Nombre: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Bloque: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Fecha: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Unidad 3 – Verbs like Gustar + Pronouns after Prepositions**

**Overview:**

* The verb GUSTAR means “to be please” but often we translate it as to like something.
* Me gusta la \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* The skirt is pleasing to me. // I like the skirt.
* ¿Te gusta \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?
* Is sleeping pleasing to you? // Do you like sleeping?
* To talk about things/items that people like use: GUSTA(N) + noun.
* If the noun is singular use GUSTA. If the noun is plural use GUSTAN.
* Include the definite article (el/la/los/las)
* To talk about what people like \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, use: GUSTA + infinitive of a verb.

**Forming Gustar Sentences:**

* To say who an item/activity is pleasing to, add an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ pronoun in front of the correct gustar conjugation. (Indirect Object Pronouns are NOT optional!)

**Indirect Object Pronouns: (Not Optional)**

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| **Singular** | **Plural** |
| \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ = to me | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ = to us |
| \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ = to you | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ = to you all (Spain) |
| \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ = to him/her/you | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ = to them/you all |

* To emphasize or clarify who you are talking about, add a + noun/pronoun. This part is optional.

**For Emphasis/Clarification: (Optional)**

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| **Singular** | **Plural** |
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|  | A vosotros |
| *A él/A ella//A Ud.* | A ellos/A ellas/A Uds. |

**Verbs That Work Like Gustar:**

* \*Quedar – to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + No me quedan bien esos zapatos.
* \*Interesar – to be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + Me interesa el español. Me interesan los libros.
* \*Encantar – to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + Me encantan las pulseras.
* \*Importar – to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + Nos importa saber tu opinión. No me importa cuanto cuesta.

**Other Verbs that Work the Same Way:**

* Parecer – to seem to
* Faltar – to lack, to be missing
* Fascinar – to fascinate
* Doler (duele) – to hurt
* Aburrir – to bore

**Examples:**

* Me \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ la \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ de oro.
* No me \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ los abrigos de cuero.
* ¿\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ los platos de cerámica?
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ le importa una ganga.
* A Silvia y a mí no \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ el suéter.
* ¿No te gustan las sandalias? ¡Pues, a mí \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ mucho!

**Prueba de práctica:**

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| 1. A mí no \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (quedar) bien el traje.  2. A nosotros \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (encantar) regatear.  3. Me \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (interesar) la moda. | 4. A Rogelio // Gustar // Las botas  5. A ellas // No // Importar // El precio |

**Pronouns after Prepositions:**

Use these pronouns after prepositions like \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

All forms except **mí** and **ti** are the same as subject pronouns.

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| **Singular** | **Plural** |
|  |  |
|  | vosotros |
| *él/ella//Ud.* | ellos/ellas/Uds. |

* Clara vive lejos de nosotros.
  + *Clara lives far from us.*
* Tengo un regalo para ti.
  + *I have a gift for you.*
* A mí no me gusta la ropa de cuadros.
* A él le gusta ir a la librería.

**Con:**

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| * Con = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ * Con ella = with her * Con nosotros = with us | * \*\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ = with me * \*\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ = with you   + ¿Vas a la fiesta conmigo?   + Sí, voy contigo. |