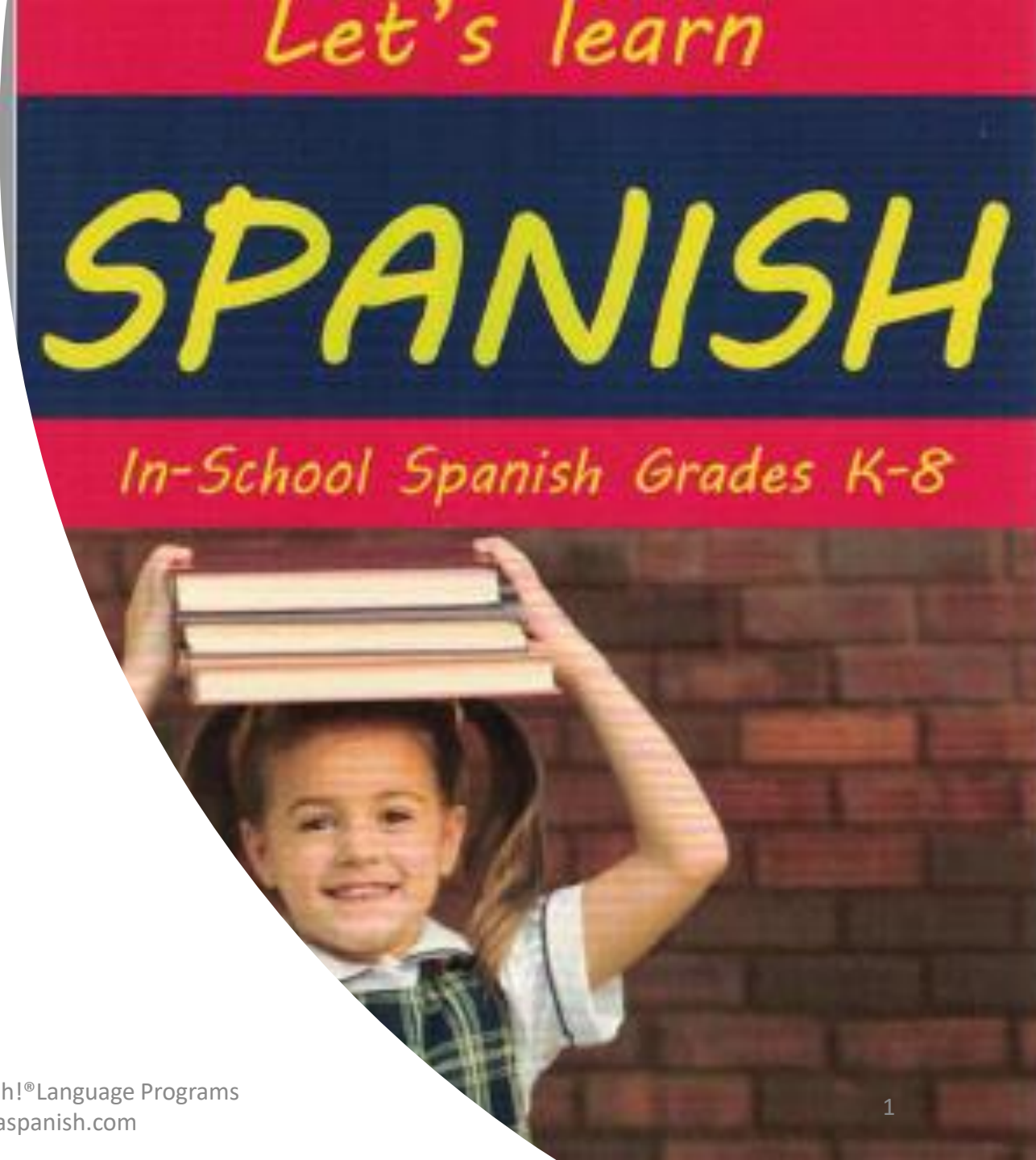




Schools leave
their Spanish
to us!



What
we
do

We help
principals
save time,
effort and
worry!





Who is Viva Spanish?

- Viva Spanish! is a no-worry program that brings Spanish to K-8 non-public schools.
- We provide an ON-SITE teacher, a proprietary curriculum and support.
- We serve over 55 schools in Ohio and have been doing this for over 22 years!

What we believe...

- **By teaching Spanish, we can impact the way children learn, think and feel.**
- **Learning Spanish is a great way for students to see the world through a different lens and grow in their understanding of others.**
- **Igniting interest and success in Spanish can influence how students enjoy life and embrace others.**



The benefits of Spanish class

To impact learning and improve...

