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| Spanish | English |
| FRASES COMUNES | |
| echar de menos algo / a alguien Te echo de menos Te echaba mucho de menos cuando estabas en Francia. | to miss I miss you I really missed you when you were in France. |
| echar una mano ¿Me puedes echar una mano con este ejercicio? | to lend a hand Can you give me a hand with this exercise? |
| me echaron la culpa a mí ¡no me eches la culpa a mí! | they put the blame on me don’t put the blame on me! |
| echar un vistazo echó un vistazo a su alrededor | to have a look at something she glanced around |
| echar leña al fuego | to add fuel to the fire: This is used in a figurative sense, meaning to make a bad situation worse by negative actions or comments. |
| echarse atrás Ya es demasiado tarde para echarse atrás.  Se echó atrás en el último momento | to back out / withdraw / to go backwards It's too late to back out now.  She backed out at the last moment |
| echar raíces echar anclas | to put down roots (for a person) to drop anchor |
| echarse a (infinitive)   echarse a llorar se echó a llorar  se echó a llorar  se echó a correr | this expression is often used to express that something starts suddenly:   to burst into tears she burst into tears  she burst into song  he broke into a run |
| echar una cabezada | to have a nap |
| me voy a echar una siesta | I'm going to have a siesta |
| echar una carrera Tendrás que echar una carrera si quieres coger el tren. | to get a move on You'll have to get a move on if you want to catch the train. |
| echar una corrida Tuve que echar una buena corrida para coger el tren. | to run for it I really had to run for it to catch the train. |
| echar la casa por la ventana Echó la casa por la ventana para la boda de su hija. | to push the boat out / to go overboard / to spare no expense He went overboard for his daughter's wedding. |
| echar el cerrojo | to bolt the door |
| echar los dados | to throw the dice |
| echar a alguien  me echaron  me echó de casa | to sack / fire someone / to throw someone out  they gave me the sack / fired me  he threw me out of the house |
| echar eche el aceite en un bol | pour pour the oil into a bowl (from a recipe) |
| echar algo en falta Lo que se echa en falta es más tiempo | to miss / lack What is needed is more time. |
| echar una mirada a algo | to have a look at something |
| echar un ojo a alguien o algo | to take a quick look at something / someone |
| echar un partido de tenis Vamos a echar un partido de tenis. | to have a game of tennis Let's have a game of tennis. |
| echar un pulso | to arm wrestle |
| echarse en la cama | to lie down on the bed |
| Le tengo que echar gasolina. | I have to get some petrol. |
| echar las cortinas | to draw the curtains |

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| FRASES NO TAN COMUNES | |
| echar brotes | to sprout |
| echar las campanas al vuelo | to shout it from the rooftops to get excited about something |
| echar su cuarto a espadas | to stick one's oar in |
| echar los hígados | to bust a gut (higado = liver) |
| echar a alguien a los leones | to throw someone in at the deep end |
| echar luz sobre algo | to shed / cast light on something |
| echarse las manos a la cabeza Se echó las manos a la cabeza cuando vio lo que había hecho. | to throw one's hands up in horror She threw her hands up in horror when she saw what he had done. |
| echar mano de algo Si tenemos problemas de dinero siempre podemos echar manos de nuestros ahorros. | to fall back on If we have money problems we can always dip into our savings. |
| echar algo a perder Las lluvias echaron a perder la cosecha | to ruin / spoil something The rains ruined the havest. |
| echar pestes de alguien Siempre me está echando de pestes. | to run someone down She's always slagging me off. |
| echar el resto | to go all out |
| ¿Cuántos años me echas? | How old do you think I am? |
