

Week 4 Spanish Newsletter

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Cantamos- Let's Sing

Here are 2 songs to sing at home with your children.

Vocabulary List

julio- July
agosto- August
septiembre- September
octubre- October
noviembre- November
diciembre- December
mi casa- my house
la casa de mi amigo(a)- my friend's house
la escuela- school
el parque- the park
el café- cafe
el supermercado- supermarket

¿Cuántos años tienes tú? (How old are you?)

(to the tune of "London Bridges")
¿Cuántos años tienes tú, tienes tú; tienes tú?
¿Cuántos años tienes tú?
Tengo _____ años. (seis, siete, ocho, nueve, diez, once, etc.)

IR Verb Chant

Voy (point to yourself)
Vas (point to another person)
Va (point to something or someone)
Vamos (point to yourself plus others)
Van (point to others)

a la __- to the _(feminine place)_ al __- to the _(masculine place)_

To combine and review the days of the week, the IR verb conjugations, and places, form sentences like:

*El (day of the week (lunes)) + voy + a la/al + (place (parque)). On Monday I go to the park.

*El domingo vas a la iglesia.

On Sunday you go to church.

Notas Culturas / Class Activities

Today we talked about how language and culture are so related. Companies across the world need to be sensitive to language. A great example is the Chevy NOVA. This car was sold faster than Chevrolet could produce it- everywhere except in Mexico. Had the company realized that the name of the car meant "it doesn't go"(no va) in Spanish, they would have changed the name of the car before marketing it to Spanish speakers.



Information

Please contact the Futura Language Professionals Coordinator, SandyO@FuturaAdventures.com with any questions about Spanish class.

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