Intermediate Spanish Conversation I Cheat Sheet

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Common words used

segun **according to**	asimismo **likewise**	finalmente **finally**	sin embargo **however**
de esta manera **in this way**	o sea **in other words**	en resumen **in summery**	para empezar **to start with**
aunque **even though**	por el contrar **on the contrary**	por tanto **therefore**	ademas **besides**
tambien **also**	es definitiva **es definitive**	tanto...como, en cambio **as much as, instead**	es decir **that is to say**

Casual Conversations

¿Cómo es tu pueblo natal?	What's your hometown like?
¿Cómo es tu casa y tu barrio?	What's your house and neighborhood like?
¿Eres cercano/a sus padres?	Are you close with your parents?
¿Tienes alguna mascota?	Do you have any pets?
¿Te gusta viajar?	Do you like to travel?
¿A dónde **fuiste** la ultima vez de vacaciones?	Where was the last place you went on holiday?
Adonde has **viajado** recientemente?	Where have you traveled recently?
¿Cuál es el lugar favorito en que has **estado**?	What's your favourite place you've been to?
Si pudieras viajar a cualquier lugar donde **irías**?	If you could travel anywhere, where would you go?
¿Qué te **hizo** convertirte en educacion?	Why did you become a professor?
¿Cuánto tiempo ha **enseñado** en Corea?	How long have you taught in Korea?
¿Quieres enseñar aquí por mucho tiempo?	Do you want to teach here for a long time?
¿Qué consejo le **darías** a alguien que quiere convertirse en educacion?	What advice would you give to someone who wants to become a professor?
Que libro acabas de leer?	What book did you just finish reading?
¿Qué **hiciste** este fin de semana?	What did you do this weekend?
¿Qué **vas a hacer** después del semestre?	What will you do after the semester is over?

How to change the subject

Eso me recuerda…	That reminds me…
Hablando de eso…	Speaking of which…
Por otra parte…	On another note…
Estoy **cambiando** de tema, pero…	I'm changing the subject, but…
Me *preguntaba*…	I was *wondering*…
Te voy a decir una cosa…	Let me tell you something

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Sounding natural	
A ver…	Let's see…
¡No me digas!	No way! (Literally: don't tell me!)
Qué yo sepa	As far as I know
Digo…	I say
O sea	I mean…/Or rather…
¿Sabes?	You know?
Una pregunta…	a question

use Digo to correct yourself after you misspeak. "Somos dos… digo, tres personas."

common in Spanish to preface a question with "una pregunta", the same way you might say "Let me ask you something" in English.

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