| Se ha echado novio. | She's found herself a boyfriend. |
| echar rayos y centellas | to fume (colloquial) (centella = sparks) |
| echar algo a suerte | to toss / draw straws for something etc. |
| echar tierra a / sobre algo | to cover / hush something up |
| echar algo por tierra Van a echar este monumento por tierra. | to knock down / demolish They're going to knock down that monument. |
| echar la toalla | to throw in the towel |
| echar algo por la ventana | to throw something away to spoil / squander something |
| echar de ver He soon realised that he had been robbed. | to realise / notice Pronto echó de ver que le habían robado. |

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| Spanish | English |
| FRASES COMUNES | |
| el terrorismo | terrorism |
| la guerra contra el terrorismo la lucha contra el terrorismo | war against terrorism |
| un/una terrorista | a terrorist  a bomber |
| un grupo/banda terrorist | a terrorist group |
| una bomba (nuclear / atómica) | a (nuclear / atom) bomb |
| el bombardeo (from aircraft) el atentado terrorista (be terrorists) | bombing |
| un atentado terrorista | bombing (by terrorists) terrorist attack |
| bombardear (from air) colocar una bomba en | to bomb to bomb / to plant a bomb in |
| un coche bomba | a car bomb |
| una explosión | an explosion |
| estallar / explotar La bomba estalló a las 6.00. | to explode / to go off The bomb went off at six o'clock. |
| un artificiero No estalló gracias a la intervención de los artificieros. | a bomb disposal expert It didn't explode thanks to the intervention of the bomb disposal experts. |
| derrumbarse El edificio se derrumbó. | to collapse The building collapsed. |
| un piloto suicida | a suicide pilot |
| secuestrar / raptar | to kidnap |
| un rescate | a ransom |
| exigir un rescate por alguien | to hold someone to / for ransom |
| un rehén | a hostage |
| tomar / tener a alguien como rehén | to take / hold someone hostage |
| secuestrar (avión / | to hijack |
| un/a secuestrador/a un/ pirata aéreo/a | a hijacker a hijacker (of planes) |
| un secuestro | a hijacking |
| represalia | reprisal |
| la intervención del ejército | military action |
| régimen | a regime |
| las torres gemelas | the twin towers |
| frustrar un atentado terrorista | to foil a terrorist attack |
| violacion a los derechos humanos | violation of human rights |
| daño colateral | colateral damage |
| autorizar el uso de la fuerza contra los terroristas. | authorise the use of force against terrorists. |
| el Centro Mundial de Comercio | World Trade Center |
| secuestrado | the person who is kidnapped |
| secuestrador | the kidnapper |
| secuestro | the kidnapping (note that in Spanish the words for a hijack and a kidnapping are the same) |
| ataque aéreo | air raid / air attack |
| WAR VOCABULARY | |
| la acción de guerra / armas No descartó la intervención del ejército Respaldaría una acción militar de los Estados Unidos. | military action He didn't rule out military action. He would back military action by the USA. |
| un portaaviones | an aircraft carrier |
| un campamento de instrucción | a training camp |
| las armas nucleares | nuclear weapons |
| el ejército | the army |
| un soldado | a soldier |
| nuestras tropas | our troops |
| la marina / la armada la armada británica la marina de los EEUU | the navy the Royal Navy the US navy |
| base aérea | air base |
| los despliegues | deployments |
| una batalla | a battle |
| una bandera | a flag |
| una amenaza | a threat |
| el enemigo | the enemy |
| un acto bélico / un acto de guerra | an act of war |
| el uso de la fuerza | the use of force |
| una fuerza disuasoria | a deterrent |
| herido | wounded |
| un despliegue miitar | a military deployment |
| sede / oficina central | headquarters |
| un alto el fuego | a ceasefire |
| búnker | bunker |
| guerra santa | holy war |
| OTAN | NATO |
| POLITICAL / MILITARY ACTIONS | |
