

ARIZONA EDVENTURES

Mexican Food

Many Spanish words that are familiar to Arizonans come from foods. So the intermingling of Mexican and American cultures has expanded our diets as well as our vocabulary! This page lists some Spanish words for various foods that have assimilated themselves into the English language. Although most of them retain the Spanish spelling and even pronunciation (more or less), they are all recognized as English words by at least one reference source.

Circle the foods that you like to eat!



Banana

Jalapeno

Burrito

Mango

Chili con carne



Quesadilla

Chocolate



Chimichanga

Pollo

Chipotle

Enchilada

Salsa

Churro

Sopapilla



Tostada



Guacamole

Taquito

Melon

Taco

Fajita

Tamale

Flan

Tapioca

Frijoles

Garbanzos

Gazpacho



Tortilla

Vanilla

