

A decorative banner with a repeating geometric pattern in green, yellow, orange, and pink. The banner is draped across the top and bottom of the image, with several large, colorful flowers (red, orange, yellow, and blue) interspersed along its length. The banner is framed by a thin orange line.

¡Bienvenidos!

CHILES HIGH SCHOOL
SPANISH

SPANISH COURSES OFFERED

- Spanish 1
- Spanish 2
- Spanish 3
- Spanish 4
- AP Spanish Language and Communication
- AP Spanish Literature

Spanish 1

Course Description:

- Spanish I introduces students to the target language and its culture.
- Students develop proficiencies across the full range of communication modes (interpersonal, presentational, and interpretive) and cross-cultural understanding.
- An introduction to reading and writing is also included as well as culture, connections, comparisons, and communities.

Spanish 3

Course Description:

At this level, students focus on additional verb tenses and a wider range of vocabulary, increasing their ability to comprehend and produce the language. Reading, listening, and viewing activities are increasingly based on authentic resources. Communications skills focus on more "real world" situations.

Spanish 2

Course Description:

- This class is a continuation of Spanish 1.
- More Spanish vocabulary, grammar, and culture.
- We will continue building fundamental communication skills like listening, speaking, reading, and writing.

Spanish 4

Course Description:

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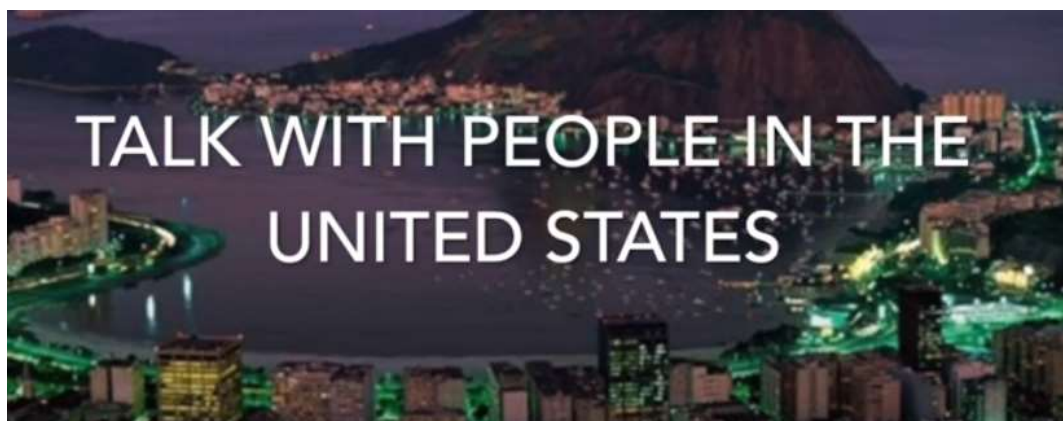
Why study Spanish????

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**Spanish is the 2nd most spoken language
by native speakers in the world.**

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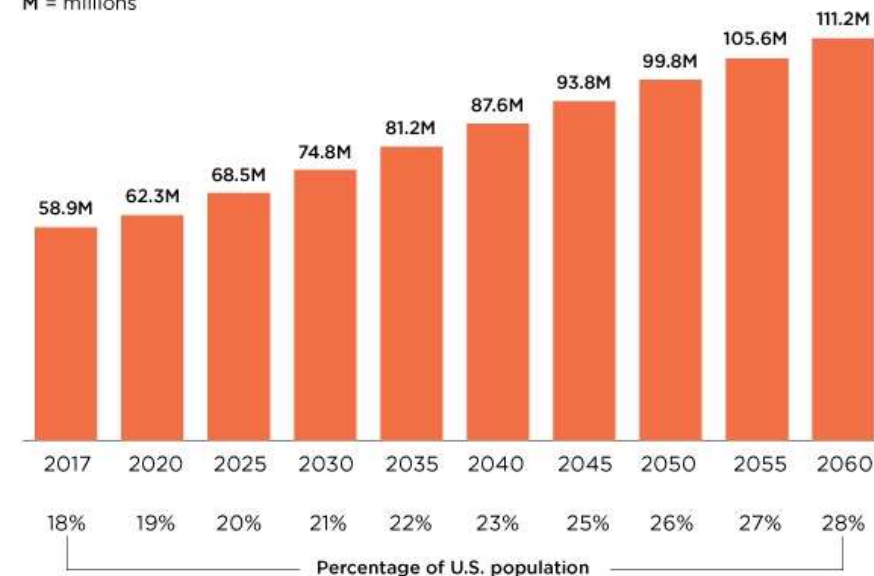
Spanish is the fastest growing language in the United States.

