

# Vocabulary preparation



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This is the vocabulary that will be used in the following section.  
Study it, highlight difficult words, then do the exercises on the next pages.

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|----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. <b>necesito</b> .....   | <b>I need</b>            | 29. <b>la cuenta</b> .....        | <b>the bill</b>         |
| 2. <b>necesita</b> .....   | <b>you need</b>          | 30. <b>a mi /su amigo</b> .....   | <b>my/your friend</b>   |
| 3. <b>hablar</b> .....     | <b>to speak</b>          | 31. <b>tenis</b> .....            | <b>tennis</b>           |
| 4. <b>estudiar</b> .....   | <b>to study</b>          | 32. <b>mi/su coche</b> .....      | <b>my/your car</b>      |
| 5. <b>sacar</b> .....      | <b>to take</b> (a photo) | 33. <b>la carta</b> .....         | <b>the letter</b>       |
| 6. <b>pagar</b> .....      | <b>to pay</b>            | 34. <b>uno, -a</b> .....          | <b>one</b>              |
| 7. <b>invitar</b> .....    | <b>to invite</b>         | 35. <b>el baño</b> .....          | <b>the bathroom</b>     |
| 8. <b>trabajar</b> .....   | <b>to work</b>           | 36. <b>mi dinero</b> .....        | <b>my money</b>         |
| 9. <b>viajar</b> .....     | <b>to travel</b>         | 37. <b>más agua</b> .....         | <b>more water</b>       |
| 10. <b>jugar</b> .....     | <b>to play</b> (a sport) | 38. <b>una cerveza fría</b> ..... | <b>a cold beer</b>      |
| 11. <b>lavar</b> .....     | <b>to wash</b>           | 39. <b>un regalo</b> .....        | <b>a gift</b>           |
| 12. <b>contestar</b> ..... | <b>to answer</b>         | 40. <b>un banco</b> .....         | <b>a bank</b>           |
| 13. <b>usar</b> .....      | <b>to use</b>            | 41. <b>a México</b> .....         | <b>to Mexico</b>        |
| 14. <b>mandar</b> .....    | <b>to send</b>           | 42. <b>un recuerdo</b> .....      | <b>a souvenir</b>       |
| 15. <b>comprar</b> .....   | <b>to buy</b>            | 43. <b>la puerta</b> .....        | <b>the door</b>         |
| 16. <b>buscar</b> .....    | <b>to look for</b>       | 44. <b>un autobús</b> .....       | <b>a bus</b>            |
| 17. <b>cambiar</b> .....   | <b>to change</b>         | 45. <b>mi/su tanque</b> .....     | <b>my/your tank</b>     |
| 18. <b>tomar</b> .....     | <b>to drink</b>          | 46. <b>mi/su maleta</b> .....     | <b>my/your suitcase</b> |
| 19. <b>firmar</b> .....    | <b>to sign</b>           | 47. <b>mucho</b> .....            | <b>a lot</b>            |
| 20. <b>ordenar</b> .....   | <b>to order</b>          | 48. <b>hoy</b> .....              | <b>today</b>            |
| 21. <b>terminar</b> .....  | <b>to finish</b>         | 49. <b>mañana</b> .....           | <b>tomorrow</b>         |
| 22. <b>regresar</b> .....  | <b>to return</b>         | 50. <b>pronto</b> .....           | <b>soon</b>             |
| 23. <b>llegar</b> .....    | <b>to arrive</b>         | 51. <b>esta noche</b> .....       | <b>tonight</b>          |
| 24. <b>descansar</b> ..... | <b>to rest</b>           | 52. <b>ahora</b> .....            | <b>now</b>              |
| 25. <b>empezar</b> .....   | <b>to begin</b>          | 53. <b>¿qué</b> .....             | <b>What ...?</b>        |
| 26. <b>manejar</b> .....   | <b>to drive</b>          | 54. <b>¿cuándo</b> .....          | <b>When ...?</b>        |
| 27. <b>español</b> .....   | <b>Spanish</b>           | 55. <b>¿adónde</b> .....          | <b>(To) where ...?</b>  |
| 28. <b>una foto</b> .....  | <b>a photo</b>           |                                   |                         |

necesito	necesitamos
necesitas	
necesita	necesitan

Look at the verb tree diagram above. Note that **necesito** ends with an **o**, indicating 'I need.'

