

Social studies

Grade 2

Cinco de Mayo worksheet: the Battle of Puebla and Spanish numbers

Learn what happened on May 5, 1862, and count from 1 to 10 in Spanish.



I can explain what Cinco de Mayo remembers and read Spanish number words 1 to 10.



1



What is Cinco de Mayo?



Cinco de Mayo means "the fifth of May" in Spanish.

On May 5, 1862, the army of Mexico fought a bigger French army near the city of Puebla, in Mexico. The Mexican army won the battle. People were very proud.

Cinco de Mayo is not Mexico's Independence Day. That day is September 16.

In the United States, many people celebrate Cinco de Mayo with music, dancing and food to honor Mexican American culture.

2



Spanish numbers

Draw a line from each Spanish word to its number.

☐

uno



● A. 4

☐

dos



● B. 1

☐

tres



● C. 5

☐

cuatro



● D. 2

☐

cinco



● E. 3

3



Six to ten

Seis = 6, siete = 7, ocho = 8, nueve = 9, diez = 10. Write the number.

1. ocho = _____

2. diez = _____

3. seis = _____

4. cinco + cinco = _____

4



True or false

Circle the right answer.

1. Cinco de Mayo means the fifth of May.

True

False

2. Cinco de Mayo is Mexico's Independence Day.

True

False

3. The Battle of Puebla was in 1862.

True

False

4. Puebla is a city in Mexico.

True

False

5

**Check your reading**

Circle the right answer.

1. What does Cinco de Mayo mean?

☐ A the fifth of May

☐ B the first of May

☐ C the fifth of June

2. Who won the Battle of Puebla?

☐ A the French army

☐ B the Mexican army

3. When is Mexico's Independence Day?

☐ A May 5

☐ B September 16

☐ C July 4

4. How do many people in the United States celebrate Cinco de Mayo?

☐ A with music, dancing and food

☐ B with snowball fights

☐ C with pumpkins

6

**Count in Spanish**

Write 1 to 5 in the boxes.

tres

uno

cinco

dos

cuatro

7

**Which is more?**

Write >, < or = in each circle.

tres



dos

cinco



ocho

diez



10

seis



nueve

siete



cuatro

8

**Spanish math**

Write the answer as a number.

1. dos + tres = _____

2. uno + uno = _____

3. cuatro + cuatro = _____

4. diez - tres = _____

5. seis + tres = _____

6. nueve - cinco = _____

9

**Draw and count**

Draw Mexico's flag with 3 stripes: green, white and red, going up and down. Under it, write the numbers 1 to 5 in Spanish.

How did it go?



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Answer key

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A

cuatro



● D. 2

C

cinco



● E. 3

3



Six to ten

Seis = 6, siete = 7, ocho = 8, nueve = 9, diez = 10. Write the number.

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3. seis = 6

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>

cuatro

8

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Write the answer as a number.

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3. cuatro + cuatro = 8

4. diez - tres = 7

5. seis + tres = 9

6. nueve - cinco = 4

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