| congelar los fondos | to freeze financial assets / accounts |
| imponer sanciones contra | to impose sanctions against |
| las sanciones militares / económicas | military / economic sanctions |
| habrá que extremar la vigilancia | security will have to be tightened |
| derribar un régimen / gobierno | to overthrow a regime / government |
| el proceso de paz | the peace process |
| el levantamiento de sanciones a Pakistán | the lifting of sanctions against Pakistan |
| tomar la medidas necesarias a fin de garantizar la seguridad de los ciudadanos. | take the necessary measures in order to guarantee the safety of the citizens. |
| La Operación ‘Libertad Duradera’ | Operation Enduring Freedom |
| OTRAS FRASES | |
| niega estar involucrado en el atentado | he denies being involved in the attack |

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| RECIPIENTES - CONTAINERS | | | | |
| CONTAINERS - FOR LIQUIDS | | | | |
| un envase, un recipiente | | | a container | |
| una jarra (large), una jarrita (small) | | | a jug | |
| un cántaro | | | a pitcher | |
| una botella | | | a bottle | |
| una botella de vino | | | a wine bottle | |
| una botella de vino | | | a bottle of wine | |
| un frasco | | | a bottle (of perfume, medicine, ink) | |
| una lata | | | a can | |
| un barril, un tonel | | | a barrel | |
| una taza | | | a cup | |
| un vaso | | | a glass (e.g. for water) | |
| una copa | | | a glass (e.g. for wine) | |
| una garrafa, un garrafón | | | a demijohn | |
| un bidón | | | a drum | |
| un odre, un pellejo | | | a wineskin | |
| una bota, un boto | | | a small wineskin | |
| un porrón | | | a wine bottle (with a long spout) To drink from it, the idea is to try to separate it as far from the mouth as possible and to drink continuously without spilling any of the wine down your front. | |
| un embalse | | | a dam | |
| un pantano, una presa | | | a reservoir | |
| un sifón | | | a siphon | |
| un pozo | | | a well | |
| un botellón (This is also the word in Spain for impromptu drinking parties in the street) | | | a flagon (large bottle) | |
| una jarra | | | a flagon (large jug) | |
| CONTAINERS - FOR FOOD | | | | |
| una lata, un bote | | | a tin | |
| un tarro, un bote | | | a jar | |
| una caja | | | a box | |
| un paquete | | | a packet | |
| un cuenco, un bol, un tazón | | | a bowl | |
| un plato | | | a plate | |
| una panera | | | a breadbasket | |
| OTHER TYPES OF CONTAINERS | | | | |
| un contenedor | | | a skip | |
| una papelera | | | a waste-paper basket / bin | |
| un cubo de basura | | | a rubbish bin (Br. Eng.) / a trash can (Am. Eng.) | |
| una cesta | | | a basket | |
| un cubo | | | a bucket | |
| una caja | | | a box | |
| un cajón | | | a crate | |
| una bolsa | | | a bag | |
| una bolsa de plástico | | | a plastic bag | |
| un bolso | | | a handbag (Br. Eng.), purse (Am. Eng.) | |
| un monadero | | | a purse (Br. Eng.), change purse (Am. Eng.) | |
| una cartera | | | a wallet (Br. Eng.), billfold (Am. Eng.) | |
| una mochila | | | a rucksack | |
| una maleta | | | a suitcase | |
| una cartera, un maletín | | | a briefcase | |
| EXPRESSIONS WITH CONTAINER WORDS | | | | |
| estirar la pata | | | to kick the bucket | |
| tener muchas agallas | | | to have a lot of bottle | |
| estar como un botijo | | | to be as round as a barrel | |
| Español | English | |

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| COLOUR NOUNS / SUSTANTIVOS RELACIONADOS CON LOS COLORES | |
| un morado | a bruise |
| el blanco | target / bull's eye |
| el vino tinto | red wine |
| el vino blanco | white wine |
| el vino rosado | rosé wine |
| COLOUR EXPRESSIONS / FRASES RELACIONADAS CON LOS COLORES | |
| ROJO ponerse hecho una furia ponerse rojo ponerse más rojo que un tomate estar en números rojos | RED to see red to blush to turn as red as a beetroot to be in the red |
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| AMARILLO la prensa amarilla/amarillista/sensacionalista | YELLOW the yellow press |
