



Noyes
Museum of Art
STOCKTON UNIVERSITY

Education Guide

September 15th – October 15th , 2023

A Taste of Culture- Hispanic Heritage Month

Exhibition Overview:

In celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month, this exhibition showcases various artifacts, garments, and educational materials celebrating the various cultures falling under Hispanic or Latin origin. Hispanic Heritage Week began in 1968, then was later extended in 1988. Hispanic Heritage Month has been celebrated nationwide through community events, conferences, art exhibitions, festival and much more. Hispanic Heritage Month is celebrated yearly between September 15 and October 15 to recognize and celebrate the many contributions, diverse cultures, and extensive histories of the American Latino community.

What is Hispanic Heritage Month?

From The American Presidency Project: Proclamation 10446—National Hispanic Heritage Month, 2022: “Hispanic heritage holds an indelible place in the heart and soul of our Nation, and National Hispanic Heritage Month reminds us that the American identity is a fabric of diverse traditions and stories woven together. Since the beginning, our country has drawn strength and insights from Hispanic writers, scientists, soldiers, doctors, entrepreneurs, academics, and leaders in labor and government. Our culture has been enriched by the rhythms, art, literature, and creativity of Hispanic peoples. And our deepest values have been informed by the love of family and faith that is at the core of so many Hispanic communities. All of these contributions help us realize the promise of America for all Americans.”

Several Latin American countries celebrate their independence during HHM, including: Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Nicaragua on September 15th, Mexico on September 16th, and Chile on September 18th. They also include holidays that recognize Hispanic contributions such as Virgin Islands-Puerto Rico Friendship Day that is celebrated in the U.S. Virgin Islands.

**The Multicultural Exhibition Series is held in partnership with the
City of Atlantic City Multicultural Services.**

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