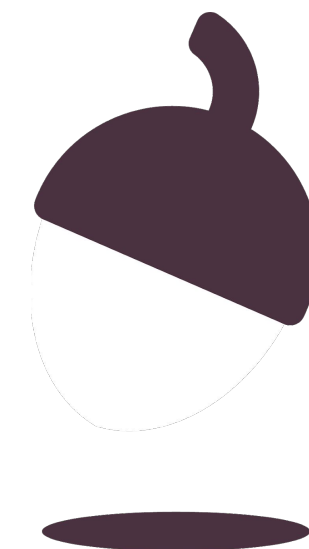


Spanish

Describing activities different people do [1/2]

- Using subject pronouns: yo ('I') & tú ('you') & hacer
- Using subject pronouns: ella ('She') & él ('he') & hacer
- using the verb HACER (1st & 3rd person plural)

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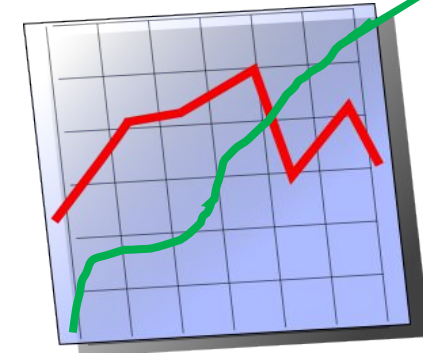
[ji]



ojo

dejar
[to leave]

mejor



mujer





	Word	English meaning
1	hacemos	we do, we make
2	hacen	they do, we make
3	el intercambio	exchange
4	el ruido	noise
	el esfuerzo	effort
6	la maleta	suitcase
	el viaje	trip, journey
8	el gesto	gesture
9	la tarea	task, chore





Using subject pronouns: **yo** ('I') & **tú** ('you') & **hacer**

In Spanish, remember the verb (or its ending) tells us **who** it refers to.

Here is an example with the verb *hacer* (to do/make):

Hago = I do / make.

Haces = you do / make.

When comparing different people, Spanish uses a subject pronoun (e.g. I, you, he) before the verb. This makes it clear who the verb refers to.

Yo hago la cama, mientras que **tú** no haces tareas.

I make the bed, whereas **you** don't do tasks.

So, '**yo**' means '**I**' and '**tú**' means '**you**'.

In English, we always use the subject pronoun here too!



Using subject pronouns: él ('he') & ella ('she') & **hacer**



To say '**s/he does**' or '**s/he makes**' you say: **hace**.

Sometimes it is unclear from the verb alone whether it refers to 'he' or 'she'.

1

2

So, we can use the subject pronouns: **él** (he) and **ella** (she)

Él hace la comida mientras **ella** hace deporte.

He makes the food while **she** does sport.



Using 'hacer' in 1st and 3rd person plural

To talk about **what we do** or **someone does** we use 'hacer'

we

Hacemos una llamada por Skype.

We do *a Skype call.*

they

Hacen una presentación.

They do *a presentation.*

Please note you need to be 13 or older to use Skype.



Respuestas

1. To talk about what we do or someone does we use the verb:

a) hacer

b) ir

2. When comparing different people, Spanish **a) uses**
b) doesn't use a pronoun before the verb.

3. 'We do' = **hacemos**

4. 'They do' = **hacen**

5. 'Mientras' means _____.

a) but

b) while