| VERDE estar verde me muero de envidia poner verde a alguien tener mano para las plantas un viejo verde | GREEN to be green (inexperienced) I'm green with envy to call someone all the names under the sun to have green fingers a dirty old man |
| AZUL amoratado de frío una película verde / porno esfumarse | BLUE blue with cold a blue film to disappear into the blue |
| NEGRO mentir descaradamente  una mirada de odio pasarlas negras dijo la sartén al cazo | BLACK to swear black is white a black look to have a tough time That's the pot calling the kettle black. |
| BLANCO Se casó de blanco. Se pusieron blanco de miedo. Me quedé en blanco. | WHITE She had a white wedding. They went white with fear. My mind went blank. |
| OTHER COLOUR-RELATED EXPRESSIONS / OTRAS FRASES RELACIONADAS CON LOS COLORES | |
| daltonismo | colour blindness |
| perder color | to fade |
| estar matizado de | to be tinged with |
| televisión de color | colour television |
| televisión de blanco y negro Note: how the colours are reversed | black and white television |
| apagado | dull |
| chillón | garish |
| llamativo, chillón | loud |
| chillón, chabacano | lurid |
| vibrante | vibrant |
| tonos pastel | pastel shades |
| colores primarios/fundamentales | primary colours |
| rojizo | reddish |
| amarillento | yellowish |
| verdoso | greenish |
| azulado | bluish |
| negruzco/renegrido | blackish |
| blanquecino/blancuzco | whitish |
| azul verdoso | greenish blue |
| azúcar moreno/morena | brown sugar |
| arco iris | rainbow |
| HAIR COLOUR / COLOR DE PELO | |
| castaño rojizo | auburn |
| rubio | blonde |
| castaño | brown |
| castaño | chestnut |
| rubio | fair |
| pelirrojo, color zanahoria | ginger |
| canoso/gris/cano Es canoso. / Tiene el pelo canoso. / Tiene canas. | grey He's got grey hair. |
| castaño desvaído | mousy |
| pelirrojo Es pelirrojo. | red She's got red hair. |
| rubio rojizo | sandy |
| Voy a teñirme el pelo de rubio | I'm going to dye my hair blonde |

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| English | Spanish | ejemplo | example |
| to afford | tener suficiente dinero para comprar algo | No tengo suficiente dinero para comprar un coche | I can't afford a new car. |
| a discount | un descuento | hay un descuento si pagas todo por adelantado | there is a discount if you pay all in advance. |
| pay money in | ingresar dinero | ¿Cuál es el procedimiento para ingresar dinero en efectivo por el cajero automático? | What is the procedure for paying money into an account in cash at the ATM machine. |
| change | cambio | ¿me das cambio para la máquina? | can you give me some change for the machine? |
| A nonprofit organization (NPO) | Una organización sin ánimo de lucro (OSAL) | Me gustaría saber qué requisitos son necesarios para montar una organization sin ánimo de lucro | I would like to know what requirements are necessary for setting up a nonprofit organization. |
| a mortgage | una hipoteca | En \"la Caixa\" encontrarás el préstamo personal para financiar tu proyecto y la mejor hipoteca para tu vivienda. | In \"la Caixa\" you will find the personal loan to finance your project and the best mortgage for your home. |
| raise funds | recaudar fondos | Estrellas del pop y rock grabaron ayer en Londres una canción para recaudar fondos en la lucha contra el ébola. | Rock and pop stars recorded a song in London yesterday to raise funds in the fight against Ebola. |
| invest | invertir | Dónde deberíamos invertir en 2016 para obtener una rentabilidad aceptable | Where should we invest in 2016 to get an acceptable return. |
| the stock market | la bolsa | La Bolsa de Valores de Nueva York opera al inicio de la semana con firmes alzas. | The New Your Stock market has experienced strong price rises at the start of the week. |
| earn | ganar | Dos mujeres han sido desahuciadas por el impago de una deuda de 22.000 euros | Two women have been evicted for the non-payment of a debt of 22,000 euros |