**One (m) = uno    One (f) = una**

(see #12,13)

**Necesito mandar una.** I need to mail one (f).

**Necesito comprar uno.** I need to buy one (m).

**The personal 'A'** (see #5)

'A' always precedes a person when the person is the object of a verb.

**Necesito invitar a Juan.** = I need to invite Juan.

**Necesito visitar a mi amigo.** = I need to visit my friend.

Refer to page 34 for further explanation.



Write the complete answer, including the words in small print.

Refer to the Vocabulary Preparation for the verbs.

**answers on page 22**

1. I need to speak Spanish. *Necesito hablar español.* \_\_\_\_\_ español
2. I need to study a lot. \_\_\_\_\_ mucho
3. I need to take a photo. \_\_\_\_\_ una foto
4. I need to pay the bill. \_\_\_\_\_ la cuenta
5. I need to invite my friend. \_\_\_\_\_ a mi amigo
6. I need to work a lot today. \_\_\_\_\_ mucho
7. I need to travel more. \_\_\_\_\_ más
8. I need to play more tennis. \_\_\_\_\_ más tenis
9. I need to wash my car. \_\_\_\_\_ mi coche
10. I need to answer the letter. \_\_\_\_\_ la carta
11. I need to use the bathroom. \_\_\_\_\_ el baño
12. I need to mail one (f). \_\_\_\_\_
13. I need to buy one (m). \_\_\_\_\_
14. I need to look for one (m). \_\_\_\_\_
15. I need to exchange my money. \_\_\_\_\_ mi dinero
16. I need to drink more water. \_\_\_\_\_ más agua
17. I need to sign the bill. \_\_\_\_\_ la cuenta
18. I need to order a cold beer. \_\_\_\_\_ una cerveza fría
19. I need to finish today. \_\_\_\_\_ hoy
20. I need to return tomorrow. \_\_\_\_\_ mañana
21. I need to arrive soon. \_\_\_\_\_ pronto
22. I need to rest tonight. \_\_\_\_\_ esta noche
23. I need to begin today. \_\_\_\_\_ hoy
24. I need to drive to Mexico. \_\_\_\_\_ a México

# Do you need? = ¿Necesita?

necesitar	
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Note that **necesita** ends with an **a**, indicating 'you need' (*formal*).

This is the 'formal you.' See page 12 for an explanation of the 'personal you' and the 'formal you.'

## To ask a question

Simply change the inflection in speaking.

The *do* or *does* that is used in English questions is incorporated in the verb in Spanish.

*Necesita comer.* = *You need to eat.*      *¿Necesita comer?* = *Do you need to eat?*

In written Spanish, an upside-down question mark (¿) is used at the beginning of a question.

Don't forget to put it in when you write your answers.



Write the complete answer, including the words in small print.

**answers on page 22**

- Do you need to speak Spanish? *¿Necesita hablar español?* \_\_\_\_\_
- Do you need to study a lot? \_\_\_\_\_ mucho
- Do you need to take a photo? \_\_\_\_\_ una foto
- Do you need to pay the bill? \_\_\_\_\_ la cuenta
- Do you need to invite your friend? \_\_\_\_\_ a su amigo
- Do you need to work a lot today? \_\_\_\_\_ mucho hoy
- Do you need to travel more? \_\_\_\_\_ más
- Do you need to play more tennis? \_\_\_\_\_ más tenis
- Do you need to wash your car? \_\_\_\_\_ su coche
- Do you need to answer the letter? \_\_\_\_\_ la carta
- Do you need to use the bathroom? \_\_\_\_\_ usar el baño
- Do you need to mail a letter? \_\_\_\_\_ una carta
- Do you need to buy a gift? \_\_\_\_\_ un regalo
- Do you need to look for a bank? \_\_\_\_\_ un banco
- What do you need to exchange? \_\_\_\_\_ ¿Qué
- What do you need to drink? \_\_\_\_\_
- What do you need to sign? \_\_\_\_\_
- What do you need to order? \_\_\_\_\_
- When do you need to finish? \_\_\_\_\_ ¿Cuándo
- When do you need to return? \_\_\_\_\_
- When do you need to arrive? \_\_\_\_\_
- When do you need to rest? \_\_\_\_\_
- When do you need to begin? \_\_\_\_\_
- To where do you need to drive? \_\_\_\_\_ ¿Adónde

