

# To Allocate

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Mortals (mortales) allocate (asignar, repartir) things or tasks to other mortals or organisations. Resources, seats and tasks “are allocated”.

Study these examples:

- Mr. Sánchez, the Spanish Prime Minister, has allocated (ha asignado, ha destinado) a lot of your money to create a Spanish NASA by 2050.
- Please allocate 15 minutes for the Cambridge Advanced Reading part 1 task.
- Please do the tasks within the time allocated (...dentro el plazo concedido/establecido).

The noun is allocation (reparto/asignación). Mortals often receive an allocation (racion, cuota) of time to do a task, time to do a tax return (la declaración de la renta), or an allocation of tickets for an opera.