Alignment to Montana Content Standards for World Languages Voces® por el mundo 3

Voces por el mundo 3 is an award-winning, highly effective Spanish curriculum for intermediate-level learners. Voces por el mundo 3 will take your high school students through one year of intermediate-level Spanish instruction and prepare them for advanced-level classes. 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 *Voces por el mundo 3* aligns to Montana Content Standards for World Languages. If you have any questions, call 1-800-848-0256 or email info@vocesdigital.com.

Capítulo 1: Venezuela

Communication

Content Standard 1 – Students engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and exchange opinions.

Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
¡Vamos a charlar!	Preguntas personales	Speaking	I can provide personal information about myself and friends.
¡Vamos a charlar!	Interpersonal #1	Speaking	I can discuss important personality traits.
¡Vamos a charlar!	Interpersonal #2	Speaking	I can discuss personality traits for work.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpersonal Speaking	Speaking	I can describe myself and why I would be a good mentor. I can ask and answer questions in a conversation about a mentor program.

Content Standard 2 – Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.

Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
Actividades	Actividad 2: Nuevos amigos 2	Reading	I can interpret a simple description.
Actividades	Actividad 9: Nuevos amigos 9	Reading	I can interpret simple statements about someone's personal characteristics.
Actividades	Actividad 10: Nuevos amigos 10	Reading	I can understand a paragraph about a person's family.

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Entrevistas	Josep	Listening	I can understand some of what someone says in an interview about transportation in Spain.
Lecturas	La capital de los relámpagos	Reading	I can follow the main message in various time frames in a straightforward, and sometimes descriptive, paragraph-length informational text about the geography and weather in Venezuela.
Lecturas	La corona de belleza	Reading	I can follow the main message in various time frames in a straightforward, and sometimes descriptive, paragraph-length informational text about the history of beauty pageants in Venezuela.
Integrated Performance Assessment	Interpretive Reading	Reading	I can answer comprehension questions about the qualities of a good mentor. I can read and interpret an authentic article.

Content Standard 3 – Students convey information, concepts, and ideas to listeners and/or readers for a variety of purposes.

Section	Title	Mode	Can-Do/Description
Actividades	Actividad 5: Nuevos amigos 5	Writing	I can make simple
			statements to describe
			myself.
Actividades	Actividad 7: Nuevos amigos 7	Writing	I can make simple
			statements to describe
			people.
Entrevistas	¿Y tú?	Speaking	Answer questions about
			yourself
¡Vamos a charlar!	Presentational #1	Speaking	I can talk about how my
			personality influences
			my reactions.
Integrated Performance	Presentational Writing	Writing	I can describe myself
Assessment			including my strengths

Culture		and areas for improvement. I can state personal information about myself on an application.
	Students demonstrate an understanding of and products/contributions of cultures studentexts.	
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
Viajamos por Venezuela	Panorama: La plaza de Caracas	I can use words, phrases, and simple sentences to identify and describe cultural products and practices in Venezuela.
Exploración cultural	Destino turístico	I can write about a festival I would attend in Venezuela. I can read an article about festivals and events in Venezuela.
Exploración cultural	Joropo: bailando con alegría	I can follow dance instructions in Spanish. I can comprehend the cultural significance and key features of a traditional dance and music genre in Venezuela.
Exploración cultural	Fiesta de locos y locainas	I can understand the main idea and some details in an article about a celebration in Venezuela.
Exploración cultural	Verónica Barboza	I can make comparisons between practices to help understand perspectives.
Exploración cultural	Hallacas venezolanas	I can answer questions about a traditional Venezuelan food. I can compare cultural products from different countries.
Lecturas	La corona de belleza	I can follow the main message in various time frames in a straightforward, and sometimes descriptive, paragraph-length informational text about the history of beauty pageants in Venezuela.
Connections		
Content Standard 5 – world languages.	Students reinforce and increase his/her kno	owledge of other disciplines through

Can-Do/Description

Section

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Introducción a Venezue	la	See statistics and a map of Venezuela
Viajamos por Venezuela	El mapa	Interpret a map of Venezuela
Exploración cultural	Un tesoro de la naturaleza	I can answer questions about the diverse landscapes and unique wildlife of Venezuela and the environmental challenges it faces.
Exploración cultural	Joropo: bailando con alegría	I can follow dance instructions in Spanish. I can comprehend the cultural significance and key features of a traditional dance and music genre in Venezuela.
Exploración cultural	Hallacas venezolanas	I can answer questions about a traditional Venezuelan food. I can compare cultural products from different countries.
Lecturas	La capital de los relámpagos	I can follow the main message in various time frames in a straightforward, and sometimes descriptive, paragraph-length informational text about the geography and weather in Venezuela.
Content Standard 6 – world languages and wi	Students acquire information and perspect thin cultures	ctives through authentic materials in
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
Exploración cultural	Un tesoro de la naturaleza	I can answer questions about the diverse landscapes and unique wildlife of Venezuela and the environmental challenges it faces.
Exploración cultural	Destino turístico	I can write about a festival I would attend in Venezuela. I can read an article about festivals and events in Venezuela.
Exploración cultural	Joropo: bailando con alegría	I can follow dance instructions in Spanish. I can comprehend the cultural significance and key features of a traditional dance and music genre in Venezuela.
Exploración cultural	Fiesta de locos y locainas	I can understand the main idea and some details in an article

		about a celebration in Venezuela.
Exploración cultural	Verónica Barboza	I can make comparisons between practices to help understand perspectives.
Exploración cultural	La voz afrodescendiente	I can answer questions about the Afro-descendant voice in Venezuela.
Exploración cultural	Hallacas venezolanas	I can answer questions about a traditional Venezuelan food. I can compare cultural products from different countries.

Comparisons

Content Standard 7 – Students recognize that different languages use different patterns and can apply this knowledge to his/her own language.

Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
Actividades	Actividad 14: Ser y estar 4	I can determine whether <i>ser</i> or <i>estar</i> should be used in a sentence.
Nuevos amigos		Vocabulary to describe people
Concordancia de adje	etivos	Gender number agreement
Nacionalidades		Discuss nationalities
«Ser» y «estar»		The verbs "to be"

Content Standard 8 – Students demonstrate understanding of the concept of culture through comparisons of the culture studied and his/her own.

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		would attend in Venezuela.
		I can read an article about
		festivals and events in
		Venezuela.
Exploración cultural	Joropo: bailando con alegría	I can follow dance instructions in
		Spanish.
		I can comprehend the cultural
		significance and key features of a
		traditional dance and music genre
		in Venezuela.
Exploración cultural	Fiesta de locos y locainas	I can understand the main idea
		and some details in an article
		about a celebration in Venezuela.
Exploración cultural	Verónica Barboza	I can make comparisons between
		practices to help understand
		perspectives.
Exploración cultural	La voz afrodescendiente	I can answer questions about the
		Afro-descendant voice in
		Venezuela.
Exploración cultural	Hallacas venezolanas	I can answer questions about a
		traditional Venezuelan food.

		I can compare cultural products from different countries.
Communities		
Content Standard 9 -	- Students apply language skills an	d cultural knowledge in daily life.
Section	Title	Can-Do/Description
«Ser» y «estar»	En la comunidad	Send texts, follow popular sports or music stars on social media, subscribe to a Spanish word-of- the-day service
Can-Do Checklist		Setting personal language goals, self-assessment on Can-Do statements, and unit reflection

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