

# STRESS RULES

**1.** If a word ends in a **vowel** (a, e, i, o, u) or the consonant **n** or **s**, put the strength of your voice on the next to last syllable. Examples: mañ**ana**, vol**umen**.

**2.** If a word ends in any consonant other than n or s, put the strength of your voice on the final syllable. Examples: am**istad**, muj**er**, vege**tal**.

**3.** If a word has the Spanish accent mark or tilde, then put the strength of your voice in that syllable, ignoring the rules above. Examples: tel**éfono**, caf**é**.