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**To answer in the negative**

You need two *no*'s. The first *no* answers the question, (No...)

The second *no* makes the verb negative (...don't) and goes before the verb.

*¿Necesita estudiar?* = Do you need to study?

*No, no necesito estudiar.* = No, I don't need to study.

**ES** answers below

- Do you need to buy a souvenir? *¿Necesita comprar un recuerdo?*  
No, I don't need to buy one. *No, no necesito comprar uno.*
- Do you need to close the door? \_\_\_\_\_ la puerta  
No, I don't need to close the door. \_\_\_\_\_
- Do you need to work tonight? \_\_\_\_\_ esta noche  
No, I don't need to work tonight. \_\_\_\_\_
- Do you need to wait for a bus? \_\_\_\_\_ un autobús  
No, I don't need to wait for one. \_\_\_\_\_
- Do you need to rest now? \_\_\_\_\_ ahora  
No, I don't need to rest now. \_\_\_\_\_
- Do you need to use the bathroom? \_\_\_\_\_ el baño  
No, I don't need to use the bathroom. \_\_\_\_\_

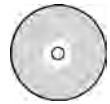
Now answer in the positive by using 'Sí...' in the answer and then in the negative, by using 'No, no...'

- ¿Necesita hablar español aquí? Sí, necesito hablar español aquí.*  
(negative) *No, no necesito hablar español aquí.*
- ¿Necesita llenar su tanque? Sí, \_\_\_\_\_ mi tanque*  
(negative) *No, no \_\_\_\_\_*
- ¿Necesita llevar su maleta? Sí, \_\_\_\_\_ mi maleta*  
(negative) *No, no \_\_\_\_\_*
- ¿Necesita estar aquí mañana? Sí, \_\_\_\_\_*  
(negative) *No, no \_\_\_\_\_*

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| 1. <i>¿Necesita comprar un recuerdo?</i> | <b>No, no necesito comprar uno.</b>         |
| 2. <i>¿Necesita cerrar la puerta?</i>    | <b>No, no necesito cerrar la puerta.</b>    |
| 3. <i>¿Necesita trabajar esta noche?</i> | <b>No, no necesito trabajar esta noche.</b> |
| 4. <i>¿Necesita esperar un autobús?</i>  | <b>No, no necesito esperar uno.</b>         |
| 5. <i>¿Necesita descansar ahora?</i>     | <b>No, no necesito descansar ahora.</b>     |
| 6. <i>¿Necesita usar el baño?</i>        | <b>No, no necesito usar el baño.</b>        |

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| 1. <i>¿Necesita hablar español aquí?</i> | <b>Sí, necesito hablar español aquí.</b> | <b>No, no necesito hablar español aquí.</b> |
| 2. <i>¿Necesita llenar su tanque?</i>    | <b>Sí, necesito llenar mi tanque.</b>    | <b>No, no necesito llenar mi tanque.</b>    |
| 3. <i>¿Necesita llevar su maleta?</i>    | <b>Sí, necesito llevar mi maleta.</b>    | <b>No, no necesito llevar mi maleta.</b>    |
| 4. <i>¿Necesita estar aquí mañana?</i>   | <b>Sí, necesito estar aquí mañana.</b>   | <b>No, no necesito estar aquí mañana.</b>   |



THESE ARE THE 5-POINT  
QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS  
ON YOUR GREEN CARDS



Use the questions and answers as a spoken exercise.  
Answer with *sí* or *no* as appropriate.  
Work with the recording, a partner, or alone.  
Focus on your pronunciation.



