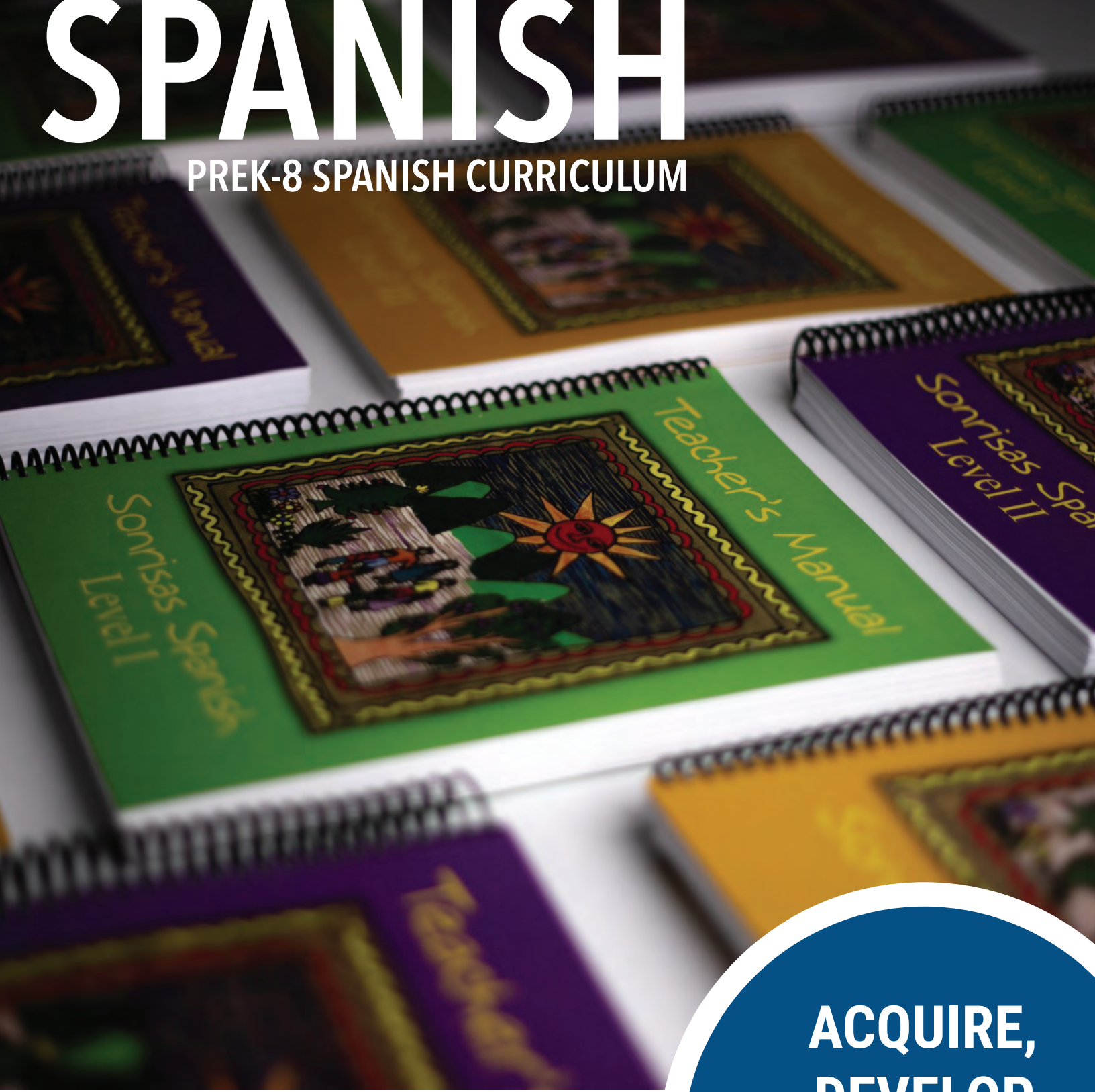


SONRISAS



SPANISH

PREK-8 SPANISH CURRICULUM



The Acquire, Develop, Learn methodology guides the way the different levels of the Sonrisas Spanish curriculum work together. It ensures a developmentally appropriate sequence of Spanish instruction from PreK through the elementary and middle school grades.

**ACQUIRE,
DEVELOP,
LEARN[®]**

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ACQUIRE

Sonrisas Level I
Grades PreK-4th
Students acquire Spanish.



