

Me Llamo:

La Fecha:

La Hora:

Complementos Directos

What is a direct object?

Ejemplo

- I read the book.
- What is being read?
- _____
- _____ is the direct object.

- They see us.
- What is being seen?
- _____
- _____ is the direct object.

- We watch the movie.
- What is being watched?
- _____
- _____ is the direct object.
- They wash the dishes.
- What is being washed?
- _____
- _____ is the direct object.

There are _____ direct object pronouns en español.

Me	nos
Te	os

_____, _____, _____, _____

There are 4 pronouns that are the same as the reflexive pronouns... Qué son?

¿Qué quieren decir complementos directos?

- The _____ receive the action of a verb.
- In English, they translate to
 - Me, you, him, her, it, us, you, and them.

En español...

I read the book.
Y leo el libro.

Can we say "I read it" in Spanish? Sure! But first you have to figure out which DOP (direct object pronoun) to use.

Is the item we are replacing masculine or feminine? _____
Singular or Plural? _____

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Okay, so we need that type of pronouns. Look at the chart below, which stands for the masculine singular pronoun?

Me	Nos
Te	Os
Lo, la	Los, Las

So we need the pronoun _____

NOW PLACE IT BEFORE THE CONJUGATED VERB!!!

Direct Objects pronouns in Spanish go _____ the conjugated verb.

Yo leo el libro.

Yo LO leo.

I read the book.

I read it.

2.

We wash the dishes.

Nosotros limpiamos los platos.

- What's being washed?
- The dishes!
- What's the direct object pronouns for a plural masculine noun?
- LOS.

NOW PLACE IT BEFORE THE CONJUGATED VERB!!!

Nosotros LOS limpiamos.

3.

We see them (feminine).

Nosotros vemos __(them)_____

To say them, we need to feminine plural form, which is _____

NOW PLACE IT BEFORE THE CONJUGATED VERB.

Nostros LAS vemos.

What about me, te, and nos?

Me te and nos are also direct object pronouns!

You (tú) call me.

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- What (who) is being called?
- ME!
- What is our direct object pronoun for ME?
- ME!

NOW PLACE IT BEFORE THE CONJUGATED VERB!!

Tú ME llames.

WHERE TO THEY BELONG?

Direct object pronouns can ALWAYS GO _____ THE CONJUGATED VERB!

Sometimes, you will see them _____ to an infinitive.

EJEMPLO:

I am going to read the book.
Voy a leer el libro.

I am going to read it.
TWO WAYS:

LO voy a leer.
OR
Voy a leerLO.

BOTH ways are correct!!!

Try it:

Change these sentences into sentences with DOP's.

1. Ellos cocinan la cena.

2. Yo como las gallatas.

3. Tienes mi tarea.

4. Nosotros limpiamos la casa.