

SANDALWOOD HIGH SCHOOL

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Español II

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YouTube Activities #3, El día de la Independencia

1. What is the date of the Mexican Independence Day?

2. Who officially started the fight for independence?

3. How long was the war for independence?

4. What did Napoleon do that brought instability to the Spanish colonies?

5. Who is on the flag of the rebels?

6. What happened to Hidalgo, Allende, Mariano Jiménez, and Juan Aldama when they try to flee north?

7. When did the war of independence end?

8. Today, what can you see during the celebration of the day?

9. What do officials do at the night of September 15th?

10. What phrase do the Mexicans say a lot during this day?

Write, in a three–five–sentence paragraph, a personal reflection of what Independence Day means to you. Keep in mind the type of celebrations that Americans do for 4th of July. Are there any similarities? Are there any differences? What do you wish we did here in the US that Mexicans do? And vice versa?
