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## **How long does it take to learn Spanish?**

Language acquisition can be a funny thing - **how fast you can learn a language depends on finding your own best method for remembering and being able to apply the things you've learned.** For most people, a combination of studying the structure of the language and then being immersed is the best combination. But since taking off to a Spanish speaking country for a month or 2 isn't possible for everybody - most people have to find ways to simulate immersion, either through music, videos, watching Spanish news, speaking with natives, etc.

**In 2 or 3 months of seriously studying a language most people can be at least conversant. Fluency can take anywhere from 6 months to years, depending on the person.** The best advice is to try to find people to actually speak with at least once a week - and don't be afraid of making mistakes! The best language students are always the ones who jump right in and learn by trial and error.

The key is to just plunge ahead despite fears that you may not sound perfect, and try to be creative in combining whatever words you do know rather than keeping silent until your grammar feels more solid.