

Hablar acerca de gustos y preferencias

Tema 6

EXPRESIONES

EXPRESIONES	TRADUCCIÓN	EJEMPLO
Do you like ...?	¿Te gusta...?	Do you like the pizza?
Don't you like ...?	¿No Te gusta ...?	Don't you like singing?
I like/love..., but I don't like...	Me gusta/encanta..., pero no me gusta...	I love reading, but I don't like studying.
I really like + <i>noun/object pronoun</i>	Realmente me gusta...	I really like spaghetti.
I really like + <i>verb + ing</i>	Realmente me gusta...	I really like driving my car.
I dislike...	No me gusta	I dislike dancing.
I hate + <i>verb + ing</i>	Detesto ...	I hate eating vegetable soups.
I prefer + <i>verb + ing</i>	Yo prefiero	I prefer playing video games.
It's amazing!	¡Es increíble!	It's amazing to see the river!
Wow!	Órale/ caramba	Wow! I got good grades in English.
Not kidding	No bromeo	I'm not kidding .
It's /I'm / he's free...	Está libre/estoy libre/está libre	Let's go to the movies I'm free in the afternoon.
In my free time I...	En mi tiempo libre yo...	In my free time I like to go to the movies.
Let's buy some magazines /a newspaper	Vamos a comprar algunas revistas/ un periódico	Let's buy some magazines at the newsstand.
What's your favorite sport?	¿Cuál es tu deporte favorito?	A: What's your favorite sport? B: My favorite sport is soccer.
What's your favorite subject?	¿Cuál es tu materia favorita?	A: What's your favorite subject? B: My favorite subject is English.
What kind of music / movies do you like?	¿Qué tipo de música/películas te gustan?	What kind of music do you like? I like pop music
What kind of music / movies do	¿Qué tipo de música/películas	What kind of music do you dislike?

you dislike?	no te gustan?	I dislike rock music
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DEPORTES		
EXPRESIONES	TRADUCCIÓN	EJEMPLO
Baseball	Béisbol	Mexicans like playing baseball .
Basketball	Basquetbol	My favorite basketball team is the Chicago bulls.
Bowling	Boliche	I usually go bowling in the afternoon.
Boxing	Boxeo	I dislike boxing .
Car racing	Carrera de carros	My father loves car racing .
Cycling	Ciclismo	I practice cycling every day.
Football	Futbol americano	I always watch the football on Sundays.
Golf	Golf	Fernando plays golf very well.
Hockey	Hockey	My cousin plays hockey with his friends.
Horse racing	Carrera de caballos	My uncle enjoys watching horse racing .
Jogging	Trote	She likes jogging along the boulevard.
Playing ping-pong	Jugar tenis de mesa	Chinese people like playing ping-pong .
Roller skating	Patinaje sobre ruedas	I think roller skating is dangerous.
Running	Correr	I love running along the beach.
Skating	Patinar	She hates skating on ice.
Soccer	Balón pie	My friends play soccer after school.
Softball	Softbol	My grandfather plays softball with his friends.
Surfing	Surf	Australians love surfing every day.
Swimming	Natación	I don't like swimming in the river.
Tennis	Tenis	Tennis is my favorite sport
Volleyball	Volibol	I hate playing volleyball.

ACTIVIDADES RECREATIVAS Y PASATIEMPOS		
EXPRESIONES	TRADUCCIÓN	EJEMPLO
Chatting	Chatear	I like chatting with my friends.
Collecting comics	Coleccionar historietas	I like collecting comics .
Dancing	Bailar	My parents love dancing salsa.
Doing karaoke	Hacer karaoke	We like doing karaoke at parties.
Drawing	Dibujar	Susan likes drawing some houses.
Eating in restaurants	Comer en restaurantes	Sean loves eating in restaurants .
Fishing	Pescar	Charles enjoys fishing very early.
Gardening	Jardinería	My grandmother enjoys gardening .
Going bowling	Ir al boliche	We don't like going bowling .
Going clubbing	Ir a la discoteca	My friends enjoy going clubbing on holidays.
Going for a walk	Dar un paseo	My friend and I like going for a walk .
Going out	Salir con los amigos	On Sundays, we like going out with friends.
Going shopping	Ir de compras	My wife loves going shopping to the mall.
Going to the gym	Ir al gimnasio	I like going to the gym every day.
Hanging out with friends	Juntarse con/pasar el rato con	On weekends, I enjoy hanging out with my friends .
Having coffee with ...	Tomar café con ...	I prefer having coffee with my friends than going to the disco.
Listening to music	Escuchar música	Tommy likes listening to music .
Playing video games	Jugar video juegos	My boyfriend loves playing video games every day.
Reading	Leer	Jimmie prefers reading a book .
Singing	Cantar	Karla likes singing in the church.
Staying home	Quedarse en casa	I hate staying home on Sunday.
Sunbathing	Tomar sol	My elder sister likes sunbathing in the

		beach.
Surfing the web	Navegar en la web	My brother spends many hours surfing the web .
Taking photographs	Tomar fotos	Dorothy likes taking photographs .
Traveling/ Travelling	Viajar	I like traveling at night.
Watching movies	Ver películas	Pedro likes watching movies on weekends.
Watching T.V.	Ver televisión	I don't like watching T.V.
Going to the movies	Ir al cine	Pedro likes going to the movies on weekends.
Going to the theater	Ir al teatro	On weekends I like going to the theater .

TIPOS DE MUSICA

EXPRESIONES	TRADUCCIÓN	EJEMPLO
Classical	Música clásica	Classical music is interesting.
Country	Música country	Miley Cyrus sang country music.
Dance	Música para bailar	I like dance music.
Electronic	Música electrónica	We prefer electronic music than country music.
Hip hop	Música hip hop	I like hip hop .
Jazz	Música jazz	I sometimes listen to jazz music.
Latin	Música latina	I love singing latin music.
Pop	Música pop	Teenagers love listening to pop music.
Rock	Rock	Bon Jovi is a rock star.
Salsa	Salsa	I like dancing salsa .
R&B (rhythm and blues)	Ritmo y blues	R&B is a calm music.
Traditional	Tradicional	My father likes traditional music.
Reggaeton	Reggaetón	Reggaeton is a horrible music

TIPOS DE PELICULAS

EXPRESIONES	TRADUCCIÓN	EJEMPLO
Action	Acción	Sylvester Stallone acts in action movies.
Animated	Animados	Cars is an animated movie.

Comedies	Comedia	My best friend loves comedies .
Horror	Terror	I dislike horror movies.

MEDIOS DE ENTRETENIMIENTO

EXPRESIONES	TRADUCCIÓN	EJEMPLO
CD player	Grabadora	There is a CD player in my room.
Computer	Computadora	My computer is broken.
DVD	Video digital	DVD players are cheap.
iPod	iPod	I want an iPod for my birthday.
MP3 / MP4	Formato Mp3/Mp4	Lots of people like taking an mp3 player with them in the bus.
Radio	Radio	She usually listens to the radio online.
Television	Televisión	I usually watch television after doing my homework.

ADJETIVOS

EXPRESIONES	TRADUCCIÓN	EJEMPLO
Amazing	Asombroso, increíble	Your dress looks amazing .
Bad	Mala/Malo	That's a bad movie.
Boring	Aburrido/a	What a boring show!
Fantastic	Fantástico	Cancun is a fantastic place to visit.
Cool	Chido	My new car is cool .
Great	Grandioso, estupendo	Have a great day!
Lovely	Encantador	I have a lovely dog.
Terrible	Terrible	You look terrible . What happened to you?
Very pleasant	Muy complaciente	It is very pleasant to be here in your house.