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Español 2 - Unidad 5 – La cultura – España

Instrucciones: Fill out the following notes sheet based on the cultural activities online. This follows the online activity in order by section. Make sure to hold on to this paper to study, as this information will be part of the exam! This can also be used as a backup should you lose internet connection while working.

Datos generales y geográficos:

- Capital of Spain: _____
- Currency: _____
- Typical Foods: _____
- Languages: _____
- 2 Cities in Andalucía: _____
- City in Cataluña: _____



Colors/Design of the Spanish Flag:

Churros y porras:

- Churros and porras, both types of fried dough are sold in _____.
- People often also get a _____ (caliente) drink that is very thick/rich and served with the churros or porras.

El Greco:

- El Greco was the nickname of Doménikos Theotokópoulos, born in _____, but who became a famous artist in Spain.
- El Greco lived for many years in _____, Spain which is near Madrid.
- A famous painting by him is *Vista de Toledo*.

Antoni Gaudí:

- Antoni Gaudí was a famous catalán architect (arquitecto) from _____, Spain.
- Gaudí was a modernist and built decorative buildings and locations in Barcelona, drawing inspiration from _____ with bright colors and curving shapes.
- Some of Gaudí's famous works include: Casa Batlló, La Sagrada Familia, and _____.

La naturaleza muerta:

- La naturaleza muerta means _____.
- La naturaleza muerta paintings contain _____, and things such as flowers, fruits, foods, plates, utensils, bread and instruments.
- Àngel Planells was an artist from _____, Spain, and painted the above example of naturaleza muerta (a table with foods, a plate, glass, knife, napkin, etc).

Las tapas:

- Tapas are _____ and are very common in Spain.
- Common tapas dishes include *aceitunas* (olives), *el jamón*, *los calamares* (squid) y *los pulpos* (_____).
- Another common tapa is la ensaladilla rusa, which is a mix of _____, carrots, peas and mayonnaise.
- Another common tapa *la torilla de patatas* (*tortilla española*) which is _____ than tortillas from Mexico/Central America. A *tortilla española* is made with egg, potatoes and onion. A *tortilla mexicana* is made of flour or corn.

Typical Spanish Dishes:

- Paella is a traditional rice dish originating from _____, Spain and is usually made with saffron, chicken, and shellfish.
- _____ is a cold soup made of tomatoes and raw vegetables blended together.
- _____ is a dessert custard served with a caramel sauce.

Pablo Neruda:

- Pablo Neruda was a famous poet from _____.
- Pablo Neruda wrote many _____ to various every day objects (*las cosas más básicas de la vida*).

Maria Blanchard:

- María Blanchard was a famous Spanish painter (*pintora*) who also taught _____.
- Common themes of Maria Blanchard's work were _____.
- She used the money from the sale of her paintings to help _____.

Las horas de comer:

- In Spain, many people eat a _____ breakfast between 7 and 9 am.
- They eat a _____ lunch between 1:30 and 3:30pm. Then may have a snack later between lunch and dinner.
- In Spain, many people don't eat _____ until 9 or 10 at night.
- In Spanish-speaking countries such as Spain, El Salvador and Uruguay, _____ is the main meal of the day.
- People in El Salvador generally eat dinner _____ than people in Spain.

Toledo:

- Toledo, the capital of the province of Castilla-La Mancha is a historical city that has been protected since 1941 to _____ modernization and industrial development.

Culinary Traditions:**Cultural Comparison – Madrid, Spain:**

- *El cocido madrileño* is a dish/stew from Madrid, Spain made from _____ (garbanzos), vegetables, and meats. When served, the stock/soup, vegetables/chickpeas, and meats are all served separately.
- Sobrino de Botín is a restaurant in Madrid, Spain that serves traditional *platos madrileños* and is famous as the _____ restaurant in the world.

Cultural Comparison – Montevideo, Uruguay:

- Montevideo, the capital of Uruguay is located on the coast so _____ are *alimentos básicos* (basic foods) of the region and easy to find.
- _____ is a typical barbecue dish of meat roasted on a grill from the area of Montevideo.
- El Mercado del Puerto in Montevideo is a place you can go to _____ as it houses a number of different restaurants.