DEVELOP




Sonrisas Level II
Grades 2nd-4th
Students develop their Spanish.



LEARN

Sonrisas Level III
Grades 5th-8th
Students learn the how and why of Spanish.

INSTRUCTIONAL STRATEGIES

	 SONRISAS LEVEL I	 SONRISAS LEVEL II	 SONRISAS LEVEL III
Music and verse	✓	✓	
Games, role-play, and drama	✓	✓	✓
Calendar activities	✓	✓	✓
Storytelling with authentic literature	✓	✓	✓
Art projects	✓	✓	✓
Cultural lessons	✓	✓	✓
Independent practice with Student Portfolio	✓	✓	✓
Thematic units		✓	✓
Higher level performance targets		✓	✓
Partner Time = three modes of communication		✓	✓
More independent reading and writing		✓	✓
TPR			✓
Spelling activities			✓
Cultural readings			✓
Grammar instruction			✓
TPRS Storytelling®			✓
Communication strategy instruction			✓
Whole group reading activities			✓

ACQUIRE SONRISAS LEVEL I

- In Sonrisas Level I students acquire Spanish.
- We know from language acquisition research that learners acquire language when they have the opportunity for meaningful communication in the target language.
- Level I lessons promote acquisition by providing lots of meaningful communication in Spanish through fun, age-appropriate activities.
- Cultural themes are introduced with holiday lessons and the supplemental Cultural Curriculum.



LEVEL I

Student acquire Spanish with:

- Music and verse
- Games, role-play, and drama
- Calendar activities
- Storytelling with authentic literature
- Art projects
- Independent practice with Student Portfolio

These activities are done in a consistent structure of Circle Time, Story Time, and Art Time.

CIRCLE TIME: Students sing songs, recite verse, play games, and do calendar and lesson activities—all in Spanish. Students review activities from previous lessons and are introduced to performance targets. Circle Time is fun and active—engaging young learner’s kinesthetic intelligence. Teacher and students engage in lots of age-appropriate communication in Spanish.

STORY TIME: The teacher reads a Spanish children’s storybook to students. Story Time provides students with an authentic Spanish language experience, reinforces performance targets, and engages student’s imaginations.

ART TIME: Students complete an art project which is related to the theme for the lesson. While students are engaged working on the project, the teacher converses with them in Spanish, one-on-one, about what they are working on. This reinforces the performance targets for the lesson and enables more communication in Spanish.

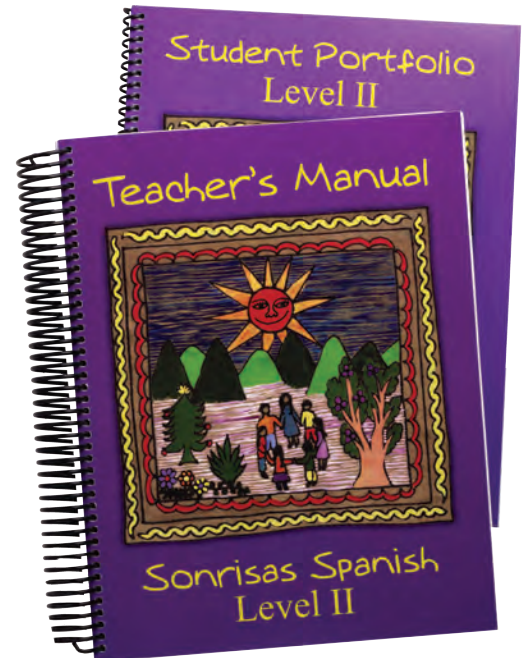
STUDENT PORTFOLIO ACTIVITY: Students practice performance targets independently. The portfolio activity can be done in class with the teacher facilitating, or it can be assigned for homework.

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LEVEL II

- In Sonrisas Level II students develop their Spanish.
- Level II lessons utilize higher level performance targets.
- A Partner Time segment is added to the lessons in which students interact in the three modes of communication—the interpretive, interpersonal, and presentational.
- Cultural understanding develops through thematic units which focus on global perspectives and diversity.



LEVEL II

Students develop their Spanish with:

- Music and verse
- Games, role-play, and drama
- Calendar activities
- Storytelling with authentic literature
- Art projects
- Independent practice with Student Portfolio
- Thematic units
- Higher level performance targets
- Partner Time = three modes of communication
- More independent reading and writing

THEMATIC UNITS: Thematic units provide opportunities to engage students in more complex and sophisticated thinking and language use. Themes are relevant to the context of student's lives. Themes include a focus on global perspectives and diversity to develop cultural understanding.

