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Capítulo 5B

**Josué y familia**

**Antes de leer**

Strategy – Using prior knowledge

Although soccer is the most popular sport in the Spanish-speaking world, in the countries of the Caribbean there is another sport that rivals soccer in popularity. Sammy Sosa and Jose Valentin are from the Caribbean. What is this sport?

**Mira la lectura**

Strategy – Scanning

We're going to visit the [personal home page of Josué Prado](http://www.angelfire.com/sd/josue/). (http://www.angelfire.com/sd/josue/)

Look at the pictures and answer these questions.

1. Where is Josué from?
2. What sport does he play?
3. What are the colors in his country's flag?
4. What is the temperature in his country right now?
5. What do you think the temperature is where you are right now?

**Infórmate**

Strategy – Using context to get meaning

1. Now read the first paragraph and fill in the blanks.
   1. Josué's full name:  
      \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   2. Which is his *apellido paterno* (father's last name)? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   3. Which is his *apellido materno* (mother's last name)? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   4. Josué es de \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
   5. Su cumpleaños es el \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
   6. Josué tiene \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ años.
   7. Su mamá se llama \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
   8. Su papá se llama \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
   9. Su hermana se llama \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
   10. Su hermano se llama \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
   11. Su hermano tiene \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ años.
   12. Su hermana tiene \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ años.
2. Josué tells about himself.
   1. List the six adjectives that Josué uses to describe himself.
   2. Circle the characteristics (adjectives) above that you like in a friend.
   3. List the six activities that Josué likes.
   4. Circle the activities above that you like.
   5. ¿Dónde estudia Josué ahora?
   6. To study in the United States, Josué received a *beca* for baseball. Which of the following is a *beca*?  
      \_\_\_\_ bat      \_\_\_\_ scholarship      \_\_\_\_ uniform      \_\_\_\_ ticket
3. The picture of Josué taken in his living room was taken "el día que me despedía de mi familia." What is the meaning of the phrase?  
   \_\_\_\_ The day I said good-bye to my family.  
   \_\_\_\_ The day I saw my family.  
   \_\_\_\_ The day I called my family.
4. Look at the picture of Josué's mother with the little girl she takes care of.  
   What is the little girl's apellido paterno? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
   What is the little girl's apellido materno? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
5. For her birthday, Josué's sister received a trip on a crucero. What is a crucero?  
   \_\_\_\_ bicycle      \_\_\_\_ airplane      \_\_\_\_ cruise ship      \_\_\_\_ horse
6. ¿Qué día es el cumpleaños de su hermana?

**Aplicación**

Choose one of the following activities:

1. Write a paragraph in Spanish describing Josué. First write a physical description. Tell his hair color, eye color, age, and general characteristics. Tell what activities he likes.
2. Write a paragraph of at least five sentences in Spanish comparing yourself to Josué.  
   Modelo: *Josué es deportista, pero yo soy artístico. Josué tiene pelo negro, y yo tengo pelo rubio. A Josué le gusta jugar béisbol, y a mí me gusta jugar tenis.*
3. Make a personal interest poster for Josué. Give it a title with his name and where he's from. Illustrate it with the activities that he likes and label them in Spanish.