READING ~ VOCABULARY~

COMPREHENSION & COMMUNICATION SKILLS

(in both ENGLISH and SPANISH!)

Spanish class helps kids:

- ++++ Become better thinkers and listeners
- ++++ Gain confidence in learning
- ++++ Solve problems faster
- ++++ Develop empathy and an understanding of others
- ++++ Become more imaginative



Can you have real goals in a once or twice per week Spanish program in K-8?

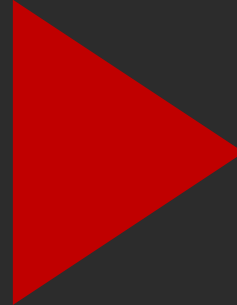


- Did you know that there are **NO** established standards or learning objectives for foreign language programs taught once per week?
- Is merely having an “exploratory experience program” worth it?
- Does it make sense to have a program without a clear understanding of what you’re trying to achieve?

We believe that you MUST have real objectives for worthwhile learning

We developed a Viva Spanish!® Curriculum!

**We used a “backward design”
to develop our own
curriculum that ensures that
students are prepared for high
school.**



**Students in K-5 use
workbooks designed to guide
their learning and serve as a
resource.**

**Students in 6-8 use a teacher-
led digital high school
SPANISH I program that is
taught over 3 years [online e-
textbooks and e-workbooks
are included with this
program].**

UNIT 0

is at the core of the
Viva Spanish!®
Curriculum

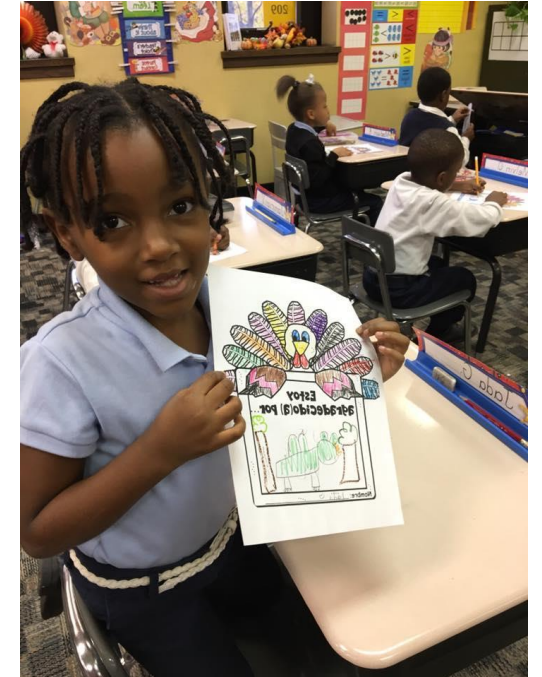
We use a spiral learning strategy to ensure that students retain and expand on basic topics by beginning EACH year with practice and review of all the following topics:

- Greetings
- Numbers
- Colors
- The alphabet
- Months
- Seasons

Cultural components are also integrated throughout the curriculum!



We understand that learning happens when students engage and enjoy the process. We promote hands-on learning with a variety of different types of activities.



Our website
even includes a
Parent Corner
to increase
parent
involvement
and student
learning!

We have seen some schools realize too late that their program or teacher was not equipped to deliver effective Spanish lessons.

Some schools never realize they have an ineffective program because they are unfamiliar with the language.

Other schools become frustrated when they need to start all over again when the part time teacher leaves.

We find and vet teacher candidates so that schools don't have to!

- We do ALL the work to find qualified candidates, including screening and interviewing.
- We confidently assess Spanish fluency.
- We check references and conduct background checks.
- We assist and pay for obtaining licensure for every teacher.
 - For Catholic schools – Candidates complete the Virtus program in the first year.
- We ensure that teachers are working toward Viva Spanish! Certification.
- We prepare our teachers to implement successful Spanish classes.



Schools can hire their own teacher...

This teacher will be:

- unable to collaborate with other Spanish teachers.
- forced to find their own resources and create their own curriculum.
- difficult to place, train, and maintain as a part-time employee.
- challenging to support and provide feedback to (especially when they might be the only person with Spanish language knowledge in your school).

...or they can invest in Viva Spanish!®

- **Teachers work as a TEAM and are provided with constant support and collaboration.**
- **Viva Spanish! provides a full sequential curriculum that was developed to maximize learning for high school readiness.**
- **Teacher placement and training are included in our program!**
- **Viva Spanish! provides on-site observations, feedback, and coaching.**
- **Viva Spanish is guaranteed! – NO RISK!**



Viva Spanish!® Teachers are part of a **TEAM**

- Teachers work as a unified team through collaboration and ongoing teacher forums.
- Teachers have access to a Viva Spanish! Teacher Talk page where they are encouraged to share ideas.
- Teachers are provided with peer evaluations, ongoing support, and opportunities to learn more.
- Viva Spanish! provides ongoing supervision, support, and regular feedback.



