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# PUZZLE PACK™

for

## Esperanza Rising

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## **INTRODUCTION**

If you already own the LitPlan for this title, this Puzzle Pack will refresh your Unit Resource Materials and Vocabulary Resource Materials sections plus give you additional materials you can substitute into the tests. If you do not already have a complete LitPlan, these pages will give you some supplemental materials to use with your own plan. There are two main groups of materials: one set for unit words (such as characters' names, symbols, places, etc.) and one set for vocabulary words associated with the book.

## **WORD LIST**

There is a word list for both the unit words and the vocabulary words. These lists show you which words are being used in the materials and the clues or definitions being used for those words. You may want to give students a word list with clues/definitions to help them, or you may want students to only have a word list (without clues/definitions) if you want them to work a little harder. Both are available for duplication. The word lists can also be your "calling key" for the bingo games.

## **FILL IN THE BLANK AND MATCHING**

There are 4 each of the fill in the blank and matching worksheets for both the unit and vocabulary words. These pages can be used either as extra worksheets for students or as objective parts of a unit test. They can be done individually if students need extra help or as a whole class activity to review the material covered.

## **MAGIC SQUARES**

The magic squares not only reinforce the material covered but also work on reasoning and math skills. Many teachers have told us that their students really enjoy doing these!

## **WORD SEARCH PUZZLES**

The word search words go in all directions, as indicated on your answer keys. Two of the word search puzzles have the clues listed rather than the words. This makes the puzzle a little more difficult, but it reinforces the material better. Two word search puzzles have words only for students who find the clue puzzles too difficult.

## **CROSSWORD PUZZLES**

Both unit and vocabulary word sections have 4 crossword puzzles.

## **BINGO CARDS**

There are 32 individual bingo cards for the unit words and 32 individual bingo cards for the vocabulary words. You can use your word list as a "call list," calling the words at random and marking them off of your list as you go, or you could use the flash cards by cutting them apart and drawing the words at random from a hat (or box or whatever). To make a better review, you might ask for the definition and spelling of each word as you call it out—or you could call out the definitions and have students tell you the words they need to look for on the puzzle.

## **JUGGLE LETTERS**

The vocabulary juggle letter game is intended to help students learn the spellings of the words. One sheet has the definitions listed on it as an extra help for students who need it or to reinforce the definitions if you choose to do so.

## **FLASH CARDS**

We've included a set of vocabulary flash cards you can duplicate, cut, and fold for your students. Some teachers make a few sets for general use by the class; others make a set for each student. Some teachers duplicate them for each student and have the students cut & fold their own. You can cut out just the words and put them in a hat, have each student pick out one word and write the definition and a sentence for that word. Students then swap words and papers, with the next student adding a sentence of his own under the last one. You can have students swap as many times as you like. Each time the student will read the sentences written prior to his own and then add a sentence. You can cut out the words and definitions separately and play "I Have; Who Has?" Each student in the room draws a word and definition. The first student says, "I have (the name of the word). Who has the definition?" The student with the definition reads it then says, "I have (the name of the vocabulary word she has). Who has the definition?" The round continues until all words and definitions have been given.

## Esperanza Rising Fill In The Blanks 1

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Brought to CA by Miguel & Alfonso as a surprise
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Gives Mama 2 hens; the egg lady
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Esperanza's new friend who helps watch the twins
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. What Isabel wants for Christmas
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Celebrates the end of harvest & Esperanza's birthday
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Metaphor Abuelita uses to describe how they will overcome troubles.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Made by Josefina to sell at the jamaica
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. They hide dangerous surprises in the harvest.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Pattern in Abuelita's blanket
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Esperanza's mother
- \_\_\_\_\_ 11. Contains a statue of Our Lady of Guadalupe
- \_\_\_\_\_ 12. Esperanza's father
- \_\_\_\_\_ 13. Esperanza cuts these off the potatoes
- \_\_\_\_\_ 14. Esperanza's housekeeper
- \_\_\_\_\_ 15. Working there is Miguel's dream job.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 16. Isabel's mother
- \_\_\_\_\_ 17. Esperanza's job when she first arrives at camp
- \_\_\_\_\_ 18. Hortensia is from there.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 19. Main crop of El Rancho de las Rosas
- \_\_\_\_\_ 20. Mexican workers could use it on Friday afternoons

