

# Language Links

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## Adult Class Descriptions

### **BEGINNER**

This class is designed for the absolute beginner. Language will be introduced in an interactive manner. The class curriculum will be designed according to the language needs and interests of the students enrolled in the class.

### **INTERMEDIATE**

This class is designed for individuals who have had some language background but are seeking to refresh and expand upon what they have already learned. Again, classes are designed around the needs and interests of the students in class.

### **ADVANCED**

The students in this class usually have a good deal of experience with their second language either through travel and work experiences or years of class work. Students are looking for the opportunity to practice their second language in a safe environment where they can be guided through discussions on current events or simulated situations they may encounter. Grammar will be reviewed and taught according to language needs; while the main focus is to help you feel comfortable conversing using the rules and vocabulary you already know.

### **PRIVATE AND SEMI-PRIVATE (2-3 students)**

We will assess your goals and language ability and design a course specifically for your needs and interests.

### Los Niveles: How do you rate yourself?

|         | Novice  | Intermediate   | Advanced   | Native   |
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| Fluency | Speech is halting and fragmented making communication virtually impossible. | Numerous nonnative pauses in responses that interfere with understanding and communication.                          | Speech shows evidence of nonnative pauses but these rarely interfere with understanding and communication.                         | Speech is smooth and effortless closely approximating that of a native speaker.        |
| Grammar | Virtually void of grammatical control except in simple phrases.             | Some control of basic grammatical constructions but substantial and/or repeated errors interfere with comprehension. | Generally good control in all grammatical constructions with occasional errors that do not interfere with overall intelligibility. | Sporadic minor grammatical errors that could be made inadvertently by native speakers. |

### ¿Quién eres?- Who are you?

Nombre y Apellido: first & last name:

Número de teléfono: Telephone Number    Correo electrónico: Email

Dirección: Address

### What are your hopes and goals for your second language study?

### Tuition:

**Private:** one on one, minimum 10-class commitment, \$50.00 per hour

**Semi-Private:** 2-3 students, minimum 10-class commitment, \$30.00 per hour

**Small Group:** 4-8 students, 8wk program, meet once a week for 1.5 hrs, \$250.00

4-8 students, 12wk program, meet once a week for 1.5 hrs, \$345.00

4-8 students, 16wk program, meet once a week for 1.5 hrs, \$375.00