## Class Description

High School Spanish I is a year-long course for 8 th graders that follows the $7^{\text {th }}$ grade class (mandatory prerequisite). This course builds on previously learned 7th grade material and expands on vocabulary topics and grammar. Students continue expanding their reading, writing, listening comprehension along with speaking skills. Students who successfully complete the 3 semesters of Spanish during seventh and eighth grades and pass the Exit Exam will receive high school credit for Spanish I and advance to Spanish II in high school.


Things Needed for Class

- 3 ring binder just for Spanish
- 5 Dividers
- Loose leaf
- Red pen
- Device
- Spanish dictionary (Webster Concise)


## Binder Organization

Tab 1-Información
Tab 2- Vocabulario
Tab 3- Gramática
Tab 4- Práctica
Tab 5- Notas
** You will have a binder check in the second week of class!!

## Bring these to Class

- A box of Kleenex or
- A bottle of sanitizer WIPES


## Homework

I give homework! Even on the block schedule, you will have homework EVERYDAY! Quizzes will be weekly and you will have a test or project about every three to four weeks.


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## I Have to Speak SPANISH?!

Yes! I need to make sure that you are learning the correct pronunciation and emphasis of the words in the language. So, you will need to speak Spanish!

## Extra Credit

You can earn extra points through mastery. If you do not do well on a quiz, a mastery opportunity MAY be offered where you can earn back some of the points that you lost by showing me that you now understand the concept. I will NOT give out extra credit so make sure you are taking advantage of every opportunity of mastery in class!

## Spanish is FUN

YES! YES! Learning a language is always fun! It may not be easy at times, but I am here to help you!


- Spanish culture is fun!
- Professional

Opportunities

- Awareness
- National Interest
- International Interest
- Spoken in 20+ countries
- Everywhere


## La Clase de Español

El Octavo Grado
Units you will be learning:

| A las cinco: |
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| - Classroom Vocabulary |
| - Subject Pronouns and verb ESTAR |
| - Prepositions |
| - People and Places in the school |
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| A las cinco y media: |
| - School Subject Vocabulary |
| - -ER and -IR Verb Conjugations |
| A las seis: |
| - Breakfast and Lunch Vocabulary |
| - The Verbs Gustar and Encantar |
| - Telling Time |
| A las siete: |
| - Dinner and Health Vocabulary |
| - Verb SER and Agreement |
| - Using Double Verbs in a Sentence |
| - Commands |
| A las ocho: |
| - Places Vocabulary |
| - Question words and Verb IR |
| A las nueve: |
| - Sports and Invitation Vocabulary |
| - Stem Changing Verbs/ Verb Tener que |
| A las diez: |
| - Family and Description Vocabulary |
| - Comparisons/ Tener Expressions |
| A las once: |
| - Party Vocabulary |
| - SER vs ESTAR |
| - Using Possession |
| A las doce: |
| - Restaurant and Table Vocabulary |
| - Restaurant Conversation and Verbs |

## BIENVENIDOS

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