## Esperanza Rising Matching 1

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|---------------------|--|
| ___ 1. POOL         | A. Miguel's nickname for Esperanza   |
| ___ 2. ALFONSO      | B. Celebrates the end of harvest & Esperanza's birthday                    |
| ___ 3. GRAPES       | C. Hortensia's husband; Miguel's father                                    |
| ___ 4. NUNS         | D. Boy Esperanza declared she would marry one day                          |
| ___ 5. STRIKERS     | E. Summer camp parties held every Sat. night                               |
| ___ 6. OAXACA       | F. Esperanza's new friend who helps watch the twins                        |
| ___ 7. MARCO        | G. Esperanza's maternal grandmother  |
| ___ 8. MIGUEL       | H. Abuelita's sisters who help Mama & Esperanza get their traveling papers |
| ___ 9. CAMPESINOS   | I. Mexican workers could use it on Friday afternoons                       |
| ___ 10. FIESTA      | J. Isabel's mother   |
| ___ 11. ABUELITA    | K. Esperanza can feel its heart beating.                                   |
| ___ 12. JOSEFINA    | L. Field workers   |
| ___ 13. PATRONA     | M. Esperanza's job when she first arrives at camp                          |
| ___ 14. ROSES       | N. La Migra; sent strikers to Mexico                                       |
| ___ 15. IMMIGRATION | O. They hide dangerous surprises in the harvest.                           |
| ___ 16. LAND        | P. Wants to marry Mama   |
| ___ 17. LUIS        | Q. Esperanza's best friend   |
| ___ 18. THORN       | R. Makes Esperanza think, 'Bad luck.'                                      |
| ___ 19. FLAN        | S. Main crop of El Rancho de las Rosas                                     |
| ___ 20. REINA       | T. Hortensia is from there.  |
| ___ 21. JAMAICAS    | U. Contains a statue of Our Lady of Guadalupe                              |
| ___ 22. GROTTTO     | V. Mayor of Aguascalientes   |
| ___ 23. MELINA      | W. Brought to CA by Miguel & Alfonso as a surprise                         |
| ___ 24. MARISOL     | X. Made by Josefina to sell at the jamaica                                 |
| ___ 25. SWEEPING    | Y. Spanish for Head of the Household                                       |

## Esperanza Rising Magic Squares 1

Match the definition with the vocabulary word. Put your answers in the magic squares below. When your answers are correct, all columns and rows will add to the same number.

A. ARVIN  
B. OAXACA  
C. DOLL  
D. ANYTHING  
E. ALFONSO  
F. FIESTA

G. ISABEL  
H. MIGUEL  
I. GRAPES  
J. RYAN  
K. HORTENSIA  
L. EYES

M. CAMPESINOS  
N. ZIGZAG  
O. MARTA  
P. PAPA

1. Pattern in Abuelita's blanket
2. Wants to be the Queen of May
3. Esperanza cuts these off the potatoes
4. Location of the camp where Esperanza and Mama live and work in California
5. Esperanza's housekeeper
6. Hortensia is from there.
7. Field workers
8. Boy Esperanza declared she would marry one day

9. Hortensia's husband; Miguel's father
10. Promised Miguel he would help him get a job on the railroad one day
11. Papa's last gift to Esperanza
12. Author of Esperanza Rising
13. What Isabel wants for Christmas
14. Main crop of El Rancho de las Rosas
15. Celebrates the end of harvest & Esperanza's birthday
16. Wants the workers to strike

