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Español 2 - Unidad 6 – La cultura – Los Estados Unidos

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:

- City with the most Latinos: _____

Mexicanoamericanos:

- A little over 45% of the population of _____ is Latino.
- The majority of the Latinos there are _____.
- Because of this there are many public celebrations that come from Mexico such as _____ - (Sept. 16th) and Cinco de Mayo.
- Cinco de Mayo is celebrated more in the US than Mexico and has become a celebration of Mexican-American culture in the US. It commemorates Mexico's defeat of the _____ army in the Battle of Puebla.

La ciudad de Los Ángeles:

- The 44 Spanish farmers founded a city in California and named it «El Pueblo de Nuestra Señora la Reina de los Ángeles del Río de Porciúncula» - today we call it _____.
- The Río _____ (Porciúncula River), now called just Los Angeles River runs through the city.

Hollywood:

- There are many actors and _____ from Hispanic countries or of Hispanic origin in Hollywood today.

Chicanos and Art:

- _____ is a word for Mexican Americans - people born in the United States but of Mexican heritage.
- Gilbert "Magu" Lujan, a Chicano painter, formed part of "Los Four" a group artists that had the first exposition of Chicano art in LA in 1974 and also painted many _____ in the city of LA.
- Aztlán is a common theme in Chicano art and is the legendary origin place of the _____.

Festivales del cine:

- El Festival Internacional del Cine Latino de _____ is an opportunity for Latino directors from the United States, Spain, and Latin American to present their movies.
- _____ was one of the founders of the Festival Internacional del Cine Latino.
- El Festival Internacional de Cine de Mar del Plata is a similar movie festival that takes place in _____ and is open to film directors from all countries.

La casa de los espíritus:

- _____ wrote "La casa de los espíritus," a novel that was adapted into a movie.
- She is from _____.
- _____ is the main character who decides to stop talking and is terrorized by her nana in order to trick her into speaking.

Patssi Valdez:

- Patssi Valdez is _____ from Los Angeles.
- Patssi Valdez expresses her art using many artistic _____ (medios artísticos) such as painting, performance art, photography, clothing design and set design.
- She was the official artist of the 5th edition of the _____.
- Patssi Valdez says that _____ is an inspiration in her art.

Las estrellas de cine y televisión:

- Wilmer Valderrama came to the United States at the age of 13 from _____ and couldn't speak English.
- He learned English at school and in _____ and was able to land a role in *That '70s Show*.
- Actress Alexis Bledel (*Gilmore Girls* and *Handmaid's Tale*) learned _____ as her first language.
- Alexis Bledel's dad is _____ and her mom is Mexican. Ella es argentinamexicana.

The Oscar and the Ariel:

- _____ actor José Ferrer was the first Hispanic actor to receive the Oscar in 1950 for his role in *Cyrano de Bergerac*.
- Puerto Rican actress _____ was the first Hispanic actress to receive the Oscar in 1961 for her role in *West Side Story*.
- La Academia Mexicana de Artes y Ciencias Cinematográficas awards the _____.
- The Ariel is a statue of a _____ man (hombre alado) which represents the liberty of the spirit and of art.