

Mnemonic Devices are mind memory or learning aids created to help someone remember something. One type of MD is *Funny Phrases*. All you do is **create a humorous phrase** using the first letter of every word in a list to help you remember that list's specific order.

Nombre _____
 Fecha _____ Hora _____

***Funny Phrases* for remembering the Spanish-speaking countries in order**

México y Centroamérica		El Caribe		Sudamérica	
<u>M</u> éxico	My	<u>C</u> uba	Calm	<u>V</u> enezuela	Vampires
<u>G</u> uatemala	Grandma	<u>R</u> epública <u>D</u> ominicana	Right Down	<u>C</u> olombia	Can
<u>E</u> l Salvador	Eats	<u>P</u> uerto Rico	People	<u>E</u> cador	Eat
<u>H</u> onduras	Honey			<u>P</u> erú	People
<u>N</u> icaragua	Nut			<u>C</u> hile	Cause
<u>C</u> osta Rica	Cheerios			<u>B</u> olivia	Bad
<u>P</u> anama	Politely			<u>P</u> araguay	People
				<u>A</u> rgentina	Are
				<u>U</u> ruguay	Ugly

***Note: there isn't an acronym for España and Guinea Ecuatorial because they are easier to remember since they are alone on the other side of the world.*