| till, cash register | caja, caja registradora | ¿Que aparece en la caja registradora de los Simpson cuando pasa Maggie? | What appears in the cash register of the Simpsons when Maggie passes? |
| tax | impuesto | ¡Lo impensable y más absurdo está en proceso en España: el gobierno actual acosa y sanciona al sector de las energías renovables con decretos retroactivos, impuestos y multas! | The unthinkable and most absurd thing is happening in Spain The current government is harassing and punishing the renewable energy sector with retroactive laws, taxes and fines! |
| counterfeit | falso | ¿Cómo puedo detectar un billete falso? | How can I detect a counterfeit note? |
| a banknote | un billete | El billete de quinientos euros (500 €) es el de mayor valor de los billetes de euro y ha sido utilizado desde la introducción del euro en 2002 | The five hundred euro note (500 €) is the highest denomination euro note and has been used since the introduction of the euro in 2002. |
| a recession | una recesión | La economía de Japón ha vuelto a entrar en recesión | The Japanese economy has gone back into a recession. |
| coin | una moneda | Lo único que tienes que hacer es insertar una moneda y pulsar el botón. | The only thing you have to do is insert a coin and press the button. |
| foreign currency | divisas | Utilice este conversor de divisas gratuito para calcular divisas y tipos de cambio en tiempo real. | Use this free foreign currency converter to calculate foreign currencies and exchange rates in real time. |
| an overdraft | un descubierto | Un descubierto es cuando una cuenta corriente o libreta de ahorro, tiene saldo menor que cero. | An overdraft is when a current account or a savings book has a balance of less than zero |
| to make a profit | hacer ganancias | Hoy te quiero mencionar una de las claves para obtener ganancias en tiempos de crisis | Today I want to mention one of the keys to making a profit in times of crisis. |
| a bank account | una cuenta bancaria | ¿Puedo abrir una cuenta bancaria en Mexico desde Guatemala? | Can I open a bank account in Mexico from Guatemala? |
| A receipt | Un recibo | Un recibo o constancia de pago es una constancia que se puede usar para certificar que se ha pagado por un servicio o producto. | A receipt or proof of payment is a record which can be used to certify that a service or product has been paid for. |
| bank balance | saldo | ¿Cómo puedo consultar el saldo de mi cuenta? | How can I consult the balance of my account? |
| Money box, Piggy bank | alcancia /hucha | Hoy te enseñamos cómo hacer tu propia hucha casera para empezar a ahorrar dinero | Today we show you how to make your own home made money box to start to save money. |
| a debt | una deuda | Dos mujeres han sido desahuciadas por el impago de una deuda de 22.000 euros | Two women have been evicted for the non-payment of a debt of 22,000 euros |
| a fool | un tonto | Un tonto y su dinero nunca están mucho tiempo juntos | A fool and his money are soon parted |
| a wallet | una cartera | ¿Has perdido la cartera alguna vez? | Have you ever lost your wallet? |
| penniless | sin un céntimo | La esposa de Eichmann quedó sin un céntimo | Eichmann's wife was left penniless |
| a safe | una caja fuerte | Habitación doble con dos camas, teléfono, TV, calefacción, Caja Fuerte, WIFI. | Double room with two beds, telephone, TV, heating, safe, WIFI. |
| a ransom | un rescate | secuestran a 2 niños y piden rescate de 20 mil soles | they kidnap 2 girls and demand a ransom of 20 thousand Peruvian Sols |
| inheritance | herencia | La herencia de la reina Fabiola se destinará a las personas desfavorecidas en Bélgica | The inheritance of queen Fabiola will go to underprivileged people in Belgium |
| income | ingresos | Pablo Iglesias declara unos ingresos de 70.000 euros | Pablo Iglesias declares an income of 70.000 euros |
