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"What's Up! ¿Que Pasa" is a weekly multi-cultural show that emphasizes what we have in common with other cultures while teaching today's youth to appreciate our differences. Every week, the show bilingually presents a new theme, such as cross-cultural understanding, the dangers of drugs and smoking, and reading appreciation, to name a few, through a hip combination of rap and humor.

Each episode is a fast-paced half hour of music, humor and on-location antics that keeps children entertained while educating them in language development, cross-cultural awareness and positive moral and health choices. Educational and informational segments by the hosts include Health Rap, Travel Time, DJ's Mailbox, Papa's Show & Tell and Story Time.



2008-2009 Season

Age Group: 13-16

Closed Captioned

Episode 201

Travelin' Tom takes Papa Rap to the third largest city in the United States – Chicago – where we'll have a great time exploring the Children's Museum. Emily's Health Rap is "Changes" about accepting those who are different from us. Jessica tells the story of "Hansel and Gretel" to show the importance of reading and following directions. The Mambo Kid and Chef Mack drop by. And DJ answers a few of the letters in his mailbox.

Episode 202

More from the Windy City – Papa Rap and Travelin' Tom explore the exotic fish and marine life at Chicago's Shedd Aquarium. Emily introduces "Right to Write," our Health Rap about the power of the written word. We'll hear Jessica's version of the "Tortoise and the Hare," all about staying in shape and not smoking. And you can expect plenty of extras like Mack Snacks, Jessica's Phrases, The Mambo Kid and DJ's Mailbox.

Episode 203

Papa Rap and Travelin' Tom take us to the home of the world's tallest monument – the Gateway Arch – in St. Louis, Missouri, where we'll stop by the International Bowling Museum and Hall of Fame. In our Health Rap, Emily demonstrates how to "Dancercise," a great, fun way to stay fit. Jessica presents "Jack and the Beanstalk," Chew Mack shows Papa Rap how to make another healthy treat, and DJ answers some of your questions. And much more.

Episode 204

In today's show, Papa Rap and Travelin' Tom find out it's like a jungle out there, especially when "out there" is at a zoo. They explore the wildlife of the St. Louis and Tulsa Zoos. Emily introduces our Health Rap, "Chiky Cha," about the importance of brushing our teeth. The Mambo Kid and Chef Mack visit. Jessica brings us the story of "Little Red Riding Hood." And DJ' Mailbox rounds out another great show.

Episode 205

Papa Rap and Travelin' Tom always enjoy a good baseball game. So when they get the chance to visit the newest minor league baseball stadium in the country – home of the Naturals, an AA team of the Kansas City Royals – they can't pass it up. Emily reminds us about the importance of reading in our Health Rap, "Feed Your Brain." We'll learn another great recipe from Chef Mack, and Jessica will read one of her favorite stories, "Cinderella." And you won't want to miss DJ's Mailbox.

Episode 206

There's a town in Mid-America that has more theater seats than Broadway. It's Branson, Missouri, and on today's show, Papa Rap and Travelin' Tom visit one of Branson's most popular entertainers – Joey Riley. . Emily brings us our Health Rap, called "Paso a paso" or "Step by step," to teach us about achieving our goals one step at a time. Jessica will tell us about "Goldilocks and the Three

Bears,” and how important it is to know your math before you head for the forest. You can count on a visit from The Mambo Kid, and DJ has some great emails in his mailbox just waiting for answers.

Episode 207

Today, Papa Rap and Traveling Tom wind up in the Pork Barbecue Capital of the World – Memphis, Tennessee. Emily’s Health Rap is “Think Before You Stink” about the negative effects of smoking. Jessica tells us the story of “Aladdin and his Magic Lamp.” You can expect a visit from The Mambo Kid and Chef Mack. And DJ responds to some of his best emails.

Episode 208

Papa Rap and Travelin’ Tom continue their tour of Memphis, the home of Elvis Presley. Emily introduces our Health Rap, “3 R’s,” about how important it is to recycle. You’ll enjoy another fun story from Jessica, and a music lesson from the Mambo Kid. Chef Mack cooks up a scrumptious snack for Papa Rap. And DJ answers his favorite emails from the past week.

