### ACTFL Can Do Benchmarks/Maryland State Standards

**Interpersonal Communication:** I can communicate and exchange information about familiar topics using phrases and simple sentences sometimes supported by memorized language. I can usually handle short social interactions in everyday situations by asking and answering simple questions.

**Presentational Speaking:** I can present basic information on familiar topics using language I have practiced using phrases and simple sentences.

**Presentational Writing:** I can write short messages and notes on familiar topics related to everyday life.

**Interpretive Listening:** I can often understand words, phrases, and simple sentences related to everyday life. I can recognize pieces of information and sometimes understand the main topic of what is being said.

**Interpretive Reading:** I can understand familiar words, phrases, and sentences within short and simple texts related to everyday life.

I can sometimes understand the main idea of what I have read.

### Essential Questions

- What role does technology play in people’s lives?
- What do people do to feel well?

### Objectives

- Talk about ecology
- Discuss technology
- Talk about everyday activities
- Seek and provide personal information
- State what is happening right now
- Talk about the future
- Talk about the past
- Express negation or disagreement
- Identify objects
- Identify objects in a bathroom
- Discuss daily routine
- Discuss personal grooming
- Point out someone or something
- Discuss health
- Identify parts of the body
- Give and take instructions

### Vocabulary

- Technology and communication
- Environmental issues
- Vacations
- Everyday activities
- Daily routines
- Parts of the body
- Activities and health

### Grammar

- Repaso rápido: Present tense of –ar, –er, and –ir verbs
Anything labeled as “Review” is optional, depending on the abilities of the students in your class.

- Review: Present tense of verbs with irregularities
- Review: The present progressive
- Review: Ir + a
- Review: Preterite tense of –ar verbs
- Review: preterite tense of –er, and –ir verbs
- Review: The preterite tense
- Irregular preterit tense verbs
- Negative and affirmative expressions
- Review: Direct and indirect object pronouns
- Using direct and indirect object pronouns
- Reflexive Verbs
- The word se
- Preterit tense of reflexive verbs
- Review: Demonstrative Adjectives
- Demonstrative pronouns
- Verbs that are similar to *gustar*
- More on reflexive verbs
- Prepositions

| Culture             | • Cyber language
|                     | • Social networks
|                     | • Free Wi-fi availability
|                     | • Internet connection while traveling
|                     | • Artisanal fashion in the Hispanic world
|                     | • From Colombia to Hollywood
|                     | • Natural methods for health and well-being
|                     | • Importance of Medical interpreters

| Formative Assessments | •
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| Summative Assessment  | •
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