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TO: Bilingual Directors, Coordinators and Interested Parties

FROM: David R. Briseño
National Spanish Spelling Bee Coordinator

DATE: February 7, 2025

RE: 2025 National Spanish Spelling Bee

Attached is all the information that you will need so that your student can represent you in the 2025 National Spanish Spelling Bee.

Thank you for agreeing to participate in this event and I look forward to meeting everyone in Albuquerque on July 11, 2025 at the orientation session which will be held at the National Hispanic Cultural Center, Roy E Disney Center for Performing Arts, the Bank of America Theatre. This packet includes schedule of events and the hotel reservation information. Please note that some activities and locations identified on the schedule may change. The National Spanish Spelling Bee Organizing Committee welcomes you and thanks you for your participation in and support of this great event.

Adjunto encontrará toda la información que necesitará para que su estudiante pueda representarlo en el Concurso Nacional de Deletreo en Español de 2025.

Gracias por aceptar participar en este evento y espero conocerlos a todos en Albuquerque el 11 de julio de 2025 en la sesión de orientación que se llevará a cabo en el Centro Cultural Hispánico Nacional (Roy E Disney Center for Performing Arts, the Bank of America Theatre). Este paquete incluye el cronograma de eventos e información para reservar sus cuartos en el hotel. Tenga en cuenta que algunas actividades del cronograma pueden cambiar.

El Comité Organizador del Concurso Nacional de Deletreo en Español le da la bienvenida y le agradece su participación y apoyo a este gran evento.

Schedule of Events

Thursday, July 10, 2025

Arrival Day – Participants, Sponsors and Spelling Bee Staff Arrive in Albuquerque. Please make sure and make your reservations at one of our selected hotels.

There are no planned activities on Thursday.

All events will take place at the National Hispanic Cultural Center

Friday, July 11, 2025 Orientation Session Bank of America Theatre

9:30 am to 12:00 am Orientation Session

- Introduction of Participants, parents and sponsors
- Introduction of National Spanish Spelling Bee Staff
- Introduction of National Spanish Spelling Bee Sponsors and Special Guests
- Review of Contest Rules and Procedures
- Q & A Period
- Practice Round

Possible Lunch at the Domenici Education Center

Saturday, July 12, 2025 Albuquerque Journal Theatre

8:00 am	Arrive at the NHCC
8:45 am	Introduction of Judges, Pronouncer, Sponsors and Participants
9:00 am	Competition Begins
12:00 pm	Lunch at the Pete Domenici Education Center
1:00 pm	Competition Continues
6:30 pm	National Spanish Spelling Bee Awards Dinner The Pete Domenici Education Center

Sunday, July 13, 2025

Everyone returns home

Spelling Bee Host
National Hispanic Cultural
Center 1701 4th Street SW
Albuquerque, NM
www.nhccnm.org

Host Hotel

The Crowne Plaza

1901 University Blvd NE

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Call In

877-227-6963 reference National Spanish Spelling Bee

Booking Link

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