

Guided Notes – Subject Pronouns

The subject of a sentence tells us who the sentence is about
 and the verb tells us what action is taking place in the sentence.
 Subject Pronouns replace people's names.

What are the English Subject Pronouns?

POV (Point of View)	SINGULAR (1 person)	PLURAL (2+ people)
1 st person POV	I	We
2 nd person POV	you	y'all
3 rd person POV	He, She, It	They

What are the Spanish Subject Pronouns?

POV (Point of View)	SINGULAR (1 person)	PLURAL (2+ people)
1 st person POV	Yo = I	Nosotros(as) = we
2 nd person POV	Tú = you (informal)	Vosotros(as) = y'all (only used in Spain)
3 rd person POV	Ud. = you (formal) Él = He She = She "it" (does NOT exist in Spanish)	Uds. = you all (used in Latin America) Ellos = They (males or mixed gender group) Ellas = They (only females)

The 4 Magical Rules of Verb Conjugation:

1. If you have a Singular subject (even if you don't know what it means, use the Ud., Él, Ella form of the verb

Examples: La payasa es cómica.

I see it's feminine & singular!

2. 1. If you have a Plural subject (even if you don't know what it means, use the Uds., Ellos, Ellas form of the verb

Examples: Los jugadores son talentosos.

I see it's plural & masculine!

3. If you have a name followed by y yo, use the nosotros form of the verb

Examples: Alberto y yo somos amigos.

4. If you have a name followed by y tú, use the Vosotros form of the verb if you are in Spain or the Uds. form of the verb if you're in Latin America.

Examples:

Marcos y tú son altos.

María y tú sois pacientes.