It is projected that by 2060, 28% of the U.S. population will speak Spanish.

Hispanic Population to Reach 111 Million by 2060

Projected Hispanic Population 2020 to 2060

M = millions



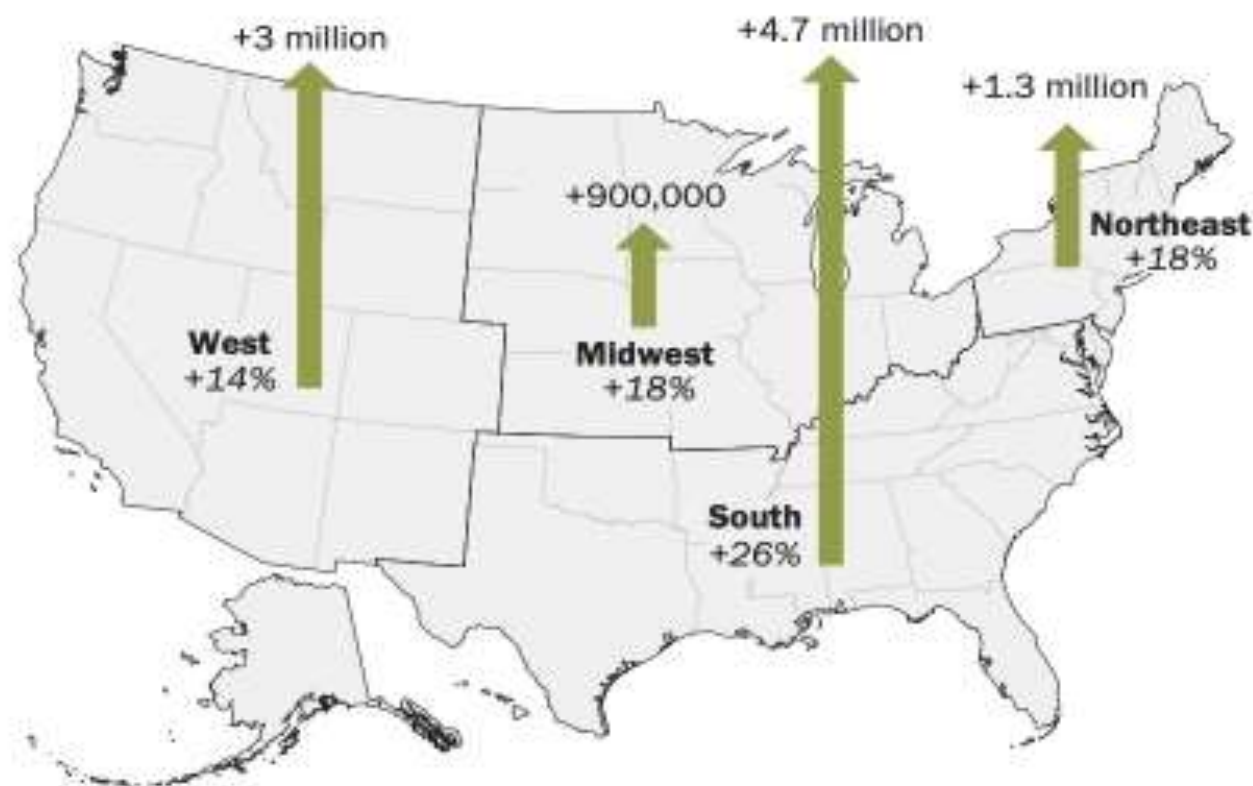
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Source: 2017 National Population Projections and
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South has seen the nation's biggest Latino population growth since 2010

