

## Spanish 1A Menu Project Planner

**Due date: Friday, March 27**

**Project is worth 30 points (Tests/Quizzes/Projects)**

### Objective:

In this project, you play the role of a restaurant owner who needs to develop and create a menu in Spanish for your restaurant established in one of the Spanish-speaking countries of the world. Your menu must have four categories and twelve items, all authentic dishes of the target culture of your choice within the Spanish-speaking world. You must decide on an appropriate name for your restaurant, create an address and phone number, and list hours of operation consistent with examples you find on-line from authentic restaurants of the target culture. Your menu items must be priced in the local currency, converted in an appropriate manner for the target culture.

### Directions:

**Step 1:** Choose a Spanish speaking country (one whose official language is Spanish) and write its name on the line below.

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**Step 2:** Using the country you chose above, research and record the following:

- A major city in the country is (for example, its capital city): \_\_\_\_\_
- Make up (or look up) a realistic address for a restaurant in that city. Write it out as it would appear in that country.

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- Make up (or look up) a realistic phone number for a restaurant in that city. Write it out as it would appear in that country.

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- The form of currency used is the: \_\_\_\_\_ With the symbol: \_\_\_\_\_
- What is the value of their currency today? 1 U.S. Dollar = \_\_\_\_\_ of their currency.

- What are 3 typical dishes / items served there for breakfast, lunch, dinner and drinks? How much would each item cost (convert it from U.S. dollars into the local currency – xe.com is a great resource)? *Note: descriptions of each dish are **not** necessary.*
  - el desayuno
    1. \_\_\_\_\_ (price) \_\_\_\_\_
    2. \_\_\_\_\_ (price) \_\_\_\_\_
    3. \_\_\_\_\_ (price) \_\_\_\_\_
  - el almuerzo
    1. \_\_\_\_\_ (price) \_\_\_\_\_
    2. \_\_\_\_\_ (price) \_\_\_\_\_
    3. \_\_\_\_\_ (price) \_\_\_\_\_
  - la cena
    1. \_\_\_\_\_ (price) \_\_\_\_\_
    2. \_\_\_\_\_ (price) \_\_\_\_\_
    3. \_\_\_\_\_ (price) \_\_\_\_\_
  - bebidas (non-alcoholic, por favor)
    1. \_\_\_\_\_ (price) \_\_\_\_\_
    2. \_\_\_\_\_ (price) \_\_\_\_\_
    3. \_\_\_\_\_ (price) \_\_\_\_\_

- Locate and/or download at least 4 photos or illustrations of items featured on your menu. I suggest copying and pasting them to a document, resizing them to the size you need, and printing them all at once using a color printer.

**Step 3:** Fold a 9" x 12" piece of construction paper in half (vertically or horizontally) and create a menu (**using only Spanish words**) for your restaurant. Include the following:

On the cover:

- A cover design for your menu
- The name of your restaurant
- The address and phone number
- The days of the week and hours of the day the restaurant is open

Inside the menu:

- 4 sections of your menu labeled el desayuno, el almuerzo, la cena, and bebidas
- List 3 typical dishes or items under each section
- Give each dish or item a "realistic" price in the currency of the country you have chosen using the appropriate currency symbol.
- Include illustrations of at least 4 items featured on the menu

On the back of the menu:

- Write your name and class period—nothing else. This part will not show when it is stapled to the classroom wall.