

Course Description

Grades 11-12 Spanish 4

Philosophy Statement: God is the Supreme Communicator, and has endowed His children with the gift of language so that we may communicate with Him and others. As our world continues to shrink, it becomes increasingly important that Christians become aware of and sensitive to other cultures and languages. The study of foreign languages prepares us to better carry out the Great Commission modeled to us in the Scriptures by the apostles and others.

Course Objective: The student will work with more complex language structures and communication styles. There will be more emphasis on reading literature and other Spanish materials. The use of the subjunctive will be studied in detail. There will also be expanded vocabulary and cultural material presented.

Textbooks:

Easy Spanish Reader (Second Edition)
William T. Tardy
Copyright 2004

Spanish Stories/Cuentos Españoles
Angel Flores
Copyright 1987

Materials:

- Spanish Stories (1987)
- Textbook Teachers' Resources including video, testing materials, CD-Rom materials, audio materials, DVD
- Practice and enrichment worksheets
- Videos
- Games
- Literary materials

Time Allotment: 45 minutes per day, 5 days per week

Course Content:

- Welcome to Spanish
- Commands and Subjunctive
- Food
- Reading Spanish
- Clothing
- Let's Go Shopping
- The Legends of Mexico
- Spanish Stories
- Maria and Enrique
- The Conquest of the Americas
- I would like to travel to...

Areas to be evaluated:

- In-Class assignments
- Homework assignments
- Quizzes
- Unit Tests
- Reports and projects
- Elementary Teaching

Additional activities:

- Possible field trip as available
- Games and activities
- Possible visits to Hispanic restaurants and churches