| a fortune, a bomb | un pastón | debe costar un pastón | it must cost a bomb |
| credit card | tarjeta de crédito | Con una tarjeta de crédito puede usted pagar de forma segura en cualquier parte del mundo, cuando vaya de vacaciones | With a credit card you can safely pay in any part of the world, when you go on holiday. |
| money | dinero | es dinero mal aprovechado | it's a waste of money |
| raise funds | recaudar fondos | Estrellas del pop y rock grabaron ayer en Londres una canción para recaudar fondos en la lucha contra el ébola. | Rock and pop stars recorded a song in London yesterday to raise funds in the fight against Ebola. |
| Root | Raíz | EL DINERO ES LA RAÍZ DE TODO MAL | Money is the root of all evil |
| ATM, cash machine | cajero automático | Buscar sucursales y cajeros automáticos de Bank of America | Search for branches and ATMs of Bank of America |
| shares | acciones | si usted está leyendo esta web es porque quiere saber cómo comprar acciones de la forma más segura | If you are reading this website it is because you want to know how to buy shares in the safest way. |
| cash | dinero en efectivo | ¿Puedo pagar en efectivo? | Can I pay in cash? |

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| Español | Inglés |
| unas herramientas | tools |
| una ferretería | a hardware shop |
| el bricolaje | DIY (do-it-yourself) |
| una droguería | store selling cleaning materials and other household goods |

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| Frases útiles para la ferretería | |
| Español | Inglés |
| ¿Tiene algo para .......? | Have you got anything for ....? |
| Necesito algo que sea....... | I need something that is....... |
| ¿Cómo funciona este chisme? | how does this thing work? |
| un chisme | thing, gadget, thingamajig |

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| Español | Inglés |
| un martillo | a hammer |
| un mazo | a mallet |
| una sierra | a saw |
| una sierra de metales | a hacksaw |
| una llave | a spanner |
| una llave inglesa | an adjustable spanner |
| un destornillador | a screwdriver |
| un clavo | a nail |
| un tornillo | a screw |
| una lima | a file |
| el papel de lija | sandpaper |
| unos alicates | pliers (pair of) |
| un nivel | a level |
| un escoplo; un formón | a chisel (wood) |
| un cincel | a chisel (stone) |
| un cortafrío | a cold chisel |
| un taladro | a drill |
| una broca | a drill bit |
| Escuadra, una | a square |
| unos cortaalambres | wirecutters |
| unas tenazas | pincers |
| un metro | a metre rule |
| una regla | a ruler |
| un calibrador | a pair of callipers |
| un cepillo de carpintero | a plane |
| un torno de banco | a vice |
| un cárcel | a clamp |
| una escoba | a broom |
| una hacha | an axe |
| una carraca | a ratchet |
| un encaje | a socket |
| un pincel | a paintbrush (small) |
| una brocha | a paintbrush (large) |
| un soldador | a soldering-iron |
| una espátula | a scraper |
| un soplete | a blowtorch |
| un destornillador de estrella | a Phillips head screwdriver |
| un granete | a center punch |
| un cútter | a Stanley knife |
| Algunos verbos | |
| Español | Inglés |
| cortar | to cut |
| destornillar | to unscrew |
| martillar | to hammer |
| golpear | to hit |
| barnizar | to varnish |
| pintar | to paint |
| serrar | to saw |

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| face = la cara/el rostro | |
| facial features | rasgos |
| she has a thin face | tiene la/una cara delgada |
| an oval face | una cara ovalada |
| a round face | una cara redonda |
| clean-shaven | bien afeitado |
| a bloated face | una cara hinchada/abotagada/abotargada |
| a cherubic face | una cara angelical |
| a chubby face | una cara regordete |
| chubby-cheeked | mofletudo |
| a chubby/podgy face | una cara rechoncha, regordete, gordinflona |
| he had a weather-beaten face | tenía un rostro curtido |
| a face lift | un lifting, un estiramiento facial |
