Talk Abroad Preparation:

Review of the vocabulary terms: use of 10 new words

Los antepasados

La patria

La autoestima

Las suposiciones

La similitude

El conjunto

El juicio

La afinidad

Marginar

La lengua materna

Plan out the different 10-12 questions regarding the topics:

Porque hay estereotipos que apuntan a diferentes razas?

Porque tenemos que tener pensamientos de personas de nuestra raza?

Es verdad que hay problemas sobre como piensa mucha gente?

Hay soluciones para resolver estas problemas?

Como podemos enfrentar gente que solo usan opiniones para juzgar a diferentes personas?

Si encontramos una solución para modificar los estereotipos…como lo hacemos?

Porque causan problemas los estereotipos?

Es posible de enseñar personas de como decir estereotipos que no son negativos?

Es probable de poder cambiar los opiniones negativos de personas?

Porque juzgan personas de la misma raza solo por tener diferentes características?

Consider:

I do not think there were any problems when it came to communicating throughout the conversation. It was very pleasant and a nice time. Talking throughout the conversation was very helpful because it showed me how much knowledge I had when it came time to communicate with a different Spanish speaker.

I don’t think there were many phrases that helped me navigate throughout the conversation. However, there were phrases like “debido a” or “También” helped expand the conversation into different topics and ideas. As a result, I was able to get to know my conversation partner a lot more.

Reflect:

The conversation went really well. I got to know my conversation partner very well and it was very pleasant. Sonia was very nice and very informative when it came to learning new things. She also provided a heart warming talk to convince me to pursue Spanish and to keep learning it to expand my knowledge of it.

I would say I understood 90% of the conversation. This would be because Peruvians talk with a heavy accent that I am not adjusted to.

Choose the most interesting part of your conversation during the discussion and transcribe (write in **Spanish**) **1.5 minutes** the recording. This will involve listening to the audio a few times. Focus on an area in which your partner was speaking the majority of the time. Write down both what you and your partner said. Be sure to indicate where this portion of the conversation is by indicating the time elapsed at the beginning of your transcription (ie. [2:35] if the section begins 2 minutes and thirty-five seconds into the conversation

Yo creo qué el parte muy interesante fue cuando Sonia hablo de donde viene y como era su vida cuando era pequeña. Luego explico qué su hermana vive en los estados unidos y está viviendo una Vida buena. También, me dijo de sus historias cuando vino a visitar los EE UU. Ella dijo qué visito el estatua de libertad, y Washington DC.

The similarities between us were that the stereotypes of Peru and the United States were almost similar. There were times where our family had similarities about how we think with them and how they are with us.