A=	B=	C=	D=
E=	F=	G=	H=
I=	J=	K=	L=
M=	N=	O=	P=

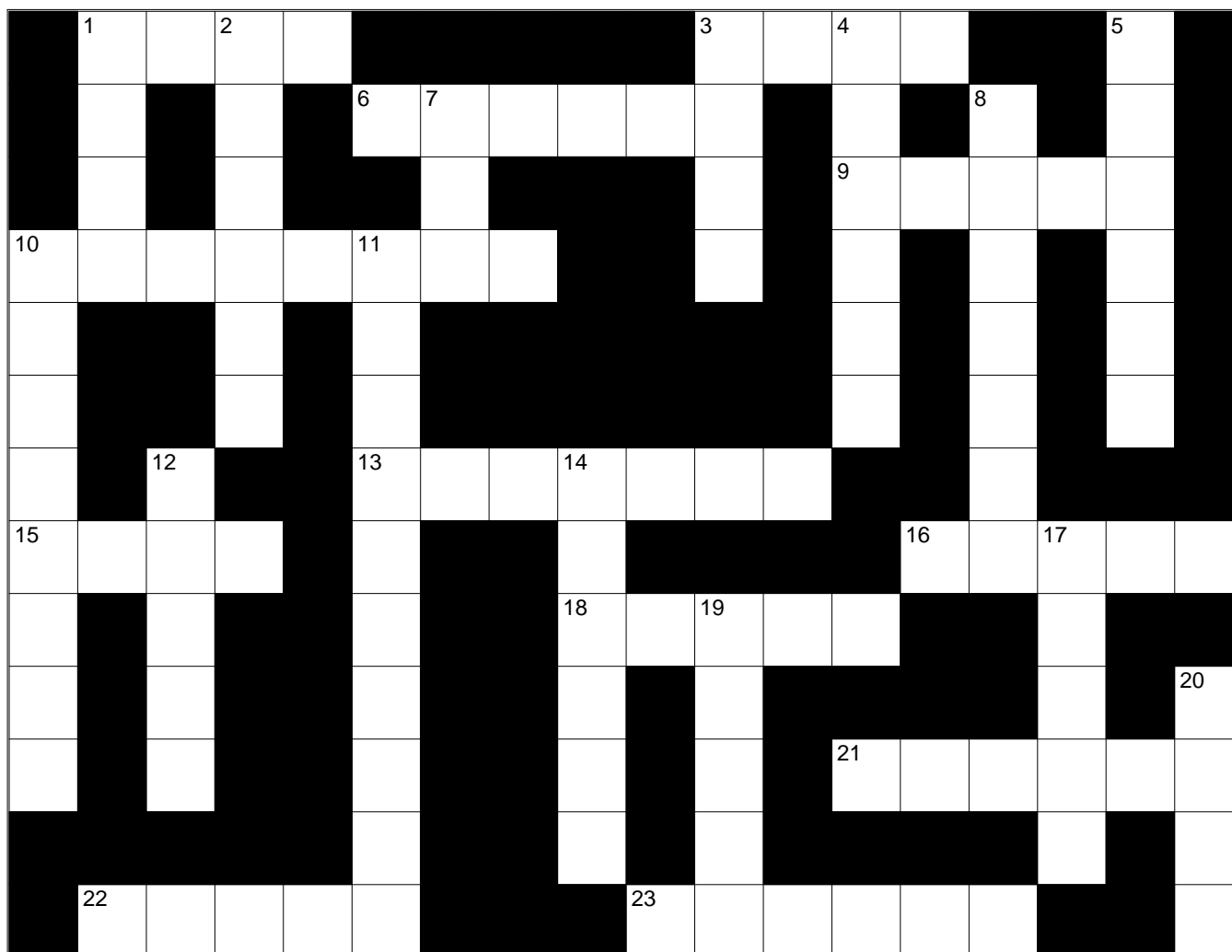
## Esperanza Rising Word Search 1

Q	C	J	P	J	M	S	T	M	X	T	J	R	B	D	T	L	V
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I	R	M	T	I	Q	S	W	X	S	G	P	I	K	S	P	I	O
N	M	A	R	J	S	R	E	Z	T	J	U	N	N	J	E	S	T
C	E	I	O	F	L	A	N	F	A	O	A	E	O	S	N	S	W
E	N	C	N	M	T	R	B	P	I	L	H	D	L	O	B	X	W
A	S	A	A	S	Q	D	A	E	B	N	A	Z	F	D	D	P	Y
N	D	S	E	D	R	P	C	M	L	C	A	L	G	A	R	I	A
E	G	I	R	L	H	J	R	W	O	F	A	N	R	O	R	N	M
R	F	G	M	Y	N	U	S	V	D	N	I	W	A	R	I	A	J
A	B	R	A	D	A	A	A	M	N	Y	A	R	P	L	R	T	K
G	H	O	R	T	E	N	S	I	A	D	A	R	E	I	N	A	S
S	D	T	C	L	I	L	L	K	L	R	D	M	S	A	N	M	S
Q	F	T	O	V	V	L	O	R	N	Y	T	O	V	R	U	E	K
T	H	O	R	N	O	T	N	U	N	S	L	A	Z	L	Y	K	F
Z	P	A	S	D	A	P	H	O	E	N	I	X	P	E	P	H	K

