

“Español”

EMILY sits practicing her Spanish when MICHAEL walks up.

EMILY
(to herself)
¿Que paso?

MICHAEL
What are you doing?

EMILY
Trying to learn Spanish.

MICHAEL
Why?

EMILY
There's a woman who lives on my street, and she doesn't speak English very well. But she's really nice and makes cookies, so I wanna talk to her.

MICHAEL
That's cool. But everybody knows the word “hi”. It's hola. You could just say that. Or just smile at her.

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EMILY
I do, but I wanna do more than that. Do you want one of her cookies?

MICHAEL
Sí, gracias. Hey, these are good!

She realizes he's speaking Spanish.

EMILY
That's right! Your mom speaks Spanish. Say “these are good.”

MICHAEL
Estos son deliciosos. Or just say ¡Que rico! One more?

EMILY
Ok. How do you say ‘one more’?

MICHAEL
Uno más. Maybe I should just walk over there with you.

EMILY
Great! You should taste her fajitas.

MICHAEL
Whoa, this just keeps getting better.

And off they go.