Latino population growth, 2010-2019, by region

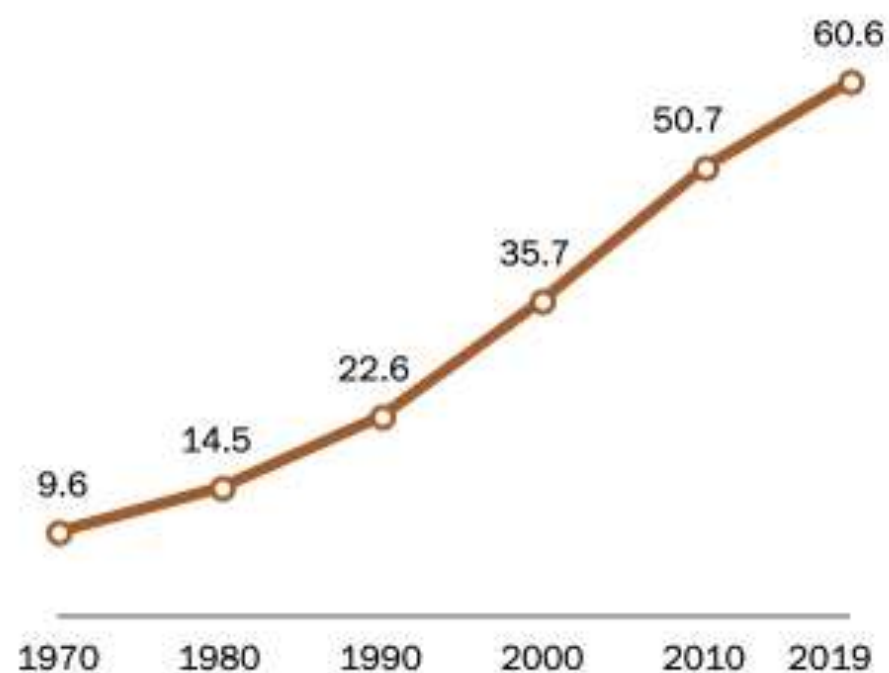


Note: Population estimates are as of July 1, 2019. Hispanics are of any race.
Source: Pew Research Center analysis of U.S. Census Bureau Vintage 2019 estimates for 2010-2019.

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U.S. Hispanic population reached nearly 61 million in 2019

In millions



Note: Population estimates for 1990-2019 are as of July 1 for each year. Hispanics are of any race.
Source: Pew Research Center analysis of 1970-1980 estimates based on decennial censuses (see 2008 report "U.S. Population Projections: 2005-2050"), U.S. intercensal population estimates for 1990-1999 and 2000-2009, and U.S. Census Bureau Vintage 2019 estimates for 2010-2019.

