



BIG IDEAS

Listening and viewing with intent helps us acquire a new language.

Both verbal and **non-verbal cues** contribute meaning in language.

Reciprocal communication is possible using high-frequency words and patterns.

We can explore our identity through a new language.

Stories help us to acquire language.

Each culture has traditions and ways of celebrating.

Learning Standards

Curricular Competencies	Content
<p><i>Students are expected to be able to do the following:</i></p> <p>Thinking and communicating</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Recognize the relationships between pronunciation, letters, punctuation, including common intonation patterns, and meaningComprehend high-frequency vocabulary and identify key information in slow, clear speech and other textsComprehend simple storiesUse language-learning strategiesInterpret non-verbal cues to increase understandingRespond to simple commands and instructionsParticipate in simple interactionsSeek clarification of meaningShare information using the presentation format best suited to their own and others' diverse abilities <p>Personal and social awareness</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Consider personal, shared, and others' experiences, perspectives, and worldviews through a cultural lensRecognize First Peoples perspectives and knowledge; other ways of knowing, and local cultural knowledge	<p><i>Students are expected to know the following:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Spanish phonemesgender and numberFirst Peoples perspectives connecting language and culture, including oral histories, identity, and placecommon, high-frequency vocabulary, sentence structures, and expressions, including:<ul style="list-style-type: none">simple questions and descriptionsbasic information about themselves and othersopinions and preferencescommon elements of Hispanic cultural festivals and celebrationsHispanic communities in CanadaHispanic works of art



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Listening and viewing with intent helps us understand a message.

We can explore our identity through a new language.

Reciprocal communication is possible using high-frequency words and patterns.

Stories help us to acquire language and **understand the world** around us.

Learning about language from diverse communities helps us develop cultural awareness.

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<p><i>Students are expected to be able to do the following:</i></p> <p>Thinking and communicating</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Recognize the relationships between pronunciation, letter patterns, punctuation, and meaningRecognize the role of intonation, tone of voice, and meaningIdentify key information in slow, clear speech and other textsComprehend storiesComprehend high-frequency words and patterns in slow, clear speech and other simple textsUse language-learning strategiesInterpret non-verbal cues to increase understandingRespond to questions, simple commands, and instructionsExchange ideas and information, both orally and in writingSeek clarification of meaning using common statements and questionsShare information using the presentation format best suited to their own and others' diverse abilities <p>Personal and social awareness</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Consider personal, shared, and others' experiences, perspectives, and worldviews through a cultural lensRecognize First Peoples perspectives and knowledge; other ways of knowing, and local cultural knowledge	<p><i>Students are expected to know the following:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Spanish phonemesSpanish letter patternsFirst Peoples perspectives connecting language and culture, including oral histories, identity, and placecommon, high-frequency vocabulary, sentence structures, and expressions, including:<ul style="list-style-type: none">questionsdescriptions of othershobbies and topics of interestopinions and preferencescommon emotions and states of physical healthcultural aspects of Hispanic communities across Canada and around the worldHispanic works of art



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Listening and viewing with intent helps us understand an increasing variety of messages.

We can explore identity and place through increased understanding of a new language.

Reciprocal interactions help us understand and acquire language.

Stories help us to acquire language and **understand the world** around us.

Knowing about diverse communities helps us develop cultural awareness.

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<p><i>Students are expected to be able to do the following:</i></p> <p>Thinking and communicating</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Recognize the relationships between Spanish letter patterns, pronunciation and meaningComprehend key information and supporting details in slow, clear speech and other textsComprehend meaning in storiesUse language-learning strategies to increase understandingUse pitch, intonation, and tone to convey meaningFollow instructions to complete a task and respond to questionsExchange ideas and information, both orally and in writingSeek clarification of meaning using common statements and questionsShare information using the presentation format best suited to their own and others' diverse abilities <p>Personal and social awareness</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Identify and compare linguistic and cultural information about Hispanic communities in and outside of CanadaExamine personal, shared, and others' experiences, perspectives, and worldviews through a cultural lensRecognize First Peoples perspectives and knowledge; other ways of knowing, and local cultural knowledge	<p><i>Students are expected to know the following:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Spanish letter patternsFirst Peoples perspectives connecting language and culture, including oral histories, identity, and placecommon, high-frequency vocabulary, sentence structures, and expressions, including:<ul style="list-style-type: none">types of questionsdescriptions of peopleopinions and preferencesinstructions and comparisonscultural aspects of Hispanic communitiescommon elements of storiesHispanic communities around the worldHispanic works of art



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Listening and viewing with intent supports our acquisition and understanding of a new language.

We can express ourselves and talk about the world around us in a new language.

With increased fluency, we can participate actively in **reciprocal** interactions.

We can share our experiences and perspectives through **stories**.

Creative works are an expression of language and culture.

