

Pon la mesa

Set the Thanksgiving table: a cut-and-glue reading activity in Spanish



Best after ¡A LEER! Libro 2 • Ages 4–8

What's inside

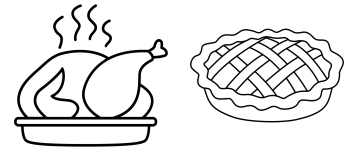
- Page 2: a placemat with 9 plates, each labelled with a food word.
- Page 3: 9 food pictures to cut out and glue on the right plate.

How to play

- 1 Print pages 2 and 3. Color the food if you like, then cut out the 9 pictures.
- 2 Read the word under a plate, one syllable at a time: el pa-vo.
- 3 Find that food and glue it on the plate.
- 4 When the table is full, read the whole menu out loud. ¡A comer! means let's eat!

Make it easier or harder

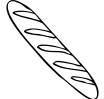
- Easier: read the plates together first, then hunt for each food.
- Harder: be the waiter. A grown-up asks for a food in Spanish and your child finds the plate.



For grown-ups

Thanksgiving is el Día de Acción de Gracias in Spanish, a day to share a big meal and say thank you. Every food word uses sounds from ¡A LEER! Libros 1 and 2. La tarta is pie in much of the Spanish-speaking world (in Mexico you may also hear el pay), and el camote is sweet potato. No Spanish needed: every syllable has free audio at espanolforkids.org.

The 9 foods

								
el pavo turkey	la tarta pie	el pastel cake	el camote sweet potato	las papas potatoes	el pan bread	el elote corn	las uvas grapes	la pera pear



Read it, play it, learn it!

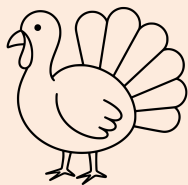
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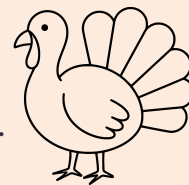
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¡A comer!

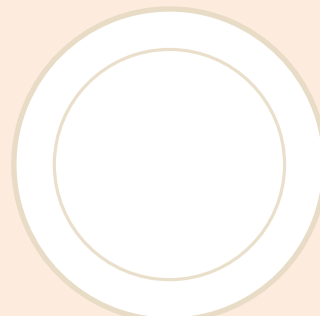
Read the word on each plate. Glue the matching food on the plate.



el pan



el pavo



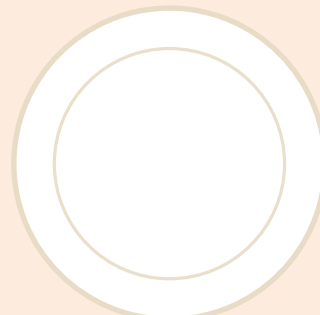
el camote



la pera



la tarta



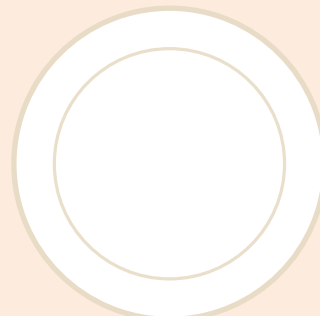
el elote



las papas



las uvas



el pastel



Read the plate, then add the food!

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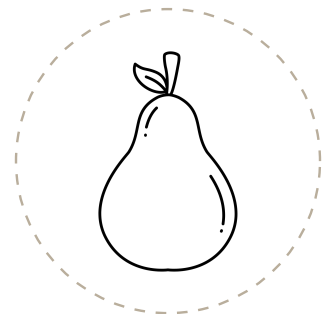
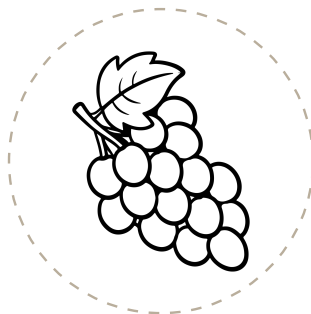
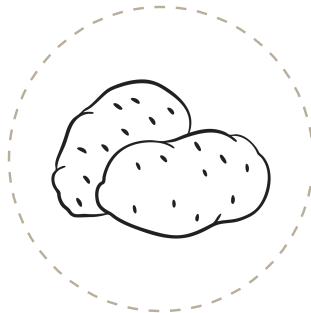
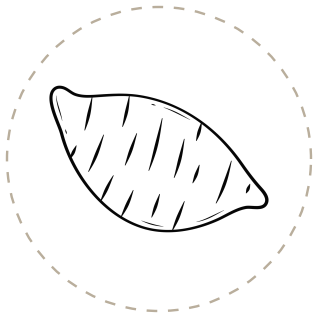
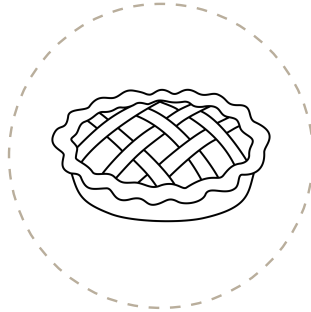
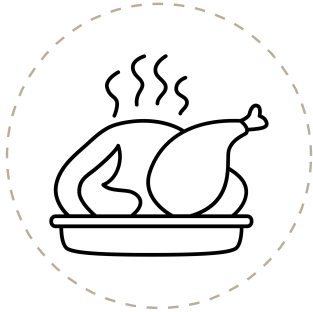
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Cut out the food circles. Read each plate and glue the food that matches.



Cut along the dotted circles.

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