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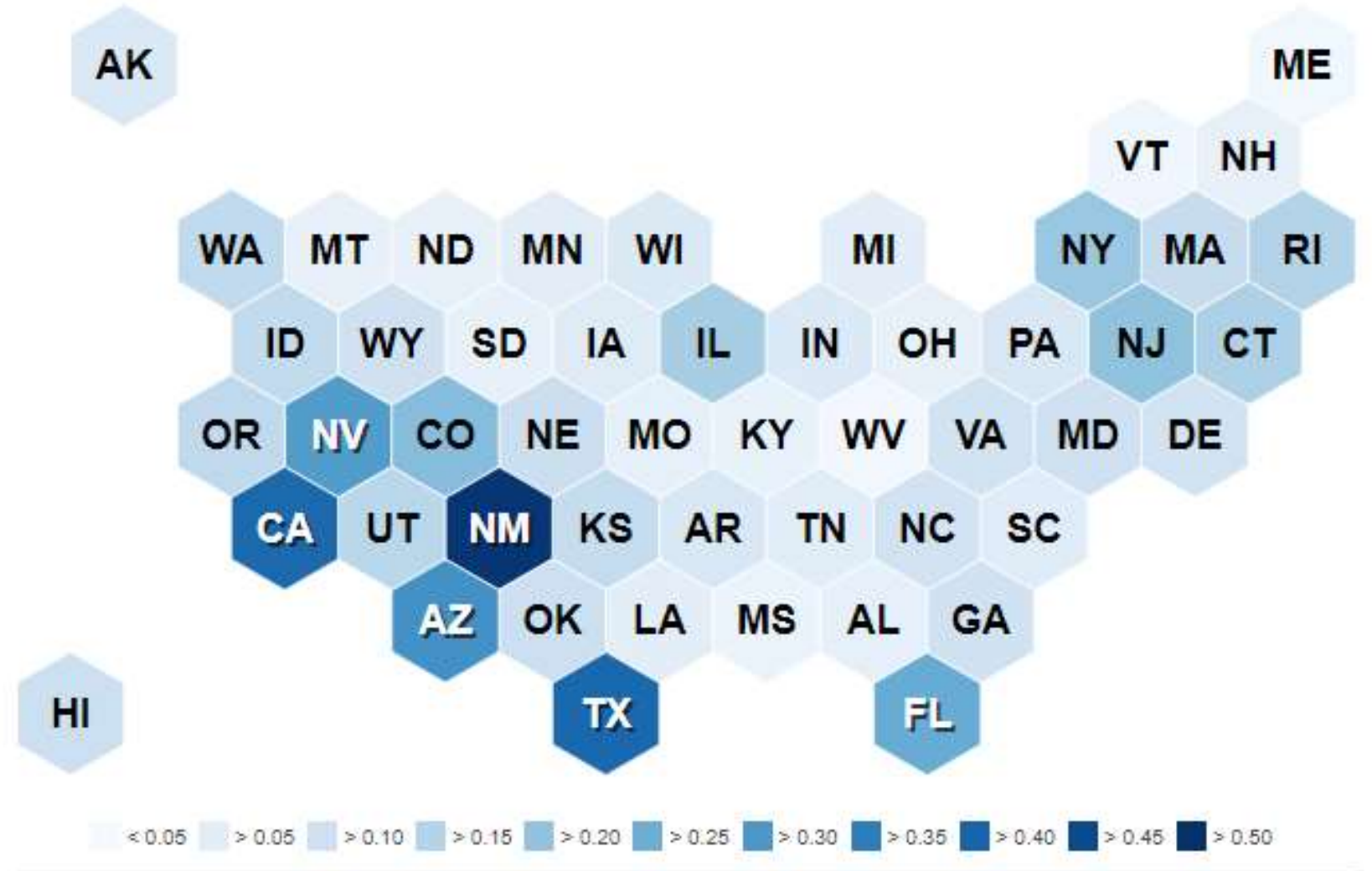
The states with the highest Hispanic population are:

- 1) California: 15.57 million
- 2) Texas: 11.52 million
- 3) Florida: 5.66 million
- 4) New York: 3.75 million
- 5) Arizona: 2.31 million

The 10 states with the highest number of Hispanics as a percentage of the population:

- 1) New Mexico (48.79%)
- 2) Texas (39.34%)
- 3) California (39.02%)
- 4) Arizona (31.33%)
- 5) Nevada (28.70%)
- 6) Florida (25.58%)
- 7) Colorado (21.53%)
- 8) New Jersey (20.21%)
- 9) New York (19.01%)
- 10) Illinois (17.12%)

Hispanic Population by State 2021



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IMPROVE YOUR EMPLOYMENT POTENTIAL

EMPLOYERS LOOK TO HIRE
MULTILINGUAL PROFESSIONALS
EVERY YEAR!

More
Opportunities

**Did you know local hospitals offer higher salaries
to Spanish-speaking nurses?**

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When you learn a new language, you become better at grammar in your own language.

