



REGULAR -IR VERBS

Indicative Present

Semillas: Elementary Spanish



Remember that verbs in Spanish fall into three main groups:

-AR ending

-ER ending

-IR ending



Conjugations of regular -IR verbs



How to conjugate: -IR verbs

Let's look at the steps for how to conjugate the verb

VIVIR (*to live*) in the present tense.

Paso 1. Start with the infinitive verb: **VIVIR**

Paso 2. Take off the **-IR** ending: **VIV-**

Paso 3. Add the corresponding ending from the chart on the next slide based on the subject/person



Regular **-IR** verb endings



	Singular	Plural
1st person	(yo) o	(nosotros/as/es) imos
2nd person	(tú) es	(vosotros/as/es) ís
3rd person	(él, ella, elle, Ud.) e	(ellos/as/es, Uds.) en



Conjugations of **VIVIR**



	Singular	Plural
1st person	vivo	vivimos
2nd person	vives	vivís
3rd person	vive	viven



Some examples



(Tú) **vives** en un pueblo muy bonito.

You (informal) live in a very pretty town.

Elizondo, España



With the verb **ESCRIBIR**:

Mi abuela **escribe** cartas cada semana.

My grandmother writes letters each week.



A practicar

With the verb **ASISTIR**:

Mis primos _____ a la universidad de Iowa.

My cousins attend the University of Iowa.



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