Episode 209

Where did Aretha Franklin, Bob Dylan, Paul Simon, The Rolling Stones and countless others go to record their hit recordings? One of the places was Muscle Shoals, Alabama, where Papa Rap and Travelin’ Tom will be taking us today for a look at one of the most unique music destinations anywhere. Emily’s Health Rap is all about “Self Esteem,” feeling good about ourselves. Plus Jessica’s Phrases, the Mambo Kid, a Mack Snack and DJ’s Mailbox.

Episode 210

An alligator park, swamps, Zydeco music and Creole food – it’s all part of the excitement of Shreveport, Louisiana, where Papa Rap and Travelin’ Tom take us on a tour. Emily and the crew bring us our Health Rap, “Sticks and Stones,” about the negative impact of name-calling. Chef Mack will rustle up another tasty snack for Papa Rap, and DJ will check his mailbox for some interesting questions.

Episode 211

One of the most unique areas in the United States is the French Quarter in New Orleans, Louisiana, and on today’s show, Papa Rap and Travelin’ Tom will show you why. Emily and the cast work out to our Health Rap, “Right to Write,” about one of Papa Rap’s favorite ways of expressing his thoughts and feelings. DJ answers his mail, and we’ll hear some new phrases from Jessica.

Episode 212

Papa Rap and Travelin’ Tom continue their tour of The Big Easy – New Orleans, Louisiana – one of the oldest cities in the United States, known for its multicultural and multilingual heritage as well as its music. Emily, Papa Rap and the gang perform to our Health Rap, “Chiky Cha,” about keeping your teeth clean and white. DJ replies to his latest emails. And as usual, the Mambo Kid and Chef Mack stop by.

Episode 213

Today is our “Best Of” Show. Papa Rap and Traveling Tom give us another glimpse of all the great places they visited this season. The crew looks back at their favorite segments – Emily’s “Paso a Paso” Health Rap, one of Jessica’s winning Story Times and Papa Rap’s tastiest Mack Snack. Plus plenty more fun “Best Of” features.

2007 -2008 EPISODE SYNOPSIS

2007-2008 Season Age Group: 8-12

101 - WHAT'S UP/QUE PASA: Dancercise

Papa Rap and the cast travel to the 4th largest city in the United States- Houston, TX, where Traveling Tom takes us to Houston's Children's Museum. Emily shows the viewers a new Health Rap: "Dancercise" and Jessica tells the Papa Rap version of Little Red Riding Hood. Rice and Beans make the Show & Tell segment cook with a beat and DJ's Mailbox rounds out this episode with questions from some friends.

102 - THINK, DON'T STINK: Anti-smoking

Emily tells Papa Rap to "Think, Don't Stink" in this week's Health Rap that promotes non smoking. Jessica tells a story of persistence and staying focused in the Papa Rap version of "The Tortoise and the Hare". The Show & Tell segment of the show introduces us to a new regular cast member Chef Mack and he shows us how to make Cheesy Apple Crackers at the Chewy Café. Traveling Tom & Papa Rap take a trip to an island, it's a territory of the United States, Puerto Rico.

103 - CHANGES: Tolerance - accepting those who are different from us

Travel Time takes us on a tour of the largest city in the country - New York City. We learn how to make old socks fun in our Show & Tell segment A Papa Craft - Making sock puppets. Jessica has a story with a twist in this week's tail of "The Lion and the Mouse".

Emily shows us a dance that reminds us "Changes don't happen over night" and Chef Mack from the Chewy Café shows Papa Rap how to make a Mack Snack this time it's a wrap sandwich.

104 - FEED YOUR BRAIN: Importance of reading

Traveling Tom and Papa Rap visit The William J. Clinton Presidential Center in the mid south city of Little Rock, AR. In this week's Health Rap Emily shows us a dance that helps your body while you "Feed Your Brain". Jessica tells a story about reading and following directions in Story Time. The What's Up/Que Pasa cast visits a library and Chef Mack from The Chewy Café chef whips up a healthy veggie dip.