| she has freckles | tiene pecas, es pecosa |
| spots/pimples | granos |
| blackheads | espinillas |
| moles | lunares |
| warts | verrugas |
| wrinkles | arugas |
| rosy cheeks | mejillas sonrosadas |
| acne | acne |
| a birthmark | un antojo/una mancha de nacimiento |
| a double chin | una papada |
| hollow cheeks | las mejillas hundidas |
| a dimple | un hoyuelo |
| smooth-cheeked/smooth-faced | lampiño |
| a deadpan face | una cara de póquer/de palo |
| a doleful face | una cara compungida |
| a sad face | una cara triste |
| a serious face | una cara seria |
| a smiling face | una cara sonriente |
| a happy face | una cara alegre |
| smooth-cheeked/smooth-faced | lampiño |
| to go red in the face (with anger/heat) | ponerse colorado/rojo |
| to go red/to blush (with embarassment) | sonrojarse/ruborizarse |
| he looks worried | parece preocupado |
| frightened | asustado |
| surprised | sorprendido |
| a smile | una sonrisa |
| a smirk | una sonrisita |
| a frown | el ceño fruncido |
| nose = la nariz | |
| a bulbous nose | una nariz protuberante |
| a hooked nose | una nariz aguileña |
| a big nose | una nariz grande |
| a turned-up/snub nose | una nariz respingona |
| a pointed nose | una nariz puntiaguda |
| a flat nose/a pug nose | una nariz chata |
| a lopsided nose | una nariz ladeada/torcida |
| a hooter/conk (colloquial Br. Eng.) a schnozzle (colloquial Am. Eng.) | una napia |
| to flare your nostrils/to snort | resoplar/bufar |
| eyes = los ojos | |
| she has brown eyes | tiene los ojos marrones |
| hazel | color avellana |
| he has beady eyes | tiene los ojos redondos y brillantes como cuentas |
| a black eye | un ojo morado |
| red eyes | ojos rojizos |
| bloodshot eyes | ojos sanguinolentos/injectados de sangre |
| to wink | guiñar el ojo |
| to blink | pestañear/parpadear |
| she is cross-eyed | es bizca |
| a squint | una bizquera, un estrabismo |
| she's blind | es ciega |
| he's blind in one eye | es tuerto |
| to go blind | quedarse ciego |
| crow's feet | patas de gallo |
| sunken eyes | ojos hundidos |
| piggy eyes | ojitos redondos y brillantes |
| bulging eyes | ojos saltones |
| slit/slanting eyes | ojos achinados |
| a stye | un orzuelo |
| shifty eyes | ojos furtivos |
| eyebrows = las cejas | |
| arched eyebrows | cejas arqueadas |
| bushy eyebrows | cejas tupidas |
| thick eyebrows | cejas pobladas |
| to raise your eyebrows | arquear las cejas |
| eyelashes = las pestañas | |
| false eyelashes | pestañas postizas |
| mouth | |
| harelip | labio leporino |
| chapped lips | labios agrietados |
| buckteeth | dientes de conejo/dientes salidos |
| false teeth | dentadura postiza |
| front teeth | paletas/dientes de adelante |
| wisdom teeth | muelas del juicio |
| to chatter (teeth) | castañetear |
| my teeth are chattering | me castañetean los dientes |
| hair = el pelo/cabello | |
| she has blond hair | tiene el pelo rubio |
| auburn | castaño rojizo |
| she has grey hair | es canosa, tiene el pelo canoso, tiene canas |
| mousy hair | el pelo castaño desvaído |
| she's red-haired/red-headed | es pelirrojo |
| a brunette | una morena |
| streaks | mechones |
| highlights | mechitas/reflejos/claritos |
| dyed hair | el pelo teñido |
| long hair | el pelo largo |
| short hair | el pelo corto |
| shoulder-length hair | el pelo hasta los hombros |
| curly hair | el pelo rizado |
| wavy hair | el pelo ondulado |
| frizzy hair | el pelo crespo |
| spiky hair | el pelo de punta |
| she has permed hair | se ha hecho un permanente |
| crimped hair | pelo rizado con tenacillas |
| straight hair | el pelo liso |
| a fringe | un flequillo |
| a parting | una raya |
| a pigtail | una trenza |
| a ponytail | una cola |
| bunches | coletas |
| a bun | un moño |
| lank hair | el pelo lacio |
| dull | sin brillo |
| greasy hair | el pelo graso/grasoso |
| fine | fino |
| she has thick hair | tiene mucho pelo/tiene el pelo grueso |
| dry | seco |
| shiny hair | el pelo brillante |
