

This guide provides an overview for the Pulsera Project's educational content for younger learners, which is free to all schools hosting pulsera sales and available at pulseraproject.org/elementarymaterials. All of our materials can be found at www.pulseraproject.org/spanishmaterials.

When planning your sale, also be sure to check out our <u>promote page</u> for tips, printouts, and tools for your sale.

Questions about the guide or materials? E-mail us at pulseraproject@gmail.com or call us at 484-319-7040.

All Spanish materials are based on the project's <u>four educational values</u> - solidarity, humility, new understandings of poverty, and self-awareness.

All project videos are available on <u>our videos page</u> with both English and Spanish subtitles, or without subtitles.

Lessons and Videos

Los Artistas del Proyecto Pulsera - This interactive website includes text and audio interviews with over 100 artists, covering basic ACTFL standards including colors, daily routines, and simple descriptions. It's the perfect way to forge a connection between your students and the artists they're empowering!

<u>Las Pulseras Que Hace Mama</u> - Students explore family dynamics and learn more about Nicaraguan families in this fun, musical animated video based on a real Nicaraguan family.

A Day in the Life

This video follows a day in the life of a typical Nicaraguan high schooler and her family, highlighting the importance of education and the day-to-day reality of many Nicaraguans. Students compare their daily schedules and socioeconomic realities to Darling and her family in this engaging packet.

Poverty and Solutions

This powerpoint and lesson explains in detail the economic realities in Nicaragua, and looks at the social issues the project is trying to address in Central America.

Haciendo Pulseras

Learn about how different styles of pulseras are made in this video series featuring actual project artists as they weave these amazing works of art.

Weather and Culture

Students learn about how climate and weather affect culture in Nicaragua.

<u>Handshake Pulsera Coloring Page</u> - Students have a chance to create their own pulseras. This activity provides some discussion opportunities for students with limited Spanish communication skills.

¿Dónde Está la Pulsera? - Practice prepositions with this simple game.

Nicaragua Fact Sheet and Crossword - A great introduction to some basic facts about the country where we do most of our work!

<u>Marcos va al Mercado</u> - Project artist Marcos Cajina takes students on a tour of the Granada market, with lots of insight into Nicaraguan food and culture.

Yelman y su Pollos - Learn about an artist's small business venture to raise chickens.

Horario Escolar - Have your students compare their schedules to a typical Nicaraguan student.