HIGHER LEVEL PERFORMANCE TARGETS: No skills or vocabulary are taught in isolation. Targets focus on developing acquisition and age-appropriate Spanish for effective communication.

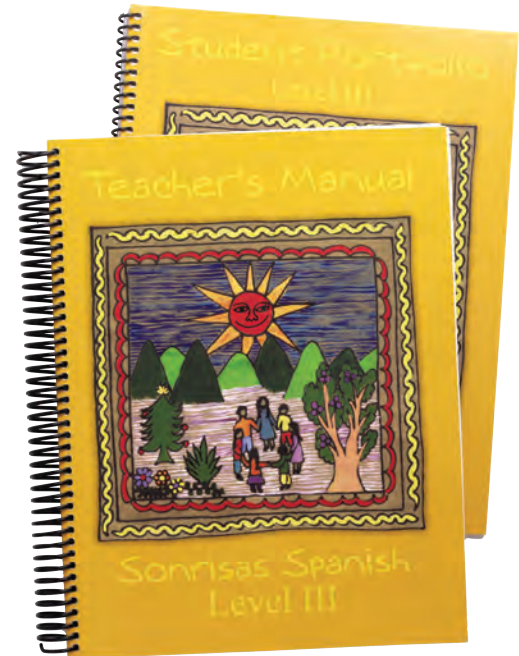
PARTNER TIME: In a peer-to-peer setting, students engage in the three modes of communication—interpretive, interpersonal, and presentational. Partners work together to interpret text and/or images, then use that information in an interpersonal exchange to complete a task. Partners then use their Spanish to present information to each other or to the class.

MORE INDEPENDENT READING AND WRITING: This occurs through the reading and writing that is required in the Partner Time activities and the portfolio activities.

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LEVEL III

- In Sonrisas Level III students learn the how and why of Spanish.
- Level III lessons include grammar and communication strategy instruction.
- Students build comprehension and speaking skills with the highly effective TPRS Storytelling method.
- Cultural competence is learned through cultural readings and whole group discussions.



LEVEL III

Students learn Spanish with:

- Calendar activities
- Independent practice with Student Portfolio
- Thematic units
- Partner Time
- Independent reading and writing
- TPR (Total Physical Response)
- Spelling
- Cultural readings
- Grammar instruction
- TPRS Storytelling®
- Communication strategy instruction
- Whole group reading activities

TPR: Introduces new grammar concepts and phrases that are practical for classroom and everyday usage.

SPELLING: Students begin to integrate the sound and writing systems of Spanish.


CULTURAL READINGS: A cultural theme is introduced in the first lesson of each unit with a cultural reading. Students engage in a whole group discussion about the cultural theme which reinforces cultural competence and understanding.

GRAMMAR INSTRUCTION: Students are taught a grammar concept. They practice it with a grammar exercise. Then they use it throughout the rest of the unit in the TPRS Story, the whole group reading activity, and the Partner Time activity.

TPRS STORYTELLING: Students build comprehension and speaking skills as they use Spanish to create stories. Students gain fluency through repetition of vocabulary and phrases and through the use of grammar concepts in the stories.

COMMUNICATION STRATEGY INSTRUCTION: Students learn strategies that help them bridge communication gaps that result from differences of language and culture.

WHOLE GROUP READING ACTIVITY: Students apply the cultural theme, grammar, and the vocabulary and phrases from the TPRS Story as they build comprehension and Spanish reading skills.



OUTCOMES OF THE
**AQUIRE,
DEVELOP,
LEARN[®]**

METHODOLOGY

Acquire, Develop, Learn ensures that students learn Spanish in a developmentally appropriate sequence. As a result, students:

- Gain proficiency in Spanish. Students progress from a novice low level to an intermediate low level of proficiency with the Sonrisas Spanish curriculum.
- Gain cultural competence and understanding. Students need these skills in today's global society.
- Gain a positive attitude toward language learning. Students become life-long language learners.

PRODUCT LIST

- All materials are provided in print and digital format (except storybooks).
- Go to Sonrisasspanish.com to learn more.
- Teacher manuals, student portfolios, and CDs are available for a la carte purchase.

