SPAN 50B Course Outline as of Fall 2011

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: SPAN 50B Title: BEG CONVERSATION-2

Full Title: Conversation for Beginners-Part 2

Last Reviewed: 11/25/2019

Units		Course Hours per Week		Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours Total	
Maximum	3.00	Lecture Scheduled	3.00	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	52.50
Minimum	3.00	Lab Scheduled	0	5	Lab Scheduled	0
		Contact DHR	1.00		Contact DHR	17.50
		Contact Total	4.00		Contact Total	70.00
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 105.00 Total Student Learning Hours: 175.00

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Applicable

Grading: Grade or P/NP

Repeatability: 00 - Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

Also Listed As:

Formerly:

Catalog Description:

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Prerequisites/Corequisites:

Course Completion of SPAN 50A or SPAN 1

Recommended Preparation:

Eligibility for ENGL 1A or equivalent

Limits on Enrollment:

Schedule of Classes Information:

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communication. (Grade or P/NP)

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Limits on Enrollment: Transfer Credit: CSU;

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ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:

AS Degree: Area Effective: Inactive: CSU GE: Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

IGETC: Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

CSU Transfer: Transferable Effective: Fall 1981 Inactive:

UC Transfer: Effective: Inactive:

CID:

Certificate/Major Applicable:

Both Certificate and Major Applicable

COURSE CONTENT

Outcomes and Objectives:

Upon completion of this course, the student will be able to:

- 1. Use a variety of common Spanish verbs, adjectives, and nouns in basic conversation.
- 2. Use verbs in the present and past tenses.
- 3. Correctly respond to instructions, requests and invitations when given in Spanish.
- 4. Demonstrate control of accurate Spanish phonetics and pronunciation.
- 5. Comprehend and utilize new vocabulary from context.
- 6. Comprehend specific information and main ideas in simple printed texts.
- 7. Identify main ideas and key words in increasingly spoken statements.
- 8. Discriminate between levels of formality and express culturally appropriate courtesy.
- 9. Formulate statements in the present and past tenses that describe preferences, future plans, family surroundings, personal history and recent activities.

Topics and Scope:

- 1. Reflexive verbs
- 2. Phonetics
- 3. Numbers up to 100,000
- 4. Profession-related vocabulary
- 5. Clothing vocabulary
- 6. Ser and estar
- 7. Past tense-regular verbs
- 8. Gustar
- 9. Comparisons
- 10. Home-related vocabulary
- 11. Oral communication strategies

Assignment:

Assignments for Spanish 50B may include:

- 1. Weekly study in the textbook (5 to 10 pages)
- 2. Weekly written exercises from the textbook, vocabulary manual, and/or handouts (3-5 pages)
- 3. Weekly Web-related tasks (seeking information, researching questions)
- 4. Individual, pair and small group work discussion, role-plays, conversations and drills that apply to real world situations
- 5. Viewing of at least video and completion of accompanying exercises
- 6. Class performance, such as role-playing, and presentations on cultural topics in Spanish
- 7. Weekly quizzes; 1-3 exams; final exam

Methods of Evaluation/Basis of Grade:

Writing: Assessment tools that demonstrate writing skills and/or require students to select, organize and explain ideas in writing.

Written homework, Web-based reports

Writing 20 - 40%

Problem Solving: Assessment tools, other than exams, that demonstrate competence in computational or non-computational problem solving skills.

None

Problem solving 0 - 0%

Skill Demonstrations: All skill-based and physical demonstrations used for assessment purposes including skill performance exams.

Class performances and presentations

Skill Demonstrations 20 - 20%

Exams: All forms of formal testing, other than skill performance exams.

Final Exams, Quizzes: Multiple choice, True/false, Matching items, Completion, Short Answer

Exams 20 - 40%

Other: Includes any assessment tools that do not logically fit into the above categories.

Attendance, Participation

Other Category 20 - 40%

Representative Textbooks and Materials:

Invitaciones, 2nd edition, Alonso, Deana. Vista Higher Learning: 2010.