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## Cognates



**Nationality means *nacionalidad***



**Read**

1. Read the text and underline the words you can understand with out a dictionary.

Lee el texto y elige en la tabla las palabras que puedes entender sin usar un diccionario.

Homework.

Taoshi Okito is from Japan, his nationality is Japanese. He is thirty five years old. He is a doctor and he works at the most important hospitals in his country. He practices basketball and tennis. He is in Mexico city for vacation; he visited Chapultepec park, the Zocalo, the Fine Arts Palace and the National Anthropology Museum. I think Taoshi is a very intelligent and interesting person.



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Copia el siguiente cuadro en tu libreta:

These words are named “cognates”. A cognate is a word that is similar in English and Spanish and you can understand it easy.

*Estas palabras se llaman cognados. Un cognado es una palabra que en la escritura y el significado es similar o igual al español y las puedes entender fácilmente.*



Think

3. Write the meaning in Spanish of the words.

*Escribe el significado en español de las siguientes palabras.*

a) nationality

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b) doctor

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c) important

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d) hospital

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e) vacation

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f) museum

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g) intelligent

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**Write**

4. Read the text and answer the questions.  
*Lee el texto y contesta las preguntas.*

Koko is a gorilla. He's from Africa and he lives in a zoo with other animals. His best friends are the elephants, the hippopotamus, the chimpanzee and the crocodile. His favorite food are bananas and chocolates. You can visit him at the zoo and take photographs. He will be happy to see you. He is very intelligent.



- a) Where is Koko from? \_\_\_\_\_
- b) Where does he live? \_\_\_\_\_
- c) Who are his friends? \_\_\_\_\_
- d) Write the cognates: \_\_\_\_\_
- e) Write in Spanish what you understand from the text \_\_\_\_\_