

Did You Get It? Presentación de gramática

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Goal: Learn how to use affirmative **tú** commands.

Affirmative tú commands

- Giving a command is telling someone what to do. Study the following commands, paying attention to the boldfaced words.

¡**Estudia** la lección! (*Study the lesson!*)

¡**Aprende** español! (*Learn Spanish!*)

¡**Escribe** la carta! (*Write the letter!*)

EXPLANATION: Regular affirmative **tú** commands use the **él/ella/usted** form in the present tense. Study the following chart of affirmative **tú** commands.

Infinitive	Present Tense	Affirmative tú Command
estudiar (to study)	(Él/ella) estudia . (He/she studies.)	¡ Estudia! (Study!)
hablar (to speak)	(Él/ella) habla . (He/she speaks.)	¡ Habla! (Speak!)
aprender (to learn)	(Él/ella) aprende . (He/she learns.)	¡ Aprende! (Learn!)
correr (to run)	(Él/ella) corre . (He/she runs.)	¡ Corre! (Run!)
escribir (to write)	(Él/ella) escribe . (He/she writes.)	¡ Escribe! (Write!)
subir (to climb)	(Él/ella) sube . (He/she climbs.)	¡ Sube! (Climb!)

- Read these commands, paying attention to the boldfaced words.

¡Estudia **la lección!** → ¡**Estúdiala!**
(Study *the lesson.*) (Study *it.*)

¡Aprende **los verbos!** → ¡**Apréndelos!**
(Learn *the verbs.*) (Learn *them.*)

¡Escribe **la carta!** → ¡**Escríbela!**
(Write *the letter.*) (Write *it.*)

EXPLANATION: When using a command with a *direct object pronoun*, attach the pronoun to the end. To retain the original stress, add an *accent* when you attach a pronoun to a command of two or more syllables.



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Reteaching and Practice

1 Write the affirmative **tú** command for each of the following **-ar** verbs.

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| 1. bailar _____ | 6. llegar _____ |
| 2. cantar _____ | 7. llevar _____ |
| 3. cerrar _____ | 8. almorzar _____ |
| 4. decorar _____ | 9. escuchar _____ |
| 5. jugar _____ | 10. celebrar _____ |

2 Write the affirmative **tú** command for each of the following **-er** verbs.

1. aprender _____
2. barrer _____
3. beber _____
4. comer _____
5. correr _____
6. querer _____
7. traer _____
8. vender _____
9. volver _____

3 Write the affirmative **tú** command for each of the following **-ir** verbs.

1. compartir _____
2. dormir _____
3. escribir _____
4. recibir _____
5. abrir _____
6. vivir _____

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