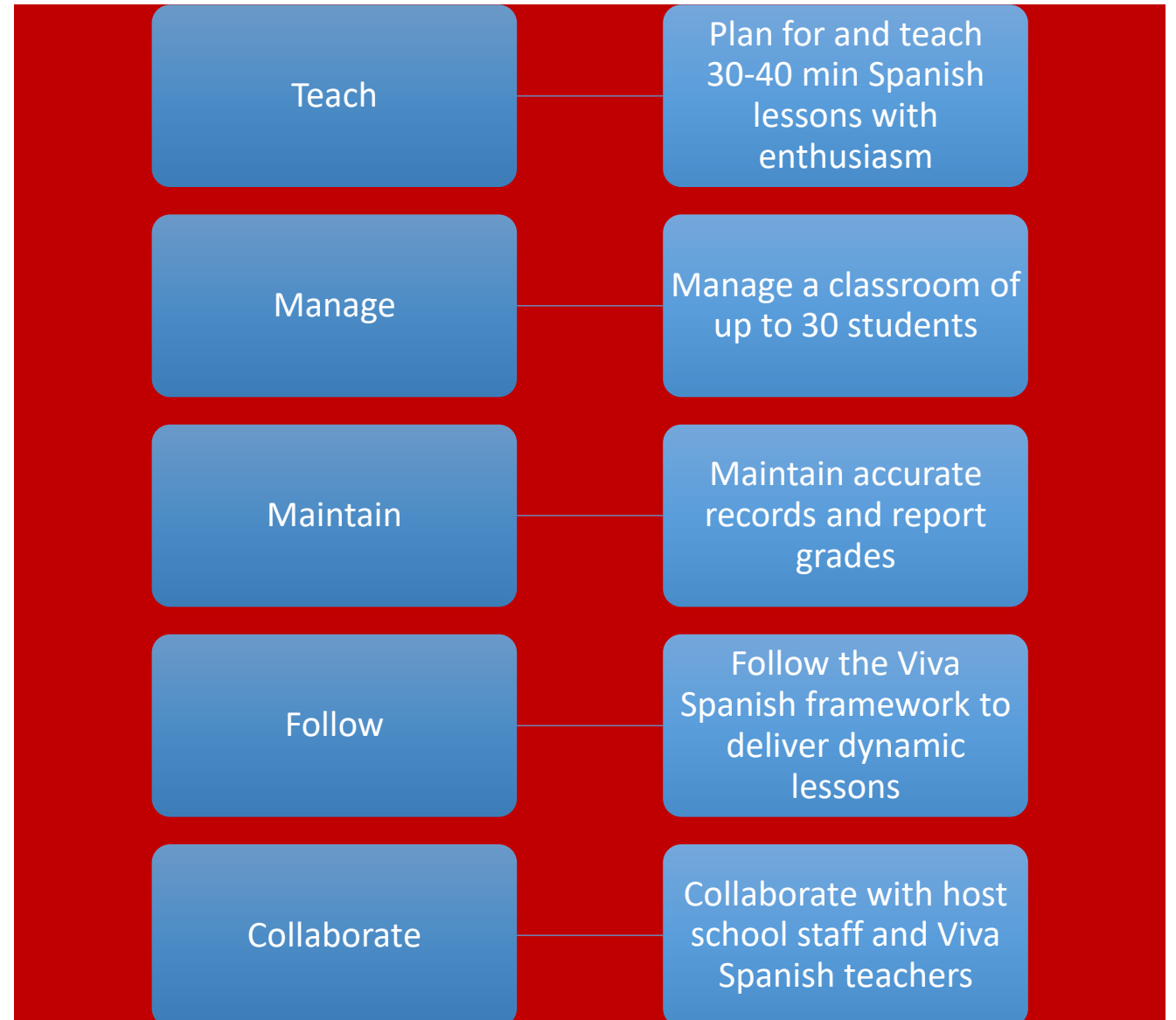


- We impress upon our teachers the importance of the work they do.
 - To positively influence students toward foreign language learning
 - To help students see the world through a different lens
 - To encourage acceptance toward diversity
 - To help students get smarter!

