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### 1. Diccionarios.com

This site is an excellent Spanish dictionary, providing a number of handy features all on one site: a complete Spanish dictionary, a synonym dictionary, a Spanish-English/English-Spanish dictionary, and even Catalan and French dictionaries! Site registration is free, and registered members gain access to more features.

Diccionarios.com

### 2. English-Spanish On-line Dictionary

A user-friendly, bilingual site for translating over 5,400 vocabulary words provided by Travlang.

■ English-Spanish On-line Dictionary

## 3. Lenguaje.com

SIGNUM's site contains a number of handy features, including a Spanish spell-checker, verb conjugator, thesaurus, and tools for finding geosynonyms, inflections, and word roots.

Lenguaje.com

## 4. University of Chicago Spanish Dictionary

This Spanish-English dictionary site offers a comprehensive look at spelling, sounds, and stress.

University of Chicago Spanish Dictionary

### 5. LatinWorld: Kiosco Latino Virtual

The Latin American Virtual Newsstand gives you all the online newspapers in 19 Hispanic countries plus the U.S. and Puerto Rico. Good for reading skill building and timely topics for discussion.

■ LatinWorld: Kiosco Latino Virtual

### 6. AllYouCanRead.com

This site provides access to the latest magazines from nine Hispanic nations. Great for boosting reading skills using current topics of interest.

AllYouCanRead.com

### 7. ComFM Live Radio

This site is an excellent tool for improving listening and comprehension skills. The site offers 96 channels broadcasting live from Mexico and dozens from Spain.

- ComFM Live Radio -- Mexico
- ComFM Live Radio -- Spain

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- 8. Accents, Diacriticals, and Special Language Characters for Foreign Languages
  This site provides the HTML for creating diacritical marks and special characters on
  both a PC and a Macintosh. This site will be very useful for teachers and students
  wishing to put assignments and projects on the Web.
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- 9. Ciber-Léxico Comparativo

This site lists all of the terminology of the Internet in both Spanish and English. It is very helpful for Web page building and understanding technical terms.

- Ciber-Léxico Comparativo
- 10. <u>How to make accents (Window)</u>: http://forums.tomisimo.org/showthread.php?t=234
- 11. <u>How to make accents (Apple/Mac):</u> <a href="http://tlt.its.psu.edu/suggestions/international/accents/codemac.html">http://tlt.its.psu.edu/suggestions/international/accents/codemac.html</a>
- 12. Conjuguemos: http://www.conjuguemos.com/
- 13. Quia: <a href="http://www.quia.com/">http://www.quia.com/</a>
- 14. SpanishDict: <a href="http://www.spanishdict.com/">http://www.spanishdict.com/</a>
- 15. WordReference.com:

http://www.wordreference.com/English Spanish Dictionary.asp

16. Collins:

http://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english-spanish

17. Larousse:

http://www.larousse.com/en/dictionaries/spanish

- 18. Dictionaries.com: http://www.diccionarios.com/
- 19. Libro digital *Herramientas de español* Online Advanced Spanish Book A concise outline of essential grammar structures based on John Turner's *All the Spanish Grammar You Really Need to Know* <a href="http://www.bowdoin.edu/~eyepes/newgr/ats/">http://www.bowdoin.edu/~eyepes/newgr/ats/</a>
- 20. Study Spanish A site dedicated to: Grammar, Culture, Speaking, Listening, Reading Comprehension: www.studyspanish.com
- spanish.language&culture
  with barbara kuczun nelson

http://www.colby.edu/~bknelson/SLC/index.php

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### 22. Introduction

Whether you developed your Spanish language skills in school or outside the classroom (e.g., *en su casa*), taking the Spanish with Listening Subject Test can enhance your college application. In addition to showcasing your understanding of the Spanish language, it can potentially give you a head start in college by allowing you to fulfill basic language competency requirements or place out of introductory level Spanish courses. http://sat.collegeboard.org/practice/sat-subject-test-preparation/spanish-with-listening

### 23. 123TeachMe

NOTE: The listening comprehension exercises below are NOT for students who are new to Spanish! Listen to each of the audio files below, then test your level of comprehension by answering the multiple-choice questions. Don't worry if you can't answer all the questions! If you already understood Spanish perfectly, then you would NOT be using this website! <a href="http://www.123teachme.com/learn\_spanish/listening\_comprehension\_intro">http://www.123teachme.com/learn\_spanish/listening\_comprehension\_intro</a>

24. e learn Spanish language - Spanish Listening Comprehension Exercises
Work on your Spanish listening comprehension with these exercises. Each includes a Spanish
sound file, study guide, and short quiz. There is also a full transcript and translation of the audio,
which you can use to better understand the sound file.
<a href="http://www.elearnspanishlanguage.com/listening/listeningindex.html">http://www.elearnspanishlanguage.com/listening/listeningindex.html</a>

### 25. Actividades de práctica con aprendices del español

Actividades de práctica con aprendices del español is an online corpus of videos of second language and heritage language learners of Spanish during oral interviews and provides supplemental activities to help viewers investigate learners' language and proficiency levels. Project URL: <a href="http://sites.la.utexas.edu/actividades-spt/">http://sites.la.utexas.edu/actividades-spt/</a>

### 26. Spanish Civilization

a website which presents Spanish Civilization through art, architecture, maps and music.

Project URL: http://www.laits.utexas.edu/spn328/

Project director(s): Inés Bergquist, Madeline Sutherland-Meier

## 27. Cultural Interviews with Latin American and Spanish Executives

Cultural Interviews with Latin American Executives is a compilation of over 200 brief video clips in which Latin American and Spanish executives discuss cultural issues that are of interest to North Americans. Over 50 native Spanish speaking professionals offer their opinion on these questions. The objective of the interviews is three-fold: First, provide practical cultural information. The opinions represent those of real people. At times they are even contradictory, but they are designed to be a catalyst for discussion, not to provide a definitive answer about some stereotype. Second, the interviews provide vocabulary in areas within a professional setting. The interviews present diverse vocabulary within the context of each individual's comments. Third, these materials provide non-native speakers of Spanish with multiple examples of natural speech, illustrating the way that speakers really talk. http://www.laits.utexas.edu/laexec/laexec.html