



NATIONAL HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH



September 15 - October 15

See if you can complete this crossword about Hispanic history and culture.

ACROSS

- 1. Five Latin American nations declared their independence from ___ on Sept. 15, 1821.
- 3. A short nap in the early afternoon.
- 7. Trumpets and strings are used in this traditional Mexican music.
- 9. A thin flat bread.
- 11. "Hello" in Spanish.
- 12. A dip made from avocados.
- 14. Hispanic clothing often features vibrant ___.

DOWN

- 1. A type of Latin dance... or a tasty dip.
- 2. A colorful container full of treats is hit until it breaks open.
- 4. A party or celebration.
- 5. A wide-brimmed hat.
- 6. A Quinceañera is a celebration of a girl's 15th ___.
- 8. This country that borders the US declared independence from Spain on Sept. 16, 1810.
- 10. Hispanic refers to ___-speaking people.
- 13. A sweet custard dessert.