ELEMENTARY BUNDLE | PreK-4th

\$849

Includes:

- Sonrisas Level I (Teacher's Manual, Student Portfolio, and Resource CD*)
- Sonrisas Level II (Teacher's Manual, Student Portfolio, and Resource CD*)
- Sonrisas Cultural Curriculum
- Sonrisas Calendar Time Guide
- 73 classroom posters
- Two music CDs*
- 25% discount

K-6 BUNDLE | PreK-6th

\$1,229

Includes:

- Sonrisas Level I (Teacher's Manual, Student Portfolio, and Resource CD*)
- Sonrisas Level II (Teacher's Manual, Student Portfolio, and Resource CD*)
- Sonrisas Level III (Teacher's Manual, Student Portfolio, and Resource CD*)
- Sonrisas Cultural Curriculum
- Sonrisas Calendar Time Guide
- 73 classroom posters
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K-8 BUNDLE | PreK-8th

\$1,599

Includes:

- Sonrisas Level I (Teacher's Manual, Student Portfolio, and Resource CD*)
- Sonrisas Level II (Teacher's Manual, Student Portfolio, and Resource CD*)
- Sonrisas Level III (Teacher's Manual, Student Portfolio, and Resource CD*)
- Sonrisas Level III, Book 2 (Teacher's Manual, Student Portfolio, and Resource CD*)
- Sonrisas Cultural Curriculum
- Sonrisas Calendar Time Guide
- 73 classroom posters
- Two music CDs*
- 25% discount

MIDDLE SCHOOL BUNDLE | 5th-8th

\$899

Includes:

- Sonrisas Level III (Teacher's Manual, Student Portfolio, and Resource CD*)
- Sonrisas Level III, Book 2 (Teacher's Manual, Student Portfolio, and Resource CD*)
- Sonrisas Calendar Time Guide
- 73 classroom posters
- 25% discount

ELEMENTARY BUNDLE STORYBOOK SET

\$674

Includes:

- All storybooks for Sonrisas Level I, Sonrisas Level II, and the Sonrisas Cultural Curriculum

**CDs provided in digital format only.*

PRODUCT LIST

SONRISAS LEVEL I | K-4th

\$499

Includes:

- Level I Teacher's Manual
- Level I Student Portfolio
- Level I Resource CD*
- Two music CDs*
- Calendar Time Guide
- 73 Classroom Posters

LEVEL I STORYBOOK SET

\$364

Includes:

- All storybooks for Sonrisas Level I

SONRISAS LEVEL II | 2nd-4th

\$589

Includes:

- Level II Teacher's Manual
- Level II Student Portfolio
- Level II Resource CD*
- Two music CDs*
- Calendar Time Guide
- 73 Classroom Posters

LEVEL II STORYBOOK SET

\$366

Includes:

- All storybooks for Sonrisas Level II

SONRISAS LEVEL III | 5th-8th

\$499

Includes:

- Level III Teacher's Manual
- Level III Student Portfolio
- Level III Resource CD*

SONRISAS PRESCHOOL CURRICULUM

\$229

Includes:

- Level I Teacher's Manual
- Two music CDs*

PRESCHOOL PACKAGE

\$399

Includes:

- Level I Teacher's Manual
- Two music CDs*
- Calendar Time Guide
- 73 Classroom Posters

SONRISAS CALENDAR TIME CURRICULUM

\$199

Includes:

- Calendar Time Guide
- 73 Classroom Posters

SONRISAS CULTURAL CURRICULUM

\$49

Includes:

- Cultural Curriculum Teacher's Manual
- Nine culture lessons

CULTURAL CURRICULUM STORYBOOK SET

\$105

Includes:

- All storybooks for Sonrisas Cultural Curriculum

LEVEL I STUDENT PORTFOLIO BULK PRICING

Includes:

- 10-19 portfolios = \$12.99 each
- 20-49 portfolios = \$11.99 each
- 50-99 portfolios = \$10.99 each
- 100+ portfolios = \$9.99 each

LEVEL II STUDENT PORTFOLIO BULK PRICING

Includes:

- 10-19 portfolios = \$18.99 each
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- 50-99 portfolios = \$16.99 each
- 100+ portfolios = \$14.99 each

LEVEL III STUDENT PORTFOLIO BULK PRICING

Includes:

- 10-19 portfolios = \$11.99 each
- 20-49 portfolios = \$10.99 each
- 50-99 portfolios = \$9.99 each
- 100+ portfolios = \$8.99 each

LEVEL III BOOK 2 STUDENT PORTFOLIO BULK PRICING

Includes:

- 10-19 portfolios = \$12.99 each
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- 50-99 portfolios = \$10.99 each
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