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Learning by Doing in Spanish Honors Classes

In Mr. Peter Giacalone's Spanish 3 Honors class, students learned formal and informal commands while creating a feast of Spanish dishes to share. Working in groups of three, the students created a recipe in Spanish and followed the steps. For example, "Add $\frac{1}{4}$ sugar, separate the mixture to create the frosting, and then mix the other ingredients together." The students then cooked each recipe, culminating in a food sampling. Some of the recipes were: tres leche cake, pupusas, fried plantains, quesadillas, tortillas, and guacamole, just to name a few.