el español	Cultura breve: Tamarindo	I can identify places of interest and how they affect a country's tourism industry.
Historieta 4: Héctor no quiere bailar	Cultura breve: La cueca	I can describe the cultural importance of a traditional dance.
Cultura	¡Habla como un tico!	I can explain how Costa Rican speech differs from that of other Latin American countries.
Cultura	¡Pura Vida!	I can explain the importance of the phrase "¡Pura vida!" in the Costa Rican lifestyle.
¡Extra! ¡Extra!	El mundo en fotos: Bailes tradicionales	I can talk about dancing. I can identify a traditional dance and understand basic elements of the dance.
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Cultura	Condorito	I can identify a popular comic book series and describe its

popularity.

Cultura	Lección cultural: El cacerolazo	I can describe a <i>cacerolazo</i> and
	Comprensión	tell its international importance.
3. Connections: (Connect with otherdisciplines and acqu	ire information and diverse
perspectives th	rough language.	
3.1 Connections Across	Disciplines: Acquire, expand, and reinforce	knowledge of other disciplines
	develop critical thinking, creativity, collaboration	
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
Historieta 2: El	Cultura breve: Paseo Bandera	I can identify a landmark and its
cacerolazo		significance to people.
Historieta 3: Erika	Cultura breve: Tamarindo	I can identify places of interest
quiere practicar el		and how they affect a country's
español Historieta 4: Héctor no	Cultura breve: La cueca	tourism industry. I can describe the cultural
Historieta 4: Hector no quiere bailar	Cultura breve: La cueca	importance of a traditional dance.
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		and understand basic elements of
		the dance.
3.2 Acquisition of Infor	mation and Diverse Perspectives: Acquire,	evaluate, and reflect on
	erse perspectives available through the langua	
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español		tourism industry.
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4. Comparisons: Develop insight into the nature of language and culture to enhance linguistic and cultural competence.		
	sons: Use the language to investigate, explain	n, and reflect on the <u>nature of</u>
language by comparing and contrasting their own language with others.		
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
Historieta 1: Un regalo	Nota de gramática: Verbos sin sujetos	Determining subject from
perfecto		context

Historieta 2: El cacerolazo	Nota de gramática: Tú Form	The <i>tú</i> form of verbs
Historieta 3: Erika quiere practicar el español	Nota de gramática: Formas plurales de verbos	Verb endings in third person
Historieta 4: Héctor no quiere bailar	Nota de gramática: Me gusta	Discussing likes
Cultura	¡Habla como un tico!	I can explain how Costa Rican speech differs from that of other Latin American countries.
Cultura	¡Pura Vida!	I can explain the importance of the phrase "¡Pura vida!" in the Costa Rican lifestyle.

4.2 Cultural Comparisons: Use the language to investigate, explain, and reflect on the concept of culture by comparing and contrasting their own culture with others.

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Cultura	¡Pura Vida!	I can explain the importance of the phrase "¡Pura vida!" in the Costa Rican lifestyle.
¡Extra! ¡Extra!	El mundo en fotos Isla de Pascua: moáis	I can describe an important national monument. I can identify a historical monument.
¡Extra! ¡Extra!	El mundo en fotos: Bailes tradicionales	I can talk about dancing. I can identify a traditional dance and understand basic elements of the dance.

5. Communities: Communicate and interact in the language with respect and cultural competence in both local and global communities.

5.1 School and Global Communities: Interact and collaborate using the language in the classroom, the community, and the world.		
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
Costa Rica y Chile	En mi comunidad	I can use the Spanish language both within and beyond my classroom to interact and collaborate in my community and the globalized world.
5.2 Lifelong Learning	g: Set lifelong learning goals and re	flect on progress in using the language for
enjoyment, enrich	ment, enhancement, and advocacy.	
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
Can-Do Assessment		Setting personal language goals, self-assessment on Can-Do statements, and unit reflection

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