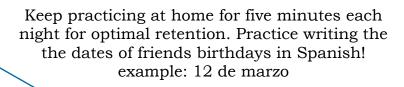


#### Week 6 Spanish Newsletter

# Level III

# Vocabulary List

helado- ice cream
regalo- present/gift
pastel- cake
las velas- candles
gracias- thank you
galletas- cookies
pizza- pizza
hamburguesa- hamburger
papas fritas- potato chips
agua- water



### Cantamos- Let's Sing

Here is a new to sing at home with your children.

Me gusta, Me gusta, (I like, I like)

Me gusta el bocadillo. (I like the sandwich.)

Oh no no, no no el bocadillo (Oh, no no, no no the sandwich)

Las papas fritas, las galletas, (potato chips, cookies)

El leche y el agua. (milk and water)

La hamburguesa, manzana, banana y naranja (hamburger, apple, banana, and orange)



## **Notas Culturas / Class Activities**

Today we discussed the birthday traditions in Latin American countries. Birthdays are usually celebrated with a mix of friends and family at the home of the person who is having the birthday. Birthday parties are somewhat of a "dress up" occasion. A custom at a birthday party is to break a piñata. The children are blindfolded one at a time and given a stick or bat to try and break open the piñata. The piñata is hanging from something and many times is swinging. When the piñata breaks, candy and small toys fall to the ground and all of the children rush in to get their treasures. There is a tradition in Mexico called la mordita (bite). Friends gather together and give the birthday person a cake. As the person goes to take a bite, they push his or her head into the cake. A big mordita!



#### **Information**

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