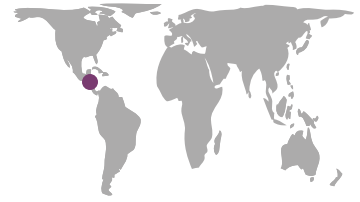


for children

hello

HONDURAS

How do you say hello in Spanish?



hola

(Say OH-lah)

My name is Heidy Rosales.

Age: 10

Lives in: Tocoa, Honduras

I live in a city in northern Honduras with my parents, my little sister Nicole and my older brother Ilmer.

I get up every morning at 6, put on my uniform and get ready to go to school. The school my sister and I go to starts at 7. My father drives us to school on his motorcycle before he goes to work—he's a regional coordinator for the Evangelical Mennonite Church in our region of the country, Colón.

After older students came to teach us lessons about self-esteem and stopping conflict (through an MCC-supported peace program), I was chosen to be a mediator. Now, I help teach those lessons to younger students in my school.

School is over at noon, and my mom picks us up then. After school, I do my homework, and I help my mother around the house. I do chores like sweeping the floor. I like to play with my sister. We have a ball and dolls that we take outside to play with under a tree in our yard.

Word search

Find the words highlighted in Heidy's story.

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My favorite food: fried chicken and **tajadas** (plantains)

My favorite subject: **social studies**

What I want to be: **owner of a company that creates new things**



Heidy Rosales helps at home by washing the dishes.

