CONOCER CONJUGATIONS & USES



TO MEET, TO KNOW/BE FAMILIAR WITH

SYNONYMS: <u>SABER</u>, <u>ENTENDER</u>,

RELACIONARSE

Туре	Irregular
-ER	NO

Infinitive	Gerund	Past Participle
Conocer	Conociendo	Conocido
To know	Knowing	Known

	Indicative	Subjunctive	Imperative
Stem Changes	Present: conozc only for 'yo'.	Present: conozc for all subject pronouns.	Affirmative: conozc for 'usted' and 'ustedes'. Negative: conozc for all subject pronouns.

DEFINITIONS & EXAMPLES

CONOCER

#1 - Talking about meeting/knowing someone

(To meet / To know [someone])

Formula

(Object pronoun) + [conocer conjugated] + a + (noun)

Creo que no la **conozco**. ¿Cómo se llama? I don't think I **know** her. What's her name?

En unos días, **conoceremos** a nuestros vecinos. We **will meet** our neighbors in a few days.

Take Note: <u>Use direct object pronouns in Spanish</u> to replace the person someone knows. However, if you're expressing that two people know each other, you should use reflexive pronouns to convey reciprocity.

#2 - Expressing your familiarity with a place

(To know/be familiar with [a place])

Formula

[Conocer conjugated] + [determiner] + [noun]

¿Ya **conocen** este restaurante? Do you guys already **know** this restaurant?

No **conocía** esta canción, es muy bonita. I **did**n't **know** this song; it's very nice.

Take Note: Because they're both translated as 'to know', conocer and <u>the verb saber</u> are usually confused. However, you should take the time to understand <u>how saber vs conocer work</u>.

INDICATIVE CONJUGATIONS



SIMPLE INDICATIVE TENSES

CONOCER

Pronoun	Present	Preterite	Imperfect	Future	Conditional
Yo	Conozco I know	Conocí I knew	Conocía I knew / used to know	Conoceré I will know	Conocería I would know
Tú	Conoces You know	Conociste You knew	Conocías You knew / used to know	Conocerás You will know	Conocerías You would know
Él / Ella Usted	Conoce He/She knows	Conoció He/She knew	Conocía He/She knew / used to know	Conocerá He/She will know	Conocería He/She would know
Nosotros	Conocemos We know	Conocimos We knew	Conocíamos We knew / used to know	Conoceremos We will know	Conoceríamos We would know
Vosotros	Conocéis You know	Conocisteis You knew	Conocíais You knew / used to know	Conoceréis You will know	Conoceríais You would know
Ellos / Ellas Ustedes	Conocen They/You know	Conocieron They/You knew	Conocían They/You knew / used to know	Conocerán They/You will know	Conocerían They/You would know

PERFECT (COMPOUND) INDICATIVE TENSES CONOCER

Pronoun	Present	Past	Future	Conditional
Yo	He conocido	Había conocido	Habré conocido	Habría conocido
	I have known	I had known	I will have known	I would have known
Tú	Has conocido	Habías conocido	Habrás conocido	Habrías conocido
	You have known	You had known	You will have known	You would have known
Él / Ella	Ha conocido	Había conocido	Habrá conocido	Habría conocido
Usted	He/She has known	He/She had known	He/She will have known	He/She would have known
Nosotros	Hemos conocido	Habíamos conocido	Habremos conocido	Habríamos conocido
	We have known	We had known	We will have known	We would have known
Vosotros	Habéis conocido	Habíais conocido	Habréis conocido	Habríais conocido
	You have known	You had known	You will have known	You would have known
Ellos / Ellas	Han conocido	Habían conocido	Habrán conocido	Habrían conocido
Ustedes	They/You have known	They/You had known	They/You will have known	They/You would have known

INDICATIVE & SUBJUNCTIVE



PROGRESSIVE (INDICATIVE) TENSES

CONOCER

Pronoun	Present	Preterite	Imperfect	Future	Conditional
Yo	Estoy conociendo	Estuve conociendo	Estaba conociendo	Estaría conociendo	Estaré conociendo
	I am knowing	I was knowing	I was knowing	I will be knowing	I would be knowing
Tú	Estás conociendo	Estuviste conociendo	Estabas conociendo	Estarías conociendo	Estarás conociendo
	You are knowing	You were knowing	You were knowing	You will be knowing	You would be knowing
Él / Ella Usted	Está conociendo He/She is knowing	Estuvo conociendo He/She was knowing	Estaba conociendo He/She was knowing	Estaría conociendo He/She will be knowing	Estará conociendo He/She would be knowing
Nosotros	Estamos conociendo	Estuvimos conociendo	Estábamos conociendo	Estaríamos conociendo	Estaremos conociendo
	We are knowing	We were knowing	We were knowing	We will be knowing	We would be knowing
Vosotros	Estáis conociendo	Estuvisteis conociendo	Estabais conociendo	Estaríais conociendo	Estaréis conociendo
	You are knowing	You were knowing	You were knowing	You will be knowing	You would be knowing
Ellos / Ellas Ustedes	Están conociendo They/You are knowing	Estuvieron conociendo They/You were knowing	Estaban conociendo They/You were knowing	Estarían conociendo They/You will be knowing	Estarán conociendo They/You would be knowing

SUBJUNCTIVE MOOD TENSES

CONOCER

Pronoun	Present	Present Perfect	Imperfect (Castilian)	Imperfect (Latin American)	Past Perfect
Yo	Conozca	Haya conocido	Conociese	Conociera	Hubiera conocido
	I know	I have known	I knew	I knew	I have known
Tú	Conozcas	Hayas conocido	Conocieses	Conocieras	Hubieras conocido
	You know	You have known	You knew	You knew	You have known
Él / Ella	Conozca	Haya conocido	Conociese	Conociera	Hubiera conocido
Usted	He/She knows	He/She has known	He/She knew	He/She knew	He/She has known
Nosotros	Conozcamos	Hayamos conocido	Conociésemos	Conociéramos	Hubiéramos conocido
	We know	We have known	We knew	We knew	We have known
Vosotros	Conozcáis You know	Hayáis conocido You have known	Conocieseis You knew	N/A	Hubierais conocido You have known
Ellos / Ellas	Conozcan	Hayan conocido	Conociesen	Conocieran	Hubieran conocido
Ustedes	They/You know	They/You have known	They/You knew	They/You knew	They/You have known

IMPERATIVE CONJUGATIONS



IMPERATIVE MOOD TENSES

CONOCER

Pronoun	Affirmative Commands	Negative Commands	
Tú	Conoce Meet	No conozcas Don't meet	
Usted	Conozca Meet	No conozca Don't meet	
Vosotros	Conoced Meet	No conozcáis Don't meet	
Ustedes	Conozcan Meet	No conozcan Don't meet	

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