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Why study Spanish? Video - Realidades Level 1

A. Viewing – As you watch the video, fill in in English the blanks with the information that you hear.

1. The Spanish language originated in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

2. The explorers were sent out by King Ferdinand and Queen Isabella in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

3. Christopher Columbus landed on the island of Hispañola. A large part of the island is now known as the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

4. Today Spanish is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ most commonly spoken language in the world.

5. Spanish is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ most commonly spoken language in the United States.

6. About \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ percent of the population in the United States speaks Spanish.

7. High school \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ students perform significantly better on the SAT verbal exam.

8. SAT verbal scores increase successively with each \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ year of foreign language study.

B. Interviews

As you watch the interview at the end of the video, match the names of the people with the type of work they do.

1. \_\_\_\_Josh Raufman a) teacher

2. \_\_\_Ilene Laufer b) flight attendant and interpreter

3. \_\_\_Tyrell Garrow c) research and development

4. \_\_\_Wendy Joyner d) international business

5. \_\_\_Carol DeRoberto e) video production

6. \_\_\_Kent Payne f) study-abroad student and volunteer

7. \_\_\_ Vinita Ball g) music store clerk

8. \_\_\_Hector Grillone h) pediatrician

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