Acquiring a new language and learning about another culture deepens our understanding of our own language and culture.

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<p><i>Students are expected to be able to do the following:</i></p> <p>Thinking and communicating</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Recognize the relationships between Spanish letter patterns and pronunciationComprehend key information and supporting details in speech and other textsComprehend meaning in storiesUse various strategies to increase understanding and produce oral and written languageNarrate stories, both orally and in writingExchange ideas and information, both orally and in writingSeek clarification and verify meaningShare information using the presentation format best suited to their own and others' diverse abilities <p>Personal and social awareness</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Investigate cultural aspects of Hispanic communitiesDescribe similarities and differences between their own cultural practices and traditions and those of Hispanic communitiesEngage in experiences with Hispanic people and communitiesExamine personal, shared, and others' experiences, perspectives, and worldviews through a cultural lensRecognize First Peoples perspectives and knowledge; other ways of knowing, and local cultural knowledge	<p><i>Students are expected to know the following:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Spanish letter patternsFirst Peoples perspectives connecting language and culture, including oral histories, identity, and placecommon, high-frequency vocabulary, sentence structures, and expressions, including:<ul style="list-style-type: none">types of questionstime and frequencydescriptions of people and objectscomparisonspersonal interests, preferences, emotions, and physical statesbeliefs and opinionspast, present, and future time framescommon elements of storiescultural aspects of Hispanic communities around the worldHispanic works of art



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Listening and viewing with intent supports our acquisition and understanding of a new language.

Acquiring a new language allows us to explore our identity and culture from a new perspective.

Conversing about things we care about can motivate our learning of a new language.

We can share our experiences and perspectives through **stories**.

Creative works allow us to experience culture and appreciate cultural diversity.

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<p><i>Students are expected to be able to do the following:</i></p> <p>Thinking and communicating</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Recognize the relationships between Spanish letter patterns, pronunciation, and meaningDerive meaning from speech and a variety of other textsUse various strategies to increase understanding and produce oral and written languageNarrate stories, both orally and in writingExchange ideas and information, both orally and in writingSeek clarification and verify meaningShare information using the presentation format best suited to their own and others' diverse abilities <p>Personal and social awareness</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Recognize the importance of story in personal, family, and community identityAnalyze similarities and differences between their own cultural practices and traditions and those of Hispanic communitiesEngage in experiences with Hispanic people and communitiesExamine personal, shared, and others' experiences, perspectives, and worldviews through a cultural lensRecognize First Peoples perspectives and knowledge; other ways of knowing, and local cultural knowledge	<p><i>Students are expected to know the following:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Spanish letter patternsFirst Peoples perspectives connecting language and culture, including oral histories, identity, and placecommon vocabulary, sentence structures, and expressions, including:<ul style="list-style-type: none">questionsdescriptions of people, objects, and locationssequence of eventspersonal interests, needs, and opinionspast, present, and future time frameselements of common textscommon elements of storiescultural practices, traditions, and attitudes in various Hispanic regionsHispanic works of artethics of cultural appropriation and plagiarism



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Listening and viewing with intent supports our acquisition and understanding of a new language.

Stories give us unique ways to understand and reflect on meaning.

Expressing ourselves and engaging in conversation in a new language require courage, risk taking, and perseverance.

Cultural expression can take many different forms.

Acquiring a new language provides a unique opportunity to access and interact with diverse communities.

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<p><i>Students are expected to be able to do the following:</i></p> <p>Thinking and communicating</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Recognize how choice of words affects meaningRecognize the relationships between Spanish letter patterns, pronunciation, and meaningComprehend key information and supporting details in speech and a variety of other textsComprehend meaning and viewpoints in storiesUse various strategies to increase understanding and produce oral and written languageNarrate stories, both orally and in writingInterpret non-verbal cues to increase understandingExchange ideas and information, both orally and in writingShare information using the presentation format best suited to their own and others' diverse abilitiesRespond to questions and instructionsSeek clarification and verify meaning <p>Personal and social awareness</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Analyze regional, cultural, and linguistic practices of various Hispanic communities and their role in shaping cultural identityRecognize the importance of story in personal, family, and community identityEngage in experiences with Hispanic people and communitiesAnalyze personal, shared, and others' experiences, perspectives, and worldviews through a cultural lensRecognize First Peoples perspectives and knowledge; other ways of knowing, and local cultural knowledge	<p><i>Students are expected to know the following:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">increasingly complex vocabulary, sentence structures, and expressions, including:<ul style="list-style-type: none">types of questionsactivities, situations, and eventsopinionsFirst Peoples perspectives connecting language and culture, including oral histories, identity, and placepast, present, and future time frameselements of common textscommon elements of storiesidiomatic expressions from across the Hispanic worldcontributions of Hispanic Canadians to societyHispanic works of artcultural aspects of various Hispanic communitiesethics of cultural appropriation and plagiarism