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1. ¿Necesita hablar español?
2. ¿Necesita estudiar mucho?
3. ¿Necesita sacar una foto?
4. ¿Necesita pagar la cuenta?
5. ¿Necesita invitar a su amigo?
6. ¿Necesita trabajar mucho hoy?
7. ¿Necesita viajar más?
8. ¿Necesita jugar más tenis?
9. ¿Necesita lavar su coche?
10. ¿Necesita contestar la carta?
11. ¿Necesita usar el baño?
12. ¿Necesita mandar una carta?
13. ¿Necesita comprar un regalo?
14. ¿Necesita buscar un banco?
15. ¿Qué necesita cambiar?
16. ¿Qué necesita tomar?
17. ¿Qué necesita firmar?
18. ¿Qué necesita ordenar?
19. ¿Cuándo necesita terminar?
20. ¿Cuándo necesita regresar?
21. ¿Cuándo necesita llegar?
22. ¿Cuándo necesita descansar?
23. ¿Cuándo necesita empezar?
24. ¿Adónde necesita manejar?

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|--------------------------|--|
| Sí ... No, no ...        | 1. Necesito hablar español.            |
| Sí ... No, no ...        | 2. Necesito estudiar mucho.            |
| Sí ... No, no ...        | 3. Necesito sacar una foto.            |
| Sí ... No, no ...        | 4. Necesito pagar la cuenta.           |
| Sí ... No, no ...        | 5. Necesito invitar a mi amigo.        |
| Sí ... No, no ...        | 6. Necesito trabajar mucho hoy.        |
| Sí ... No, no ...        | 7. Necesito viajar más.                |
| Sí ... No, no ...        | 8. Necesito jugar más tenis.           |
| Sí ... No, no ...        | 9. Necesito lavar mi coche.            |
| Sí ... No, no ...        | 10. Necesito contestar la carta.       |
| Sí ... No, no ...        | 11. Necesito usar el baño.             |
| Sí ... No, no ...        | 12. Necesito mandar una.               |
| Sí ... No, no ...        | 13. Necesito comprar uno.              |
| <u>Sí ... No, no ...</u> | 14. Necesito buscar uno.               |
|                          | 15. Necesito cambiar mi dinero.        |
|                          | 16. Necesito tomar más agua.           |
|                          | 17. Necesito firmar la cuenta.         |
|                          | 18. Necesito ordenar una cerveza fría. |
|                          | 19. Necesito terminar hoy.             |
|                          | 20. Necesito regresar mañana.          |
|                          | 21. Necesito llegar pronto.            |
|                          | 22. Necesito descansar esta noche.     |
|                          | 23. Necesito empezar hoy.              |
|                          | 24. Necesito manejar a México.         |



This is the English version of the questions and answers on the preceding page.  
 Translate them into Spanish orally until you can do it easily.  
 Highlight the words that give you problems.

