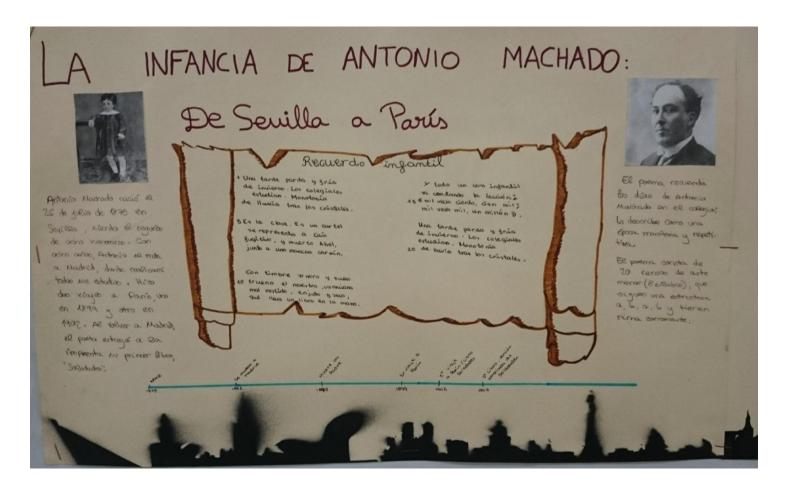


Antonio Machado (by Joaquim Sorolla, 1917

# Antonio Machado The first stage (1875-1902)



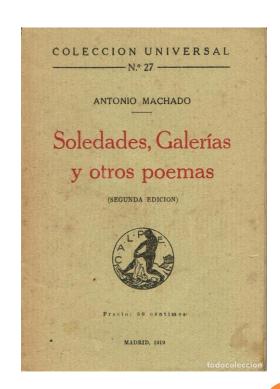
#### The first literary stage: Modernism (1875-1902).

#### Infancy and youth.

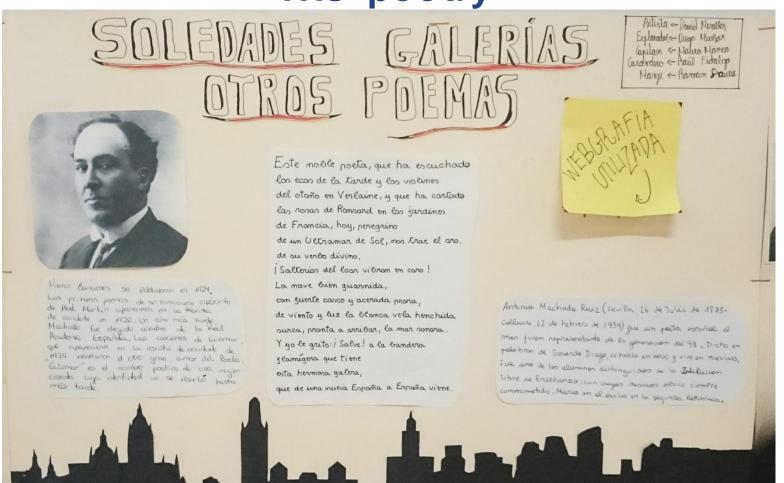
The writer Antonio Machado was born in Seville in 1975.

At the age of eight he moved to Madrid where he studied in the Institución Libre de Enseñanza. In this city he met the writers of beginning of the 20th century: Ramon del Valle-Inclán, Pío Baroja, Rubén Darío and Juan Ramon Jiménez.

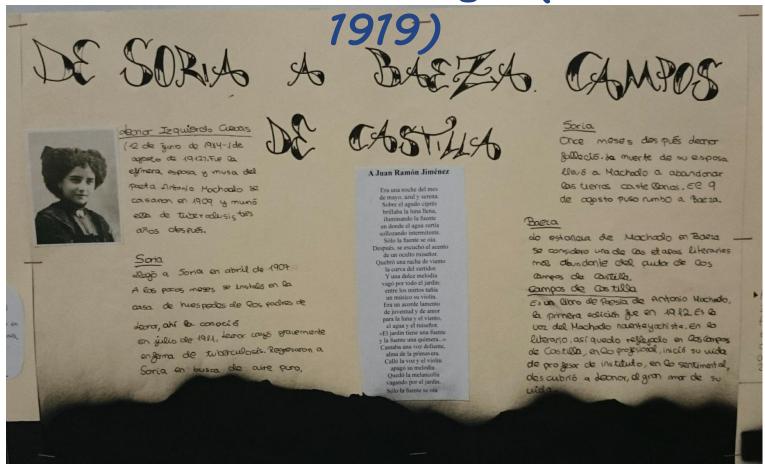
In 1899 and 1902 he travelled to Paris where he met Paul Verlaine and Oscar Wilde and his first book of poems was published : Soledades, Galerías y otros poemas, written between 1899 and 1902.



