## **Course Description Grade 6 Elementary Spanish**

**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**: Students will be introduced to the basics of the Spanish language and culture. They will develop beginning level skills in listening, reading, speaking, constructing short dialogues in Spanish. They will learn basic vocabulary such as greetings and short dialogues, numbers, colors, clothing, food, Christian Songs, etc.

## Materials:

- The Complete Book of Spanish (American Education Publishing)
- Spanish Elementary (Frank Schaeffer Publications)
- Practice and enrichment worksheets
- Games
- Spanish Music CDs

Time Allotment: 30 minutes per week

## **Course Content:**

- Spanish Alphabet
- Spanish Numbers
- Greetings and Introductions
- Animals
- Colors
- Parts of the Body
- Food
- Family
- Holiday Vocabulary
- Household Vocabulary
- Classroom Vocabulary
- Clothing
- Days of the Week
- Months of the Year
- Community Words

## Areas to be evaluated:

- Participation
- In Class Activities
- In-Class Assignments
- Quarterly Quizzes