

TEMAS: COMUNIDADES, EDUCACIÓN, FAMILIA Y TRADICIONES

Unit Title:	Comparing my childhood with the childhood of children from Latin America	Grade Level:	8 th -12 th grades
Curriculum Area:	Spanish 2	Time Frame:	4 weeks
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Content Standards:
<p>WL.K12.IH.1.1: Demonstrate understanding of the main idea and supporting details in conversations, presentations, and short discussions, on familiar topics.</p> <p>WL.K12.AL.1.2: Follow presentations on familiar and unfamiliar topics in different situations.</p> <p>WL.K12.AL.1.4: Demonstrate understanding of information obtained from authentic sources such as TV, radio, interviews, podcasts and videos in order to function for personal needs within the target culture.</p> <p>WL.K12.IM.3.2: Ask and answer questions on familiar topics to clarify information and sustain a conversation.</p> <p>WL.K12.IH.4.1: Present information on familiar topics with clarity and detail using multimedia resources.</p> <p>WL.K12.IH.4.3: Describe personal experiences and interests with clarity and detail.</p> <p>WL.K12.IH.4.5: Use paraphrasing, circumlocution and illustrations to make self more clearly understood when relating experiences and retelling a story.</p> <p>WL.K12.IH.5.7: Write a short essay or biography using descriptive details and a variety of sentence structure.</p> <p>WL.K12.AL.6.1: Compare and contrast cultural practices and perspectives among cultures with the same language in order to dispel stereotyping.</p> <p>WL.K12.IH.8.3: Compare the cultural traditions and celebrations that exist in the target cultures and other cultures with own.</p>

Overview: Students will learn about childhood and family in Latin America and how it compares to their childhood.

Essential Questions:

- How do I express myself effectively in the past?
- What were the most important aspects of your childhood?
- What were your favorites past times and toys?
- What are some of the traditional songs, games, books and toys that are used in Latin America culture for children?
- How do I compare my childhood with the childhood of some of the children in Latin America?

Knowledge Students will learn ...	Skills Students will be able to...
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • About different family traditions in Latin America. • About the different kinds of games and toys use in the Latin culture. • About Spanish songs for children. • About Spanish books for young children. • How to create a story using storybird.com. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compare and contrast their childhood games with the games play in Latin America. • Compare and contrast young children literature with the literature that the used to read in their childhood. • Compare and contrast their childhood TV personalities and songs with the ones from the Latin America culture. • Create a presentation and talk about their childhood using the past tense.

Assessment Evidence		
Self-Assessment	Formative	Summative
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Self-assessment rubric will be provided as part of creating their childhood histories. • Students will do compare and contrast writing exercises about their childhood and how they compare to the 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Online Practice: Cepillin video, México http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I5QhHBTRYQo Sandra Zaiter, Puerto Rico: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IFoe39qauv8 • Project: Power Point about their childhood using the past tense. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In class quizzes: about vocabulary, readings and material presented in class. • In class: Unit Test. • Presentation of projects and peer evaluation of the projects.

<p>children in Spanish speaking countries.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students will engage in conversations comparing and contrasting each other childhood. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learning new vocabulary related to childhood and the past tense. • Reading: Reading children books in Spanish. • Kagan: Timed Pair Share: Evaluating childhood items from Spanish speaking countries. 	
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Materiales para expandir el conocimiento y ayudar a los estudiantes a comparar y contrastar: Libros para colorear, libros de historias cortas, tirillas cómicas, libros educativos, música infantil, muñecos de tela, marionetas y otros juguetes.