



Reflections F2023/S2024

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ImmerseMe Topic & Category: Culture

e-Portfolio Artifacts are digital evidence of progress, experiences, achievements, and goals over time. Artifacts are examples of your work. Be sure to record your ImmerseMe experience in Zoom.

Answer prompts 1-5 below in English to help you process your language learning progress using the virtual experience of ImmerseMe:

1. Why did/didn't this **ImmerseMe category/lesson** in particular appeal to you?

I thought this lesson was interesting because it shows the opinions that different people have towards the aspect of native language in a country.

2. Which scaffolded learning mode from ImmerseMe was most helpful to you this week (**pronunciation, writing/dictation, translation, immersion**). What specific aspects of the lesson made it helpful to you?

I think the writing and translation modes were most helpful to me because I was able to practice typing the u with the umlaut accent above it.

3. How did you feel about the experience offered by ImmerseMe? Did the use of visuals, audio, interaction, and the depiction of the space impact your learning in a positive or negative fashion? Please explain.

Overall the experience is nice, the only curiosity I have is if there are more than one setting that the person will be speaking to me in. I think it would be interesting to add pictures or a setting of the culture and cities of Spain or other spanish speaking countries.

4. What were some of the multicultural learning experiences for you? Consider the authentic location. What did you learn, notice, negotiate, connect with, etc.?

I did not feel like there was a lot of differentiation between this assignment and the previous one in terms of setting. I do feel like this lesson was interesting because I was able to see bilingualism from a different perspective.

5. How did the ImmerseMe category reflect your strengths and interests this week? What have you done well? What was your biggest challenge when completing this ImmerseMe category ?

I do not feel like this assignment is very challenging, although it is helpful to practice typing with the spanish keyboard. It also works on memorization. I do not know if I like or dislike that the speaking parts all have to be the same because I think in a natural conversation a person would not say the same thing word for word a second time.