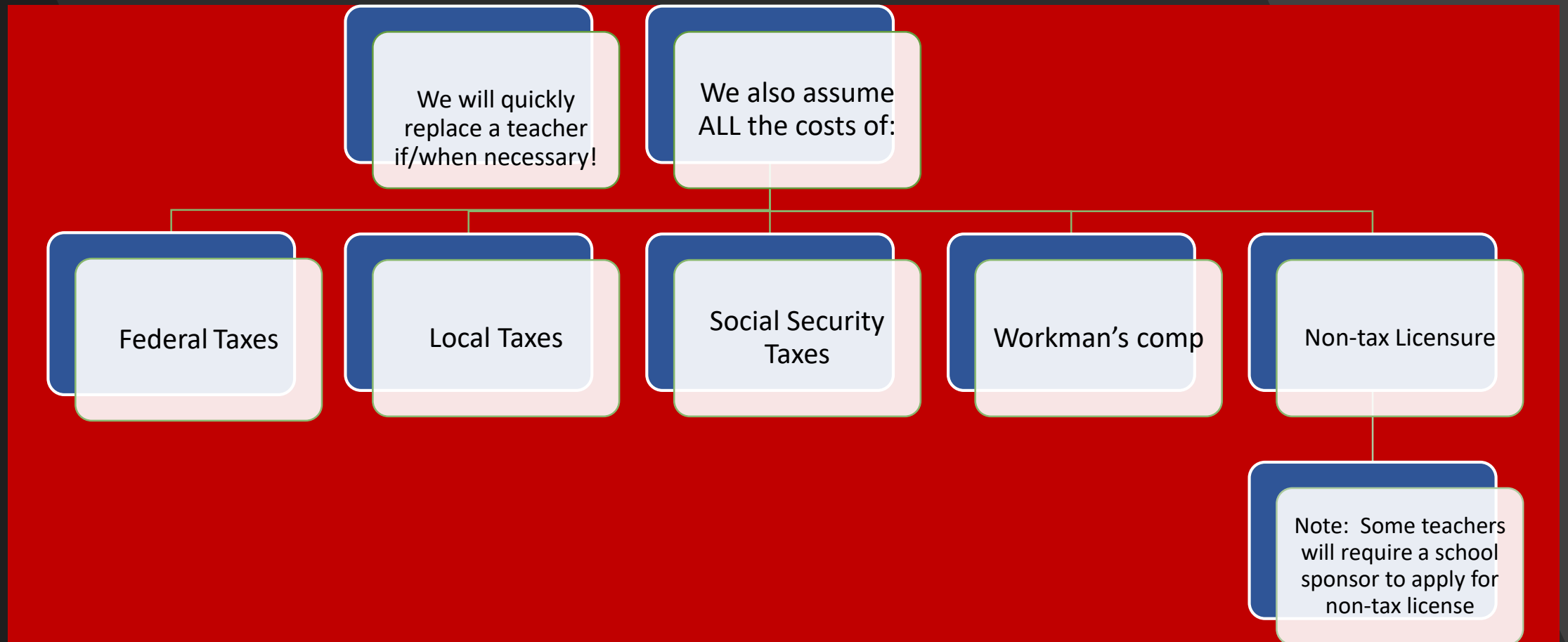
When teachers are excited,
students are excited!



Viva Spanish! Teacher Tasks & Responsibilities



Our program is risk-free for schools! – Schools are never “stuck” with a teacher that is not a good fit



New for 2018-19! Spanish Managers

Spanish Managers will manage and coordinate all aspects of the Viva Spanish! Program at your school.

We have recently added 2 former School Principals to join our team and serve in roles as **Spanish Managers**



A school profile helps us to understand our schools!

What makes your school unique?

- Your Spanish Manager will compile information to help us understand more about your school.
- We will use this information to customize your program, and to ensure we meet the needs of your students and to select the perfect teacher.
- Coaching and support is further impacted by the information collected



On-site Peer Point Person

We also will ask the school select a Peer Teacher on staff that can help to acclimate and support the Spanish teacher on-site.

The Peer Point Person will be entered into a drawing at the end of the year for several \$50 - \$100 gift cards as our thanks for being an on-site buddy



**HERE'S WHAT
YOU GET...**

- **Effective Curriculum for high school readiness**
- **Quality on-site Instructor who's not alone**
- **Tools and Resources**
- **Supervision /teacher Support**
- **Resolution support**
- **Guaranteed complete program**
- **A Spanish Manager to focus on all aspects of your Spanish Program**



Using Auxiliary Funds has made Viva Spanish!® more affordable than ever!

- **Auxiliary Funds can pay for a portion of your Spanish program!**
- **The Digital Middle School program is fully eligible.**
- **The Program portion of the K-5 program is eligible (about 60%)**

We strive for
full satisfaction
from every
school!

