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# Working with World Book: Enciclopedia Estudiantil Hallazgos

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# 1 About

Enciclopedia Estudiantil Hallazgos is an eResource created by World Book to offer information, games and activities to support learning and research in the Spanish language. The content available in English is linked to the English version on World Book: Kids. From biographies, images, games and the visual dictionary, Enciclopedia Estudiantil Hallazgos supports learning in Spanish for younger kids or for people trying to learn to language.

Enciclopedia Estudiantil Hallazgos is just one of the many eResources available to you through the World Book portal page that can be found on the Peace Library Systems eResources webpage under the heading Encyclopedias and Resources.

# 2 Software

Enciclopedia Estudiantil Hallazgos does not require you to download any special programs or software onto your computers or mobile devices. Simply make sure you have the following plug-ins that are commonly used on websites and pose no security threat:

- Adobe Acrobat
- Java Runtime
- Shockwave flash

Enciclopedia Estudiantil Hallazgos does not have an app but supports users on their mobile devices on the following browsers:
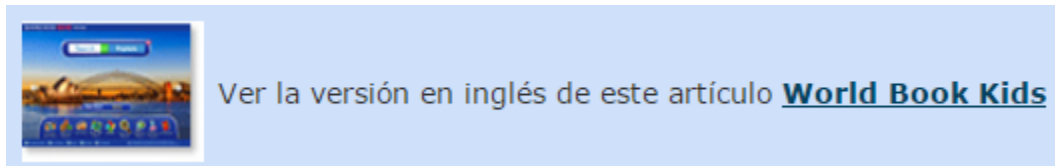
- iOS devices should use Safari Browser (Versions 6.0 or higher)
- Android devices should use Android browser
- Windows devices should use Internet Explorer (Version 11.0 or higher)
- Blackberry devices should use Internet Explorer (Version 11.0 or higher)

# 3 Search and Browse

A. Select the search bar on the top left red box that says Buscar. Type in a keyword and select Buscar.
B. Select an image from the yellow box on the bottom left that says Otras Maneras de Buscar to be directed to that images related article.
C. Select A-Z above the image from the yellow box on the bottom left that says Otras Maneras de Buscar.
    a. You will directed to a new page where you select the letter you want to search
    b. You can also select Browse in English from this page
D. Browse by selecting a subject from Demos un Vistazo. These subjects are subdivided within.

## 3.1 Switching Languages

Articles and other parts of L'Encyclopédie Découverte link their content to the English version. For example, you can search for perro and select the article. When you scroll to the bottom you will see this just above the citation information:



Selecting this will bring you to the same article on World Book: Kids with the content displayed in English. At the bottom of the English article you will see this above the citation information:



You can select to return to the Spanish translation or continue onto the French translation or World Book: Info Finder. The French translation will show the same link as the Spanish article.

## 3.2 Read Aloud

Articles can be read out loud to you. On the top of articles will be a box that looks like this:



Select Escuchar el texto leído and click where in the article you want the narration to begin. A box on the left will appear where you can speed up, slow down or stop the narration.

# 4 Resources

## 4.1 Gente

The page will prompt you to select a subject using the menu on the left. You can choose from biografías, casa y hogar, comunidad, costumbres y creencias, educación, festividades y feriados, grupos étnicos, negocios e industria, and organizaciones

### 4.2 Plantas y Animales

The page will prompt you to select a subject using the menu on the left. You can choose from animals and plantas

### 4.3 Lugares

The page will give you a handful of articles and offer further information by selecting a subject using the menu on the left. You can choose from carreteras, ciudades, continentes, edificios y monumentos, estados, provincias y territorios, países, rasgos naturales and regiones.

### 4.4 Historia y Gobierno

The page will give you a couple of articles and offer further information by selecting a subject using the menu on the left. You can choose from gobierno and historia.

### 4.5 Ciencias y Matematicas

The page will give you an article and offer further information by selecting a subject using the menu on the left. You can choose from biografías, ciencias de la vida, ciencias físicas, matemática, máquinas y herramientas and salud y medicina.

### 4.6 Artes

The page will offer you an article and offer further information by selecting a subject using the menu on the left. You can choose from arquitectura, artesanía, autores, cine y televisión, danza, dibujo, escultura, fotografía, galardones y premios, idiomas, libros, mitología y leyendas, música, pintura, poetas, and teatro.

### 4.7 Religiones del Mundo

The page will offer you two pages of articles and further information by selecting a subject using the menu on the left. You can choose from arquitectura, costumbres y creencias, edificios, festividades y feriados, gente, libros, mitología griega and mitología romana.

### 4.8 Deportes y Pasatiempos

The page will offer a handful of articles and further information by selecting a subject using the menu on the left. You can choose from antigüedades, artes y artesanía, atletismo, deportes acuáticos, deportes al aire libre, deportes con animales, deportes con pelota y palo, deportes de aire, deportes de combate, deportes de invierno, deportes de tiro al blanco, deportes en cancha, deportes sobre ruedas, gimnasia and juguetes y juegos.

# 5 Tools

## 5.1 Diccionario Visual

Diccionario Visual allows you to learn words and identify it with an image. You can, for example, select simbolos, select simbolos de seguridad and select proteccion. You will be given a page like this:

Words include their gender and you can change between French, Spanish and English. This allows you to identify a word with the appropriate object.

## 5.2 Mundo de Animales

Mundos de Animales offers information to learn, find articles and compare animals from the animal kingdom.

1. Select Mundo de Animales
2. Choose the type of animal from the filtro list
3. Browse through the available choices and click the one you want.
4. Select Go To the exhibit and you will be given a bunch of facts and information about the animal you chose.
5. Select Ve Articulo to go to the article available for the animal
6. You can also compare things.
   a. Select one animal
   b. Select Compara Animales
   c. Select another animal
   d. Select ¡Compáralo Ahora!

### 5.3 Actividades

Actividades offers games and instructions in Spanish as well as English.

### 5.4 Periódicos Del Mundo Hispánico

Periódicos Del Mundo Hispánico offers newspapers in Spanish and English from Argentina, Belize, Bolivia, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Ecuador, El Salvador, España, Guinea Ecuatorial, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Peru, Puerto Rico and Venezuela. You can click the link of the newspaper that interests you and you have Access to all of their site content and articles.

## 6 Help

On the bottom menu, L'Encyclopédie Découverte offers help:

1. Select Support
2. Select Help, Online Tutorial or Training Guide (depending on your problem)

All of the links available for help will keep you on a World Book website and pose no security risk.