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Español 2

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Email is the best way to reach me!

BRING YOUR A-GAME!

- Everyday you should **SPEAK Spanish!** Class is conducted 80-90% in Spanish, and that means **YOU**, not just me!
- Be an **ACTIVE PARTICIPANT** and **GOOD CITIZEN!** Please act with respect for **EVERYONE** at all times. No putdowns will be tolerated.
- **TAKE RESPONSIBILITY IN YOUR OWN LEARNING!** Review at least 10 minutes a night, even if there is no homework. Contact me if something is



¡Bienvenidos!

¡Bienvenidos a mi clase de Español! Welcome to my Spanish Class! Students, this year will be challenging and will require a lot of effort from both of us, but together we can be successful. It will be your choice how much you learn. I will teach you all that I can but I cannot learn for you, this you must do on your own. Remember you are responsible for learning.

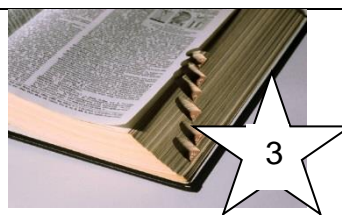
Parents, please read the following information and complete, sign and return. Students, please keep this information in the first pocket of your Spanish notebook. Keep sharing what we learn with your parents and become their Spanish teacher! I look forward to having fun, learning, and teaching with you this year.



YOUR CLASS NOTEBOOK



BLUE or BLACK PEN



SPANISH ENGLISH
DICTIONARY



TEXTBOOK

YOUR CLASS NOTEBOOK



You are expected to have a 3 subject spiral bound notebook with the following sections:

Para Empezar –
bellwork

Apuntes – notes

Trabajo de clase –
classwork

BRING IT TO CLASS
EVERYDAY

Also bring....

PENS and
HIGHLIGHTERS –
you may not use
pencils on tests

Dictionary – you will
need to look up
words daily, I will
not be your
dictionary.

Textbook – I have no
extras to lend out

Un poco sobre la clase.....

HOMework

There is not very frequent written homework in this class; however, I expect you to study your vocabulary **every night for at least 10 minutes**. There may be surprise vocabulary quizzes, so always be prepared!

_____ Student's initials

Parent's Initials _____



If you are absent, it is
YOUR responsibility to
look on the class
website for the lesson

ATTENDANCE

- It is **your** responsibility to find out about assignments before you are absent and when you return to class.
- If you have an unexpected absence, you have ***the amount of days*** you were absent to make up any work. It is each students' responsibility to come in either **AFTER** school or **during** lunch to show me all missed work.
- ***I do not accept unexcused late work***
- Quizzes and Exams may be made up **during** lunch or after school by contacting me in advance. (i.e. letting me know when you will be coming in). You have **ONE WEEK** from the date of the exam or quiz to make it up. If you do not come in during that one week time frame you will be given a **"0" (ZERO)** for that/those exam(s)/quiz(es).



Grading

Students will be assessed and evaluated on meeting course standards in speaking, listening, reading and writing. Research has shown that **success is based on daily practice and memorization**. If there is no specific homework assignment on a given day, **students should be reviewing notes and vocabulary for the current unit for a minimum of 10 – 15 minutes per day**. Final grades are based on points and extra credit cannot exceed more than five percent of your grade. Final Grades are determined as follows:

Grading Scale:

90 – 100% A	80 – 89% B	70 – 79% C
60 – 69% D	0 – 59% F	



Attendance and Participation [10 points per day]

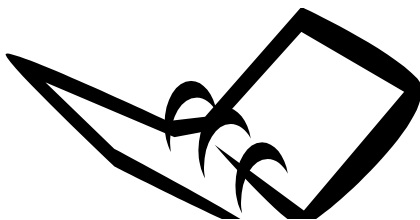
Learning a foreign language is a skill and involves practice. Your active involvement in all classroom activities is essential. Be alert and ready to participate in group and/or individual responses.

A class participation grade will be based on the following criteria: timeliness, attentiveness, participation (both voluntary and requested), cooperation with the teacher and other students, having all materials in class each day, listening and speaking appropriately in small groups, following directions, staying with the assigned topic/task and use of target language.

****Prearranged absences** need to be arranged with me **in advance**. You must get your work before you leave and it must be turned in the day you come back. Any tests or quizzes must be arranged with me **prior** to leaving.

Warm-ups/Notes/ Class work [50 points per notebook check]

Warm-ups will be part of the beginning of the daily lesson. Students will be required to complete the warm-up in their appropriate notebook sections during the first 10 minutes of class. **Each section must be labeled BY DATES.** Following the Warm-up activities students will write all Grammar explanations, Vocabulary and Class work in the appropriate sections of the notebook as well. I reserve that right to conduct random notebook checks. I will give you a list of warm ups, worksheets, vocabulary, or classwork that I will check. I will give students a limited amount of time to find these specific items. Students will then turn in the packet of these assignments for credit. **Save all graded work in your notebook .**



Quizzes[Will range in points from 10 – 40 points per quiz]

Quizzes will be taken weekly or biweekly: at the end of each “Paso” in the text book.

Exams and Projects[Will range from 50 – 100 points]

There will be an in-class written and multiple choice test for each chapter covered, approximately once a month.

There will be **one** project per semester. These projects will be discussed in class and scheduled due date will be posted on the class calendar.

MAKE-UP WORK / ABSENCES:

NO UNEXCUSED LATE WORK WILL BE ACCEPTED. YOU are responsible for finding out what work was missed. Exceptions on due dates will only be made in case of illness, family emergency, or an extenuating circumstance. It is required and the responsibility of students to complete and turn work in on time. We will build skills daily and falling behind in work will cause you to fall behind in vocabulary and communication skills.

PRUEBA (QUIZ)

You may use the above syllabus to find the answers to each question. Once completed, your guardian will need to sign the bottom for credit. (15 points)

1. What are the 4 items you **MUST** bring to class every day?

_____, _____, _____,

2. Do I except late work? YES NO

3. What are the 3 sections of your notebook?

_____, _____, _____

4. If you are absent, where must you look to get the lesson and work assigned?

5. Do I have extra textbooks to lend out? YES NO

6. Where does the QR code take you?

PARENT SIGNATURE: _____
