

Vocabulary

Pepita Talks Twice

Key Vocabulary for Test

1. **language**: spoken or written human speech
2. **Spanish**: a language
3. **enchilada**: tortillas rolled around a filling, then covered with spicy sauce
4. **salsa**: a spicy sauce usually made of tomatoes, onions and peppers
5. **tortilla**: a round, flat Mexican bread
6. **tamales**: fried chopped meat and crushed peppers rolled in cornmeal dough and steamed
7. **taco**: tortillas folded around ground meat or cheese

Extra Practice

8. **grumbled**: a complaint; to complain
9. **tiptoed**: walked quietly
10. **ducked**: lowered one's head and body quickly to avoid being seen by others
11. **mumbled**: said softly and unclearly
12. **darted**: moved suddenly and very quickly
13. **nuzzled**: rubbed gently