

Día de Muertos Roll and Read

A syllable dice game in Spanish for 1 to 4 players



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

What's inside

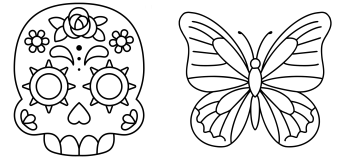
- Tabla 1 on page 2: 30 syllables from ¡A LEER! Libros 1 and 2, with all five vowels.
- Tabla 2 on page 3: a harder board with syllables where the vowel comes first (AL, EN) and syllables that end in a consonant (LAS, PAN).

How to play

- 1 Print one board for each player. You need one die and small markers: beans, buttons or pennies.
- 2 Roll the die and find the column with that many dots.
- 3 Read one syllable in that column out loud, then cover it. Consonants are black and vowels are red.
- 4 Already covered that whole column? Pass the die.
- 5 The first player to cover one syllable in every column (1 to 6) wins. ¡Muy bien!

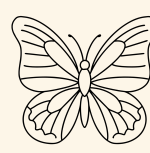
Make it easier or harder

- Easier: play together on one board and cheer for every syllable.
- Harder: use Tabla 2, or play until the whole board is covered.



For grown-ups

Día de Muertos (November 1 and 2) is a Mexican holiday for remembering loved ones who have died. Families build an ofrenda with photos, candles, papel picado and favorite foods like tamales. No Spanish needed: every syllable on these boards has free audio at espanolforkids.org, so you can check any sound together.



Read it, play it, learn it!

Every word uses sounds from the ¡A LEER! Spanish phonics series.

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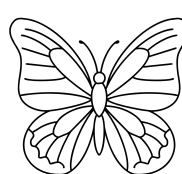
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DÍA DE MUERTOS

TABLA 1

Roll the die. Read one syllable in that column and cover it.

					
VE	RI	PI	CO	LE	CU
LA	MA	TA	DE	SO	VA
CA	SA	ME	MI	PA	TE
PO	DO	FO	TU	NI	MO
SU	NE	LU	BA	GO	LI



Cover one syllable from each number to win!

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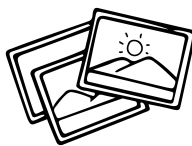
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TABLA 2

Roll the die. Read one syllable in that column and cover it.

					
AL	EL	ES	AS	OS	UN
AN	EN	IN	AR	OR	ON
LAS	TOS	LES	PEL	PAN	MAR



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