

### Task 3 - The Marketplace and Learning from our Elders

Our elders come with experience and wisdom that we can all learn from. For this task, we are going to ask a community or family elder to share about the marketplace space in their lives. In order to complete this task, please answer the following questions below.

1. Learning from our elders. Please find someone from your community or family. (You will be asking them questions in order to complete this task). What is their name? What is their role in your life?

2. Where are they from? (E.g., Florida, Haiti, Cuba, Martinique, Cameroon).

3. What are their language(s)?

4. Now ask your community or family elder to describe to you what the marketplace was like in their home country, state, and/or their childhood. In the space below, describe what they tell you about the marketplace. What was it like? What is their fondest memory of it? Describe it as vividly as possible. If they speak another language, please use that in this space, or even words from their language in your English description.

5. Please ask your elder to tell you *five* things that they often bought at the marketplace. Write the items in their language as well as in English (or, just in English if that is their sole language). Then look up how to say those items in Spanish. Some examples might be: fruit, spices, clothing, etc.

In my elder's language and/or English	In Spanish
a. _____	_____
b. _____	_____
c. _____	_____
d. _____	_____
e. _____	_____

6. What is something that you would like to know or learn from your elder? Perhaps it is about their experience or their opinion on something important to you. Perhaps it is their idea of what we could learn from the past. Please write down the question that you ask them here, as well as their answer to you.

My question to my elder:

His/Her/Their answer: