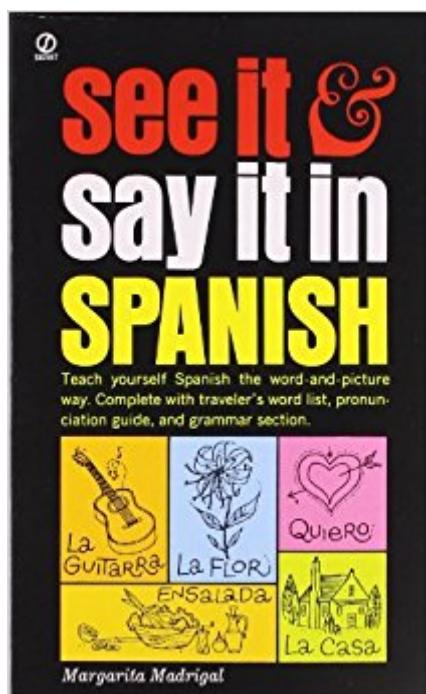


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See It And Say It In Spanish: A Beginner's Guide To Learning Spanish The Word-and-Picture Way



Synopsis

Master Spanish quickly and easily with this guide—written by internationally famous language teacher Margarita Madrigal—that has two built-in learning aids that has helped thousands of beginner students learn to speak Spanish. **THE WORD AND PICTURE METHOD**—Each new word, phrase, or sentence is accompanied by a line drawing that immediately explains its meaning. **READY-MADE VOCABULARY**—Right from the starts, this book leads you to speaking conversational Spanish. It utilizes everyday Spanish words and phrases that look and sound like their English equivalents. Also includes:
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A pronunciation guide
A grammar section

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Customer Reviews

Margarita Madrigal (May 15, 1912 – July 23, 1983) was a Costa Rican American author and language teacher. During her career, she wrote 25 books covering seven languages.

I already had See It & Say It In Italian, and it helped me get by through Italy, so I bought this one to help me get through Spain! It's good if you want to learn some basic phrases to get around.

The simple idea underlying this text is fine, but its execution into a book is fundamentally flawed.

The idea is to combine line drawings with one or two sentences of text to illustrate Spanish prose. The consistent flaw is that second person, singular and plural, verb forms are combined with third person verb forms, thus creating a verbal mess that is both undesirable and insulting to a reader willing to work toward understanding Spanish. To consistently reduce the six standard verb forms of a tense into four, and to illustrate that with charts, is an aggressive misrepresentation of the language, regardless how "practical" or "true-to-life" such abbreviations may appear, and is a horrid presentation of a language that deserves better.

I am taking a full immersion spanish class and it had many helpful points including a page that explains pronunciation of letters and different letter combinations. Easy to read, easy to follow, rasy to learn. It helped me in points that I was having a hard time with including the verb section and declention section. Recommend to have on the shelf.

This book is easy to understand. I got it for my younger children and they appreciate the illustrations throughout the book.

This book was recommended by a friend who teaches Spanish as a good tool for me to learn the basics to communicate with my patients that don't speak English well or at all. Great book and easy to read.

This is a wonderful book for people who want to learn Spanish. It has the same info you would find in a beginner level textbook without all of the extra wording. Not only does it contain charts/pictures that help you visualize the words, it contains a mini English-Spanish dictionary located in the back, which is handy. It teaches you the basic grammar concepts of the Spanish language and is presented in a clear and coherent fashion. Like I said, it isn't wordy, and it gets straight to the point. This book was also delivered before the expected delivery date, so I am extremely pleased with this seller and the purchase!

I'm currently doing a course in Spanish but the content of the class is not well organized, so I ordered the book as I recalled that when I was growing up my Aunt had taught me Spanish every day using this book and another, and it made it so easy. The layout is simple and sectioned off in a way that aids comprehension and day to day practical usage. Only fault I have is that it skims over detailed grammar, but then again it's not a textbook but meant to for the user to function in a

Spanish speaking environment. Definitely worth it!

I think buying this book was one of my best purchases on . I highly recommend this book to anyone who is interested in learning a little Spanish language. It's perfect for the beginner, both young and old. It's simply laid out perfectly, offering both words and images to help the learner better understand and memorize the content. Yes, if you're looking for a good book on beginner Spanish, this would be a wise choice.

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