



## Spanish Songs for Summer Fun

- Music is always one of the best and easiest ways to expose kids to Spanish. Happy Spanish songs also establish a positive mood, whether you are enjoying a day at home or traveling.

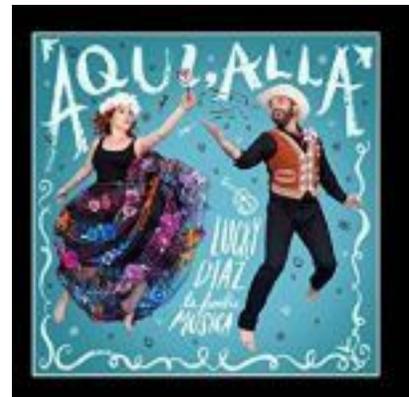
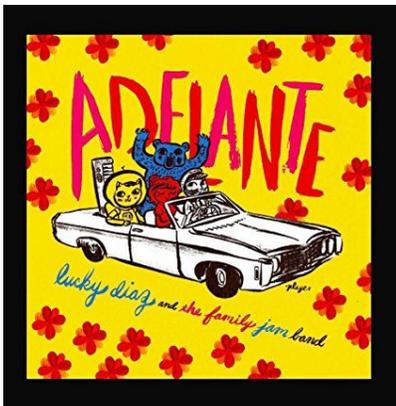
- Latin Grammy award winner *Lucky Diaz and The Family Jam Band* has songs to make your whole family smile and add Spanish to your summer days. Listeners of all ages will love the contemporary, happy Spanish songs from *Lucky Diaz and The Family Jam Band*. The band has been described by the New York Times as “indie pop-rock for families.” They make fabulous music! Spanish is an

essential part of Lucky Diaz’ life and music. His songs have a strong base in his Mexican heritage and the rich Latino culture of his daily life. Many of these upbeat, happy Spanish songs, such as *Sol*, *Solecito* and *Piñata Attack* also incorporate cultural traditions.

**Happy Spanish Songs about Food:** Food culture comes alive in these Spanish! Delicious food is a wonderful part of life, and these happy Spanish songs celebrate two essentials – tacos and guacamole!

[¿Cuántos Tacos? \(The Taco Song\)](#) – Sing about *taqueando* and you naturally have a counting song. What could be more logical?

*Lucky Diaz and the Family Jam Band* won the Latin Grammy with their album [¡Fantástico!](#), and have followed up with more CDs full of happy Spanish songs. Be sure to check out [Aquí, Allá](#) and [Adelante](#). Also look for their new CD, [Made in LA](#).



## **New Takes on Classics**

Familiarity is important to language learners. These classics invite children to sing along with words they know, yet create a new musical experience.

[Sol solecito](#) – This is such a happy, sweet summer song!

## **Happy Spanish Songs for Counting**

Kids learn more than numbers with these counting songs. These happy Spanish songs have a bright sound and incorporate useful vocabulary and verb forms. They also lend themselves to jumping and dancing!

[Contamos hasta seis](#) – This counting song goes all the way to 10, with a small break at 6.

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