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# ANTONIO MACHADO The second stage (1902-



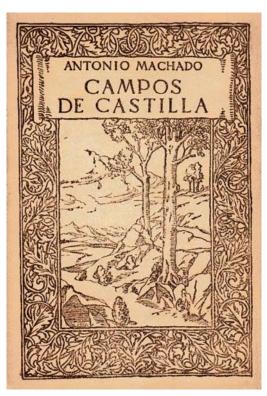
The second literary stage: Generación del 98 (1902-1919)

Maturity: From Soria to Baeza.

Antonio Machado came to Soria in 1907. In this Castilian city he discovered his passion for the literature, his vocation as a teacher and the great love of his life.

He published his second book of poems: *Campos de Castilla* (1912).

The death of his wife in 1912, Leonor, made him to leave to Baeza.



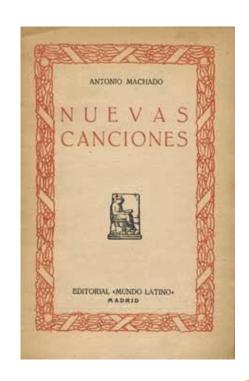
# ANTONIO MACHADO The Third stage (1919-1939)



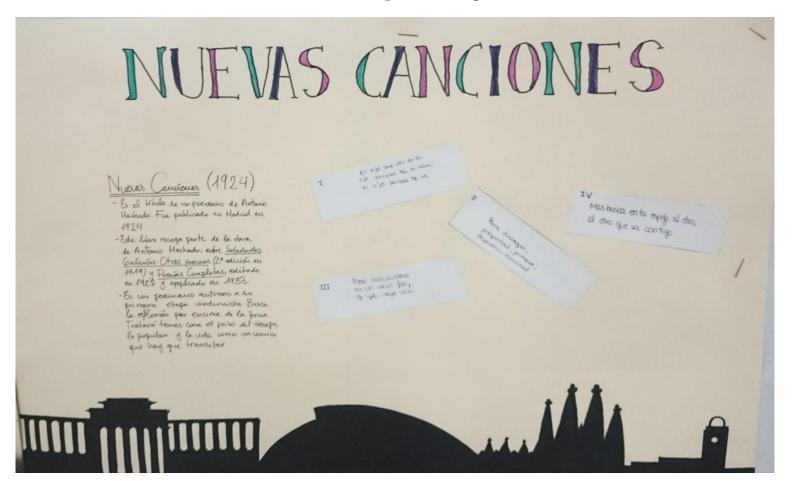
### The third literary stage: Philosophical poetry

# (1919-1939) Oldness and exile

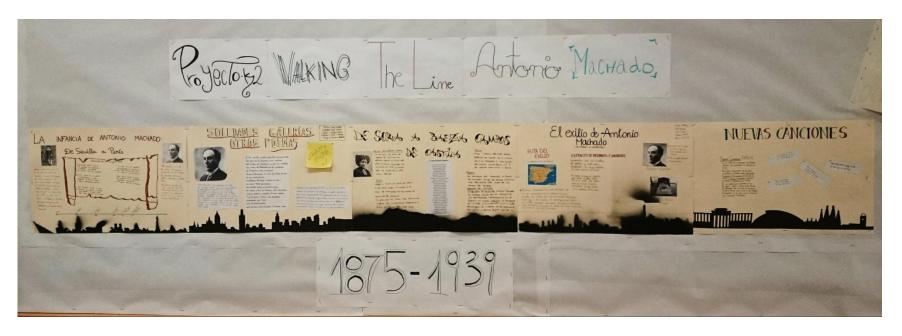
- In 1929 Antonio Machado settled in Segovia. From where he travelled frequently to Madrid. There he met Pilar de Valderrama and she became Antonio Machado's muse. In his poems she was called Guiomar.
- In 1931 he moved to Madrid, coinciding with the proclamation of the Second Spanish Republic.
- In 1936 he went away to Valencia with his family because of the start of the Spanish Civil war.
- In 1938 he was evacuated to Barcelona. From there he initiated the way of the exile up to Colliure, France where he died in 1939 for his advanced age and the hard trip he had done.
- Of this stage it is his third book of poems: *Nuevas* Canciones, published in 1924



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