

BEYOND WORDS

THE COMMUNICATION OF UNIVERSAL VALUES THROUGH THE LANGUAGE OF ART

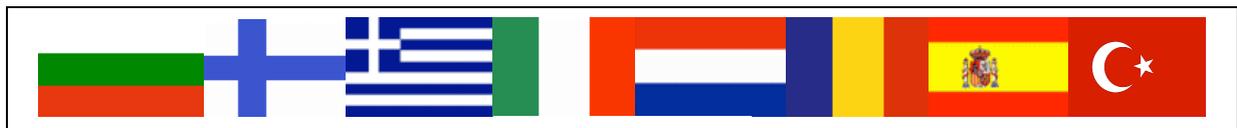
TEACHING UNIT 4

Friendship

A friend is someone you
can be alone with and have nothing
to do and not be able to think of anything to say
and be comfortable
in the silence.
- Sheryl Condie



What is a friend? A single soul dwelling in two bodies. ~Aristotle



THE COMMUNICATION OF UNIVERSAL VALUES THROUGH PAINTING

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THE INJURED MASON

This picture was painted by Francisco de Goya between 1786 and 1787.

The faces of the men reflect seriousness. They also look like worried helping his injured friend.

In this painting Francisco de Goya depicts one of main features of friendship: Supporting friends when they need help.

This painting is in Museo del Prado, Madrid.



FRIENDSHIP LA AMISTAD

Pablo Picasso
1908 The Hermitage, St. Petersburg, Russia.

Two people sitting close together: this is how the Spanish painter Pablo Picasso wanted to present the topic of friendship.

Being close together is a necessary attitude of friendship: friends need to be close to each other sharing their experiences in life.



CHILDREN IN THE SEA NIÑAS EN EL MAR

Joaquín Sorolla y Bastida
1909 Museo Sorolla, Madrid

Sorolla depicts an elder girl afraid of water and a younger one helping her to be confident.

Accepting friend's help means that you rely on him.

EL ALBAÑIL HERIDO



**THE WOUNDED FOOT
EL PÍE HERIDO**

**Joaquín Sorolla y Bastida
1909 Private collection**

Sharing pain is a way of strengthening friendship.



**THE LETTER (in Biarritz)
LA CARTA (en Biarritz)**

**José Villegas y Cordero
1907. Private collection**

A young woman is reading a letter to her two friends.

Sharing the content of the letter, the girls express confidence in her friends.



**FRIENDSHIP
AMISTAD**

**Cabanach, Xavier
2006 Barcelona (Private collection)**

A friend is someone you feel comfortable with, chatting or in the silence.



**FRIENDSHIP
AMISTAD**

**Maribel Piñeiro Seco
2008 Madrid (Private collection)**

Friendship is to support each other on the path of life.

THE COMMUNICATION OF UNIVERSAL VALUES THROUGH SCULPTURE



ALLEGORY OF FRIENDSHIP ALEGORÍA A LA AMISTAD

Juan Miralles
Torazo (Asturias)

This allegory of friendship is represented by three people sitting and embracing to each other.

The sculpture is made of bronze.



FRIENDSHIP LA AMISTAD

Robert Vandereycken,
2000 Alcañiz (Teruel) – Fraga (Huesca)

This Belgian artist donated a copy of the same sculpture to the towns of Alcañiz and Fraga to thank them to have hosted his artworks' exhibition.

Made of iron and bronze, according to the author, the sculpture symbolizes 'friendship' depicted by two people intertwined.



FRIENDSHIP AMISTAD

José Noja
2003 Parque de Santurtzi, Santurtzi, Vizcaya.

According to the leaflet published by the Town Hall of Santurtzi: 'the stainless steel links symbolize the union, embracing ideologies above discrepancies or religious beliefs, suggesting in its purity the values that give meaning to human existence, such as freedom, solidarity, justice and respect for diversity in plurality, with the hope of a better world for all human beings.'

