

## Repasso: Present tense of e→i and irregular verbs, reflexive pronouns

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## Present tense of e $\rightarrow$ i verbs

- Servir (*to serve*) and pedir (*to ask for, to order*) are e $\rightarrow$ i stem-changing verbs with regular present tense endings.

yo pido

nosotros(as) pedimos

tú pides

vosotros(as) pedís

Ud., él, ella pide

Uds., ellos, ellas piden

Mi tío siempre **pide** la cuenta.

¿Cuándo **sirven** el postre?

## Irregular present tense verbs

- Some verbs have an irregular present tense **yo** form. **Venir** and **tener** also have e → ie stem changes.

salir: **salgo** *I go out*

poner: **pongo** *I put*

hacer: **hago** *I do, I make*

traer: **traigo** *I bring*

saber: **sé** *I know*

venir: **vengo** *I come*

tener: **tengo** *I have*

Mi primo **sale** del colegio a la una. Yo **salgo** a las cuatro.

## Reflexive pronouns

- **Reflexive pronouns** refer to the same person as the subject pronoun.
- Use reflexive pronouns with certain verbs when the subject acts upon itself.

### **lavantarse** (*to get up*)

yo **me** levanto      nosotros(as) **nos** levantamos

tú **te** levantas      vosotros(as) **os** levantáis

Ud., él, ella **se** levanta      Uds., ellos, ellas **se** levantan

*refers to*

Los domingos (yo) **me** **despierto** tarde y **me** **acuesto** temprano.