105 - STICKS & STONES: Negative impact of name-calling

Papa Rap and Traveling Tom visit the birthplace of Route 66 - Tulsa, OK. Jessica tells the story of being prepared in a Papa Rap version of "The Three Little Pigs" Health Rap this week is set to the song "Sticks & Stones". Chef Mack from the Chewy Café and Papa Rap make a Canary Banerry Smoothie and DJ's Mailbox has e-mail from some friends.

106 - SELF ESTEEM: Feeling good about yourself

Papa Rap and Traveling Tom talk to a country music musician/comedian and we take a backstage tour of a country music theatre in Branson, MO. Emily shows us some steps to a better "Self Esteem". Jessica tells a tale that reminds us to be careful what you wish for in the Papa Rap version of Aladdin and his Magic Lamp. Chef Mack from the Chewy Café has a recipe that will make you feel good about your snack and yourself. And DJ's Mailbox is full of good questions.

107 - DANCERCISE: Importance of Exercise - PART II

Papa Rap and the cast travel to Kansas City, Missouri where they learn a bit of history at the Negro Leagues Baseball Museum. In our Health Rap, Emily teaches us a second lesson about "Dancercise". Then we settle down and listen as Jessica tells us Papa Rap's version of "The Fox and the Grapes". Mambo Kid makes a special appearance and shows us how to play the claves. Mouths will be watering when Chef creates a delicious Open-face breakfast sandwich. DJ has just enough time to answer a few letters he received in his mailbox.

108 - THINK, DON'T STINK: Anti-smoking - PART II

Travel Time takes us to Silver Dollar City in Branson, Missouri. Emily and Papa Rap continue their discussion of "Think, Don't Stink" in this week's Health Rap and talk about the importance of not smoking. We then listen to Papa Rapp's version of the classic fairy tale, "Sleeping Beauty" from Jessica. Chef Mack's snack of Toad in a Hole sounds a little weird, but is it ever a winner! DJ spends time with his TV friends answering their emails.

109 - CHANGES: Tolerance - accepting those who are different from us - PART II

Papa Rap and Travel Time start out the show with a stop at the National Museum of Roller Skating in Lincoln, Nebraska. After that, they're off to the University of Nebraska State Museum. In our Health Rap, Emily talks more about "Changes" and accepting people who are different from us. After that, the story of "Goldilocks and the Three Bears" is told by Jessica. Then Chef Mack makes a yummy banana Innabun in the Chewy Café. The emails are full of great questions today, as DJ finds out when he opens his mailbox!

110 - FEED YOUR BRAIN: Importance of reading - PART II

We visit sunny Puerto Rico where Travel Time first takes us to an historical fort and then makes a stop for some fun at Pigeon Park. In this week's Health Rap, Emily once again shows us a dance that helps your body while you "Feed Your Brain". Jessica tells one of Papa Rap's favorites - "Jack and the Beanstalk" in Story Time. We have another special appearance by the Mambo Kid who shows us how to play the cowbell and the bongos. Chef Mack blends together a mouth watering Mango Smoothie and DJ answers a few friends' letters.

111- STICKS & STONES: Negative impact of name-calling - PART II

Papa Rap and Traveling Tom see some cool fish at the Dallas World Aquarium in Dallas, Texas. Emily talks about the negative impact of name-calling in our health rap, "Sticks and Stones". Jessica has another favorite, Cinderella, to read for Story Time. For show & tell, Papa Rap shows us how to play the claves. And Chef Mack whips up his own special version of a Dallas staple, his own tasty salsa. DJ's Mailbox has some great e-mails from his friends.

112 - SELF ESTEEM: Feeling good about yourself - PART II

We're in for a musical treat when Papa Rap and Traveling Tom take us to the American Jazz Museum in Kansas City. Emily helps us to all feel better about ourselves in our Health Rap, "Self Esteem". Story Time has Jessica telling us a story with a different twist when she reads "Papa Rap and DJ Had a Farm". Quesadillas are Chef Mack's special from the Chewy Café today. DJ's answers a few emails from his mailbox.

113 - BEST OF

In today's show, Papa Rap and Traveling Tom give us another glimpse of all the great places they visited this season. The crew looks back at their favorite segments. Emily loved the Dancercise she taught us in the health rap. Emily can't resist another reading of Goldilocks and the Three Bears. Chef Mack's Toad in a Hole was the winning snack and DJ reads his favorite emails.