| split ends | las puntas abiertas |
| dandruff | la caspa |
| a pageboy | un peinado/corte a lo paje |
| a bob | una melena |
| a hairdo | un peinado |
| a crew cut | un pelo cortado al rape |
| sideburns | patillas |
| a wig | una peluca |
| a toupée | un peluquín, un tupé |
| bald | calvo |
| a bald patch | una calva/una pelada |
| he's balding | se está quedando calvo |
| build = complexión | |
| thin | delgado |
| she’s got a very good figure | tiene una figura estupenda |
| plump (a nicer way of saying fat) | gordito |
| slim | esbelto |
| fat | gordo |
| a beer belly | una panza |
| chubby | regordete/gordinflón/rellenito |
| strong | fuerte |
| weak | flojo |
| short | bajo |
| tall | alto |
| a hunchback | un jorobado |
| he walks with a limp | cojea |
| medium height | de estatura media |
| medium build | de talla media |
| he's a large man | es un hombre corpulento |

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| General Terms | |
| handsome, good-looking, attractive | guapo |
| pretty, good-looking, attractive, lovely | guapa, bonita, linda, |
| he’s quite a hunk | está buenísimo |
| ugly | fea/feo |
| beautiful | preciosa, guapísima, lindísima, hermosa, bella |

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| Other notes | |
| He looks a bit \_\_\_\_\_\_  In Spanish "tiene pinta de \_\_\_\_" is very common for giving a general idea about the appearance. See examples on the right: | tiene pinta de delincuente: he looks like a criminal  tiene pinta de extranjero he looks a bit foreign |
| He looks sad Note that when we say how something "seems" or "looks" (probably because we are not certain) we use parecer. | parece triste |
| a strong- looking man | un hombre de apariencia fuerte |
| clean-shaven | bien afeitado |

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| Spanish | English |
| HABITACIONES | ROOMS |
| cuarto de baño | bathroom |
| dormitorio | bedroom |
| comedor | dining room |
| pasillo | hall |
| cocina | kitchen |
| salón | living room |
| aseo | toilet |
| despensa | pantry |
| despacho | study |
| CUARTO DE BAÑO | BATHROOM |
| bañera | bath |
| espejo | mirror |
| ducha | shower |
| jabón | soap |
| bidet | bidet |
| grifo | tap |
| toalla | towel |
| lavabo | washbasin |
| DORMITORIO | BEDROOM |
| cama | bed |
| silla | chair |
| lámpara | lamp |
| repisa | shelf |
| estantería | shelves |
| armario | wardrobe |
| despertador | alarm clock |
| manta | blanket |
| librería | bookcase |
| alfombra | carpet |
| colchón | mattress |
| almohada | pillow |
| alfombra | rug |
| sábana | sheet |
| COCINA | KITCHEN |
| cocina | cooker |
| taza | cup |
| tenedor | fork |
| frigorífico | fridge |
| vaso/copa | glass |
| cuchillo | knife |
| microondas | microwave |
| plato | plate |
| cuchara | spoon |
| mesa | table |
| lavadora | washing machine |
| lejía | bleach |
| escudilla | bowl |
| escoba | broom |
| trapo | cloth |
| cafetera | coffee pot |
| sacacorchos | corkscrew |
| lavaplatos | dishwasher |
| congelador | freezer |
| sartén | frying pan |
| hornillo | hob |
| plancha | iron |
| tabla de planchar | ironing board |
| batidora | mixer |
| tazón | mug |
| horno | oven |
| cacerola | saucepan |
| fregadero | sink |
| tetera | teapot |
| cucharilla | teaspoon |
| abrelatas | tin opener |
| tostador | toaster |
| secador | tumbledrier |
| aspirador | vacuum cleaner |
| detergente | washing powder |
| lavajillas | washing-up liquid |
| SALÓN | LIVING ROOM |
| sillón | armchair |
| reloj (pared) | clock |
| sofá | sofa |
| televisor | television |
| video | video |
| cenicero | ashtray |
| librería | bookcase |
| OTROS | OTHER |
| techo | ceiling |
| abajo | downstairs |
| suelo | floor |
| cochera | garage |
| jardín | garden |
| tejado | roof |
| escaleras | stairs |
| arriba | upstairs |
| calefacción central | central heating |
| chimenea | fireplace |
| césped | lawn |
| bombilla | light bulb |
| desván | loft |