Abuelita's sisters who help Mama & Esperanza get their traveling papers (4)  
 Author of Esperanza Rising (4)  
 Bought for Mama but given to the campesino family (6)  
 Boy Esperanza declared she would marry one day (6)  
 Brought to CA by Miguel & Alfonso as a surprise (5)  
 Cause the twins to become ill (5)  
 Celebrates the end of harvest & Esperanza's birthday (6)  
 Contains a statue of Our Lady of Guadalupe (6)  
 Destroys the Ortegas' house (4)  
 Esperanza can feel its heart beating. (4)  
 Esperanza cuts these off the potatoes (4)  
 Esperanza has instructions to finish this while waiting for Abuelita (7)  
 Esperanza puts this on her hands to make them soft (7)  
 Esperanza's best friend (7)  
 Esperanza's father (5)  
 Esperanza's housekeeper (9)  
 Esperanza's mother (6)  
 Esperanza's new friend who helps watch the twins (6)  
 Gives Mama 2 hens; the egg lady (6)

Hortensia's husband; Miguel's father (7)  
 Isabel's father (4)  
 Isabel's mother (8)  
 Location of the camp where Esperanza and Mama live and work in California (5)  
 Lupe and Pepe (5)  
 Made by Josefina to sell at the jamaica (4)  
 Main crop of El Rancho de las Rosas (6)  
 Makes Esperanza think, 'Bad luck.' (5)  
 Market owner who is kind to Mexicans (6)  
 Marta's mother (3)  
 Mayor of Aguascalientes (5)  
 Metaphor Abuelita uses to describe how they will overcome troubles. (7)  
 Mexican workers could use it on Friday afternoons (4)  
 Miguel's nickname for Esperanza (5)  
 Papa's last gift to Esperanza (4)  
 Presentation party for girls at age 15 (11)  
 Promised Miguel he would help him get a job on the railroad one day (4)  
 Spanish for Head of the Household (7)  
 Summer camp parties held every Sat. night (8)  
 Wants the workers to strike (5)  
 Wants to be the Queen of May (6)  
 Wants to marry Mama (4)  
 Working there is Miguel's dream job. (8)

## Esperanza Rising Crossword 1



### Across

1. Mexican workers could use it on Friday afternoons
3. Wants to marry Mama
6. Market owner who is kind to Mexicans
9. Location of the camp where Esperanza and Mama live and work in California
10. Summer camp parties held every Sat. night
13. Spanish for Head of the Household
15. Made by Josefina to sell at the jamaica
16. Brought to CA by Miguel & Alfonso as a surprise
18. Mayor of Aguascalientes
21. Contains a statue of Our Lady of Guadalupe
22. Lupe and Pepe
23. Gives Mama 2 hens; the egg lady

### Down

1. Promised Miguel he would help him get a job on the railroad one day
2. Hortensia is from there.
3. Esperanza can feel its heart beating.
4. Wants to be the Queen of May
5. Bought for Mama but given to the campesino family
7. Marta's mother
8. Esperanza puts this on her hands to make them soft
10. Isabel's mother
11. Field workers
12. Wants the workers to strike
14. Esperanza's mother
17. Esperanza's father
19. Miguel's nickname for Esperanza
20. Papa's last gift to Esperanza

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DOLL	SIXTO	CARMEN	HORTENSIA	MARCO
POOL	MARISOL	ISABEL	MELINA	IMMIGRATION
BLANKET	GROTTO	FREE SPACE	FIRE	CAMPESINOS
EYES	FLAN	JAMAICAS	THORN	AGUASCALIENTES
JOSEFINA	LAND	PATRONA	YAKOTA	ROSES

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JUAN	PHOENIX	ABUELITA	LUIS	ARVIN
RAILROAD	ALFONSO	FIESTA	GRAPES	ADA
ANYTHING	PINATA	FREE SPACE	MARTA	RAMONA
OAXACA	NUNS	REINA	AVOCADO	SWEEPING
TWINS	MIGUEL	ZIGZAG	RYAN	PAPA