

¡Qué chévere! 2nd Edition, Levels 1- 3

Changes from 1st Edition

Student Edition

VOCABULARY

- Vocabulary presentations have been revised to include up-to-date vocabulary terms, especially in the area of technology.
- Vocabulary presentations have been relabeled (A1, A2, B1, B2) for easier navigation by teachers and students.

CULTURE

- The readings within each lesson have been updated to reflect current information.
- A new culture section has been added at the end of each unit: *Un poco más: Cultura*. This section includes new readings on topics of high interest to students, with accompanying features that highlight the Products, Practices, and Perspectives of the target culture as well as guide students in making cultural comparisons. The readings are all in Spanish, while the accompanying features and activities (*Comprensión* and *Analiza/Analice*) are scaffolded, moving from English to Spanish according to the appropriate level of difficulty.
- *Un poco más: Cultura* also includes *El rincón del arte* where students examine and discuss an authentic work of art (painting, photograph, etc.) from the Spanish-speaking world.

COMMUNICATION

- Green labels highlighting the modes of communication have been added to all activities, to help teachers select activities in the various modes and to help students target certain skills in each mode.

21ST-CENTURY SKILLS

- Activities in *Proyectos* focus on building 21st-Century skills; they help students develop critical thinking and cross-disciplinary skills as well as global awareness.

ADDITIONAL FEATURES

- A *refrán* on each unit opener allows students to learn Spanish as native speakers use it.
- The *consejo práctico* on each unit opener provides students with a learning tip that helps them be successful in their language learning.
- *Un poco más: Tira cómica* follows four teens through their high school years. The teens and their friends are from various Spanish-speaking countries, so students are exposed to accents from across the Spanish-speaking world. Each episode incorporates the unit content for reinforcement as well as idiomatic and slang expressions, so students learn Spanish the way native speakers use it.
- *Repaso de la Unidad* brings it all together for students. *Mis metas* from the unit opener are reintroduced as *Mis metas cumplidas* so students can track their progress. A fun *Trabalenguas* is included for pronunciation and fluency practice. The corresponding episode of *El cuarto misterioso* is revisited with post-viewing questions as students work to solve the mystery of the secret room.

Annotated Teacher's Edition

EASE OF USE

- For Passport® users, suggestions on when to incorporate Explore videos and news articles, Share posts, and Perform tasks make it easier to integrate blended learning

ADDITIONAL FEATURES IN SIDE MARGINS

- *Expansion* provides additional pedagogical information and suggestions, such as *PQA* (Personalized Questions and Answers) and suggestions for incorporating circumlocution.
- *Spanish in the Workplace* provides suggestions for students to use their Spanish beyond the classroom setting. It makes Spanish relevant to students for use in the real world and in their future.
- *Connecting to AP®* provides suggestions on how to prepare students for various aspects of the AP® Spanish Language and Culture Exam.
- *Social Justice* (Level 3) offers ideas on how students can use their Spanish to reflect on global issues and, in turn, effect change in their communities.