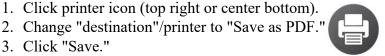


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	For media links in this activity, visit the LLC Spanish Tutoring website. Find your DLA number to see all the resources to finish your DLA.		

Learning Outcomes: You will be able to

- ✓ Identify the names of letters in the Spanish Alphabet.
- ✓ Pronunciation of g, ñ, and II.
- ✓ Articulate the spelling of words by listening.
- ✓ Orally produce words containing target sounds.

Section 1: Form

The Spanish alphabet uses the same Roman alphabet used in the English language. However, there are various differences of which to be aware so that you can confidently practice speaking.

Directions: Listen and practice the name and sound of each letter in Spanish, on Section 1, on the LLC Spanish Tutoring website.

- Click the red letter in the second column to hear the name of the corresponding letter.
- Click the sample word (also in red) in the third column to hear the pronunciation of the sound.

LOOK OUT: The following letters and sounds may be unfamiliar: h, ñ, q, r, z, b and v.

Review the website once again and find the answers to the following questions:			
How many letters does the Spanish alphabet have?			
Why are "ch" and "II" different? Do they belong to the alphabet?			

Section 2: Pronunciation

In the following section, you'll learn more about the pronunciation for two letters (\tilde{n}, g) and one letter combination (II). You can hear the pronunciation of these words by searching spanishdict.com.

The Double L

You will see "II" (elle) in Spanish words. The sound "II" is pronounced similarly to the English "y" as in "yes". Read the following words aloud.

o *II*uvia (rain)

o Ileno (full)

IIegar (to arrive)

ballena (whale)

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The Letter ñ

The \tilde{n} is also a new sound with which you may not be familiar. It sounds like the letters ny in the English word canyon.

Read the following words aloud.

- España (Spain)
 compañero (partner)
 mañana (tomorrow)
- o se**n**or (Mr.) o ba**n**o (bathroom) o ni**n**a (girl)
- o se**n**ora (Mrs.) o a**n**o (year)

The Letter G

Lastly, spelling affects the pronunciation of **g**. Read the words aloud after the explanation.

- If **g** is followed by a consonant or the vowels "a, o, u", then **g** is pronounced as in the word "go" in English.
 - o ami**g**a (friend) o **g**atos (cats)
 - o **g**racias (thanks)
- If **g** is followed by the vowels "e, i", then **g** is pronounced as an "h" in the word "hope".
 - o **ge**nte (people) o cole**gi**o (high school)
 - o inteli*ge*nte (intelligent)
- If **g** is followed by the vowels "ue, ui", then **g** is pronounced as in the word "go" in English but the "u" is silent.
 - o ju**gue**te (toy) o **gui**tarra (guitar)

Section 3: More Pronunciation Practice

Apply the Rules:

Use the rules above (in section 2) to categorize the list of words into "h" sounds and "g" sounds.

- o guerra (war) o girar (to turn) o girasol (sunflower)
- o gigante (giant/huge) o gorro (hat) o guiso (stew)
- o ganar (to win) o gustar (to like) o gimnasio (gymnasium)

Then check your answers by searching the words on spanishdict.com.



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[&]quot;g" pronunciation:

[&]quot;h" pronunciation:

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Section 4: Listening Discrimination

Complete the following exercises with a tutor.

Listening:

Listen as the tutor pronounces each of the following words. After each word, orally spell the word using the Spanish alphabet. For example, the tutor reads the word "libro" and you spell out the word as "ele, i, be, ere, o".

lápiz	cebolla	niño
mañana	guitarra	hambre
clase	jabón	Gilberto
zapato	chica	futuro

Speaking:

Pronounce the following words and have the tutor give you feedback on the pronunciation.

acento	azul	cuaderno
calculadora	verdad	silla
cultural	hablo	estudiante
ingeniero	fácil	diccionario
imaginar	pizarra	kilómetro

Section 5: Practice with a tutor!

GOOD job! Now make an appointment for Spanish Tutoring on the LLC website.

Before your appointment, please fill out the sign-in sheet.

When it is time for your appointment, meet your tutor in the <u>Virtual LLC</u>.

Grading Rubric

Possible Points	Pass	Not Yet Pass
Completion	The student completed all of the sections of the DLA.	The student has not yet completed all of the section of the DLA.
Comprehension/ Metacognition	=	
Course Connections	The student can explain the connections between their coursework and the DLA.	The student cannot yet explain a connection between their course and DLA.

Students must succeed in all criteria to pass this DLA.

Verification of completion: If you successfully complete this DLA with the tutor, you will receive a stamp on your digital passport. An updated copy of your passport will be emailed to you 1-2 business days after your tutoring appointment



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