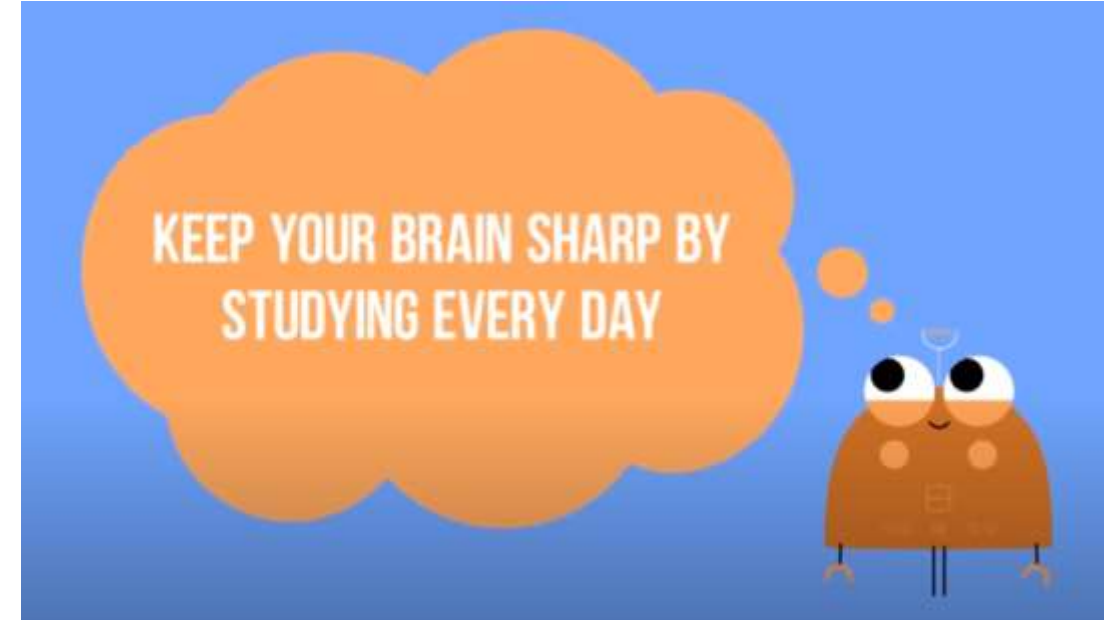


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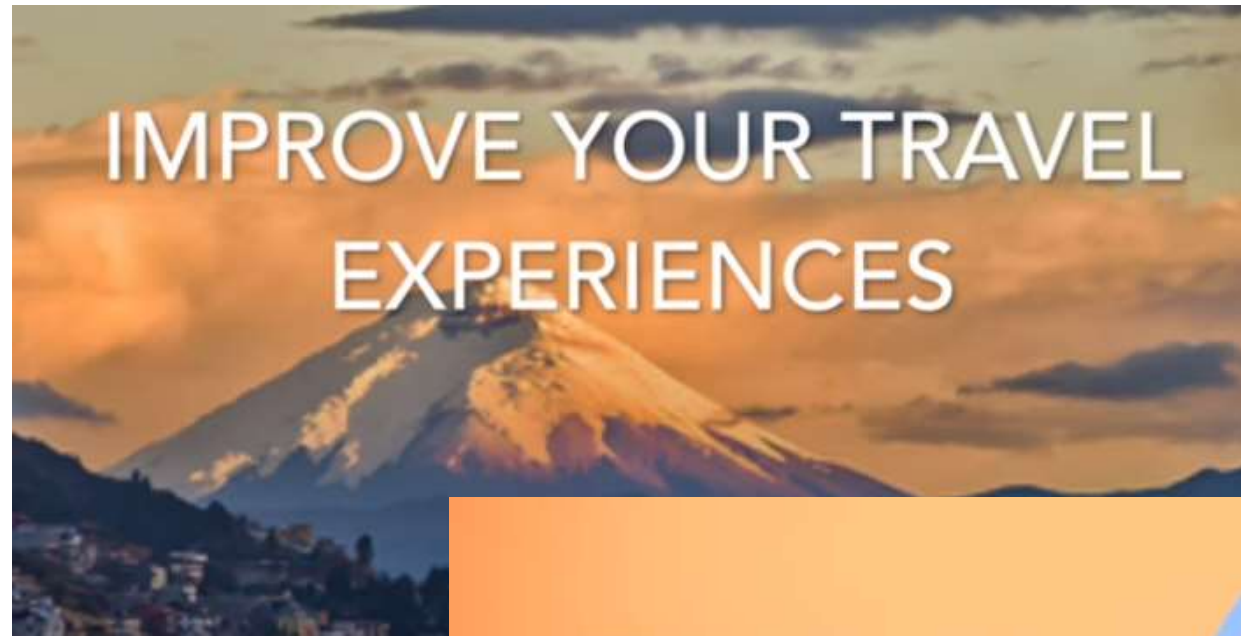


Learning a second language helps you develop thinking and memory skills by stimulating:

- sustained attention
- category formation
- pattern recognition
- speed of information processing
- cognitive flexibility



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**Exploring A
Different Culture**



If you go on vacation or decide to live in a Spanish-speaking country, knowing the local language will allow you to:

- Better navigate the place**
- Better understand people**

APPRECIATE THE CULTURES OF SPANISH-SPEAKING COUNTRIES



Spanish classes will allow you to learn about Latin American

- customs and traditions
- food
- music
- art
- literature
- film

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Language will not be a barrier keeping you from making new friends!



Spanish is not just a class...
It is a skill you are acquiring...
a skill that will open many doors for you!