



## ¿Qué te gusta hacer? What do you like to do?

Me gusta...	I like...	navegar por Internet	to surf the net
Me gusta mucho...	I really like...	salir con mis amigos	to go out with my friends
No me gusta...	I don't like...	ver la televisión	to watch TV
No me gusta nada...	I don't like at all...	porque es...	because it is...
chatear	to chat online	porque no es...	because it is not...
escribir correos	to write emails	interesante	interesting
escuchar música	to listen to music	guay	cool
jugar a los videojuegos	to play videogames	divertido/a	amusing, funny, fun
leer	to read	estúpido/a	stupid
mandar SMS	to send text messages	aburrido/a	boring

## ¿Qué haces en tu tiempo libre? What do you do in your spare time?

bailo	I dance	monto en bici	I ride my bike
canto karaoke	I sing karaoke	saco fotos	I take photos
hablo con mis amigos	I talk with my friends	toco la guitarra	I play the guitar

## Expresiones de frecuencia Expressions of frequency

a veces	sometimes	nunca	never
de vez en cuando	from time to time	todos los días	every day

## ¿Qué tiempo hace? What's the weather like?

hace calor	it's hot	llueve	it's raining
hace frío	it's cold	nieva	it's snowing
hace sol	it's sunny	¿Qué haces cuando	What do you do when
hace buen tiempo	it's nice weather	llueve?	it's raining?

## Las estaciones The seasons

la primavera	spring	el otoño	autumn
el verano	summer	el invierno	winter

## ¿Qué deportes haces? What sports do you do?

Hago artes marciales.	I do martial arts.	Juego al tenis.	I play tennis.
Hago atletismo.	I do athletics.	Juego al voleibol.	I play volleyball.
Hago equitación.	I do/go horseriding.	¡Me gusta!	I like it!
Hago gimnasia.	I do gymnastics.	¡Me gusta mucho!	I like it a lot!
Hago natación.	I do/go swimming.	¡Me gusta muchísimo!	I really, really like it!
Juego al baloncesto.	I play basketball.	¡Me encanta!	I love it!
Juego al fútbol.	I play football.		

## Los días de la semana The days of the week

lunes	Monday	domingo	Sunday
martes	Tuesday	los lunes	on Mondays, every Monday
miércoles	Wednesday	los martes	on Tuesdays, every Tuesday
jueves	Thursday		
viernes	Friday		
sábado	Saturday		

## Algunas preguntas Some questions

¿Qué...?	What/Which...?	¿Cómo...?	How/What...?
¿Cuándo...?	When...?	¿Cuántos...?	How many...?
¿Dónde...?	Where...?		

## Palabras muy frecuentes High-frequency words

con	with	pero	but
cuando	when	porque	because
generalmente	generally	sí	yes
mucho	a lot	también	also, too
no	no	y	and
o	or	¿Y tú?	And you?

### Estrategia 2

#### Cognates and near-cognates

A cognate is spelt the same in English as in Spanish. Most of the time they mean exactly the same, too, for example:

piano → piano

In Spanish there are also lots of words that look similar to English words but are not identical. These words are called **near-cognates**. They often have exactly the same meaning as the English (but not always!).

How many of these words can you find on these two pages? Here's one to get you started:

música → music

However, there are some words that look identical, or almost identical, to English words but have different meanings. These are often called **false friends**. For example, you have met the Spanish word **once**. This doesn't mean the same as the English word 'once'! Can you remember what it does mean, and how to pronounce it?

So the lesson from this is to use your knowledge of English to help you work out the meanings of Spanish words, but be careful. There are some that can trip you up.