THE COMMUNICATION OF UNIVERSAL VALUES THROUGH MUSIC

NADIE COMO TÚ LA OREJA DE VAN GOGH

Nadie como tu para hacerme reír.
Nadie como tu sabe tanto de mi
nadie como tu es capaz de compartir
mis penas, mi tristeza, mis ganas de vivir
tienes ese don de dar tranquilidad
de saber escuchar, de envolverme en paz.

Tienes la virtud de hacerme olvidar
el miedo que me da mirar la oscuridad.
Solamente tu lo puedes entender
y solamente tu te lo podrás creer.

En silencio y sin cruzar una palabra.
Solamente una mirada es suficiente para hablar
ya son mas de veinte años de momentos
congelados
en recuerdos que jamás se olvidarán.

Nadie como tu para pedir perdón.
Nadie como tu valora esta canción.
Nadie como tu me da su protección,
me ayuda a caminar, me aparta del dolor.
tienes ese don de dar tranquilidad
de saber escuchar, de envolverme en paz.

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el miedo que me da mirar la oscuridad.
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y solamente tu te lo podrás creer.

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Solamente una mirada es suficiente para hablar
ya son mas de veinte años de momentos
congelados
en recuerdos que jamás se olvidaran.
Y pasaran los años y siempre estarás buscando
un plan para que se hagan realidad los sueños
que soñábamos antes de ayer al dormir
hablando del tiempo que nos quedará por vivir.

Y sin hablar, sólo al mirar sabremos llegar a
entender
que jamás ni nada ni nadie en la vida nos separará

[NADIE COMO TÚ - LA OREJA DE VAN GOGH](#)



<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EMhDCI58zA>

NO ONE LIKE YOU LA OREJA DE VAN GOGH

No one like you to make me laugh.
No one like you knows so much about me
no one like you can share
my pain, my sadness, my will to live
you have the gift of giving me calm
You know how to listen to me and give me relief.

You have the virtue of making me forget
The fear I feel looking at the darkness.
Only you can understand it
And only you can believe it.

In silence and without saying a word.
A mere look is enough to talk
They are already more than twenty years
Of still moments
In good memories that we'll never forget .

No one like you to ask forgiveness.
No one like you to appreciate this song.
No one like you to give me protection,
To help me to walk, to remove my pain.
you have the gift of giving me calm
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They are already more than twenty years
Of still moments
In good memories that we'll never forget .
Years will pass and you'll be always looking for
a plan to make your dreams come true,
those old dreams we had before sleeping
When we talked about our future time together

And without speaking, only looking at each other
We'll understand
that never, nothing or nobody will split us.

[NO ONE LIKE YOU - LA OREJA DE VAN GOGH](#)



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<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S-RKhOPqufw>

LAURA PAUSINI, LAS COSAS QUE VIVES

La Amistad Es Algo Que Atraviesa El Alma,
Es Un Sentimiento Que No Se Te Va.
No Te Digo Cómo, Pero Ocurre Justo
Cuando Dos Personas Van Volando Juntos.
Suben A Lo Alto Sobre La Otra Gente,
Como Dando Un Salto En La Inmensidad.
Y No Habrá Distancia No La Habrá
Ni Desconfianza, Si Te Quedas En Mi Corazón,
Ya Siempre.
Porque En Cada Sitio Que Estés,
Porque En Cada Sitio Que Esté,
En Las Cosas Que Vives, Yo También Viviré.
Porque En Cada Sitio Que Estés,
Nos Encontraremos Unidos
Uno En Brazos Del Otro, Es El Destino.
En La Misma Calle, Bajo El Mismo Cielo,
Aunque Todo Cambie No Nos Perderemos.
Abre Bien Los Brazos Mándame Un Aviso,
No Te Quepa Duda, Yo Te Encontraré.
No Estarás Ya Solo Yo Estaré
Continuando El Vuelo Que
Te Lleve Con Mi Corazón, Ya Siempre.
Porque En Cada Sitio Que Estés,
Porque En Cada Sitio Que Esté,
En Las Cosas Que Vives, Yo También Viviré.
Porque En Cada Sitio Que Estés,
No Nos Queda Más Que Un Camino,
Solo Habrá Dos Amigos, Tan Unidos.
Cree En Mí, No Te Atrevas A Dudar,
Todas Las Cosas Que Vives
Si Son Sinceras Como Tú, Y Yo,
Sabes Tu, Que Jamás Terminarán.
Porque En Cada Sitio Que Estés,
Porque En Cada Sitio Que Esté,
En Las Cosas Que Vives, Yo También Viviré.
Porque En Cada Sitio Que Estés, Que Estés,
Porque En Cada Sitio Que Esté, Y Que Esté.
Tú Me Llevas Contigo Dentro Del Corazón.
Porque En Cada Sitio Que Estés,
Nos Encontraremos Unidos,
Uno En Brazos Del Otro,
Es El Destino. Es El Destino.
Porque En Cada Sitio Que Estés,
Porque En Cada Sitio Que Esté,
En Las Cosas Que Vives, Yo También Viviré.