**E>S** answers on previous page

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|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| 1. Do you need to speak Spanish?      | Yes, ... No, ...        | 1. I (don't) need to speak Spanish.              |
| 2. Do you need to study a lot?        | Yes, ... No, ...        | 2. I (don't) need to study a lot.                |
| 3. Do you need to take a photo?       | Yes, ... No, ...        | 3. I (don't) need to take a photo.               |
| 4. Do you need to pay the bill?       | Yes, ... No, ...        | 4. I (don't) need to pay the bill.               |
| 5. Do you need to invite your friend? | Yes, ... No, ...        | 5. I (don't) need to invite my friend.           |
| 6. Do you need to work a lot today?   | Yes, ... No, ...        | 6. I (don't) need to work a lot today.           |
| 7. Do you need to travel more?        | Yes, ... No, ...        | 7. I (don't) need to travel more.                |
| 8. Do you need to play more tennis?   | Yes, ... No, ...        | 8. I (don't) need to play more tennis.           |
| 9. Do you need to wash your car?      | Yes, ... No, ...        | 9. I (don't) need to wash my car.                |
| 10. Do you need to answer the letter? | Yes, ... No, ...        | 10. I (don't) need to answer the letter.         |
| 11. Do you need to use the bathroom?  | Yes, ... No, ...        | 11. I (don't) need to use the bathroom.          |
| 12. Do you need to mail a letter?     | Yes, ... No, ...        | 12. I (don't) need to mail one ( <i>f</i> ).     |
| 13. Do you need to buy a gift?        | Yes, ... No, ...        | 13. I (don't) need to buy one ( <i>m</i> ).      |
| 14. Do you need to look for a bank?   | <u>Yes, ... No, ...</u> | 14. I (don't) need to look for one ( <i>m</i> ). |
| 15. What do you need to exchange?     |                         | 15. I need to exchange my money.                 |
| 16. What do you need to drink?        |                         | 16. I need to drink more water.                  |
| 17. What do you need to sign?         |                         | 17. I need to sign the bill.                     |
| 18. What do you need to order?        |                         | 18. I need to order a cold beer.                 |
| 19. When do you need to finish?       |                         | 19. I need to finish today                       |
| 20. When do you need to return?       |                         | 20. I need to return tomorrow.                   |
| 21. When do you need to arrive?       |                         | 21. I need to arrive soon.                       |
| 22. When do you need to rest?         |                         | 22. I need to rest tonight.                      |
| 23. When do you need to begin?        |                         | 23. I need to begin today.                       |
| 24. To where do you need to drive?    |                         | 24. I need to drive to Mexico.                   |

# Vocabulary quiz



Quiz yourself on the vocabulary you just studied. **answers on page 18**



55 possible  
-        wrong  
       total score

If you got 44 correct, congratulations!  
Retest yourself on the items you missed.

1. I need \_\_\_\_\_
2. you need \_\_\_\_\_
3. to speak \_\_\_\_\_
4. to study \_\_\_\_\_
5. to take (a photo) \_\_\_\_\_
6. to pay \_\_\_\_\_
7. to invite \_\_\_\_\_
8. to work \_\_\_\_\_
9. to travel \_\_\_\_\_
10. to play (a sport) \_\_\_\_\_
11. to wash \_\_\_\_\_
12. to answer \_\_\_\_\_
13. to use \_\_\_\_\_
14. to send \_\_\_\_\_
15. to buy \_\_\_\_\_
16. to look for \_\_\_\_\_
17. to change \_\_\_\_\_
18. to drink \_\_\_\_\_
19. to sign \_\_\_\_\_
20. to order \_\_\_\_\_
21. to finish \_\_\_\_\_
22. to return \_\_\_\_\_
23. to arrive \_\_\_\_\_
24. to rest \_\_\_\_\_
25. to begin \_\_\_\_\_
26. to drive \_\_\_\_\_
27. Spanish \_\_\_\_\_
28. a photo \_\_\_\_\_
29. the bill \_\_\_\_\_
30. my/your friend \_\_\_\_\_
31. more tennis \_\_\_\_\_
32. my/your car \_\_\_\_\_
33. one \_\_\_\_\_
34. the letter \_\_\_\_\_
35. the bathroom \_\_\_\_\_
36. my money \_\_\_\_\_
37. more water \_\_\_\_\_
38. a cold beer \_\_\_\_\_
39. a gift \_\_\_\_\_
40. a bank \_\_\_\_\_
41. to Mexico \_\_\_\_\_
42. a souvenir \_\_\_\_\_
43. the door \_\_\_\_\_
44. a bus \_\_\_\_\_
45. my/your tank \_\_\_\_\_
46. my/your suitcase \_\_\_\_\_
47. a lot \_\_\_\_\_
48. today \_\_\_\_\_
49. tomorrow \_\_\_\_\_
50. soon \_\_\_\_\_
51. tonight \_\_\_\_\_
52. now \_\_\_\_\_
53. What ...? \_\_\_\_\_
54. When ...? \_\_\_\_\_
55. (To) where ...? \_\_\_\_\_