[LAURA PAUSINI - LAS COSAS QUE VIVES](#)



<http://www.redkaraoke.es/videos/laura-pausini-las-cosas-que-vives/2579>

LAURA PAUSINI, THE THINGS YOU LIVE

Friendship is something that pierces your soul,
It's an endless feeling.
I do not tell you how, but just occurs
When two people go flying together.
They feel to be high above the other people,
Like jumping in the immensity.
And there won't be distance
Or distrust, if you stay in my heart,
For ever.
Because wherever you stay,
Because wherever I stay,
In the things you live, I'll live too.
Because wherever you stay,
We will be close
One in the other's arms, It's destiny.
On the same street, Under the same sky
Although everything changes we won't get lost.
Open your arms, send me a sign,
You can be sure, I'll find you.
You no longer will be alone , I'll be there with you
Following the flight
Till you reach my heart, For ever.
Because wherever you stay,
Because wherever I stay,
In the things you live, I'll live too.
Because wherever you stay,
We have no more than a way,
There will be only two close friends.
Trust in me, don't dare to doubt,
All the things you are living
If they are sincere as you and me
You know, that never will end.
Because wherever you stay,
Because wherever I stay,
In the things you live, I'll live too.
Because wherever you stay,
Because wherever I stay,
You take me into your heart.
Because wherever you stay,
We will be close,
One in the other's arms,
It's destiny. It's destiny.
Because wherever you stay,
Because wherever I stay,
In the things you live, I'll live too.

[LAURA PAUSINI - LAS COSAS QUE VIVES](#)



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ACTIVITY 3

FEATURES OF FRIENDSHIP

FIND THE WORDS BELOW IN THE CROSSWORD

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**Words may be spelt horizontally, vertically and backwards.
 Circle each word as you find it.**

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EXPLORING FRIENDSHIP

A PERSONAL INTERVIEW

GIVE SHORT ANSWERS FOR THESE QUESTIONS.



- What does someone make a friend?
- What do you expect from a friend?
- Why do you have the friends you have?
- What kind of things can you do together with your friends?
- How can friends be the same as you or different to you?
- What might make someone an enemy?
- What would be the benefits of having friends?
- How do you feel when you fall out with a friend?
- I am a good friend because
- The quality I appreciate most in a friend is
- Friendship goes wrong when
- When a friend lets me down I feel
- When a friend helps me I feel
- I could make a new friend by

WRITE ON EACH FINGER A QUALITY YOU CONSIDER THE MOST IMPORTANT IN FRIENDSHIP.

GENERAL FEATURES OF FRIENDSHIP ARE:

respect, sincerity, security, happiness, kindness, fairness, calm, trust, loyalty, generosity, love, disponibility, benevolence, esteem, concern, care, reciprocity, interaction, communication, closeness, consideration, support, forgiveness, help, solidarity, reliability, sharing, acceptance, patience, unconditional...



Then the answers of the group should be evaluated, for example:
6 students think generosity is the most important quality in friendship.
9 students think sincerity is the most important quality in friendship.
Etc...