SPAN 3 Course Outline as of Fall 2010

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: SPAN 3 Title: INTERMEDIATE SPANISH-1

Full Title: Intermediate Spanish-Part One

Last Reviewed: 11/25/2019

Units		Course Hours per Week		Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours Total	
Maximum	4.00	Lecture Scheduled	4.00	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	70.00
Minimum	4.00	Lab Scheduled	0	6	Lab Scheduled	0
		Contact DHR	1.00		Contact DHR	17.50
		Contact Total	5.00		Contact Total	87.50
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 140.00 Total Student Learning Hours: 227.50

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 2 OR Course Completion of SPAN 2S

Recommended Preparation:

Eligibility for ENGL 1A or equivalent

Limits on Enrollment:

Schedule of Classes Information:

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ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:

AS Degree: Area Effective: Inactive:

E Humanities Fall 1981

CSU GE: Transfer Area Effective: Inactive: C2 Humanities Fall 1990

IGETC: Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

3B Humanities Fall 1981

6A Language Other Than English

CSU Transfer: Transferable Effective: Fall 1981 Inactive:

UC Transfer: Transferable Effective: Fall 1981 Inactive:

CID:

CID Descriptor: SPAN 200 Intermediate Spanish I

SRJC Equivalent Course(s): SPAN3

Certificate/Major Applicable:

Both Certificate and Major Applicable

COURSE CONTENT

Outcomes and Objectives:

Upon completion of this course, students will be able to:

- 1. Compose a 1-2 page Spanish essay on general interest or a societal topic.
- 2. Hold a conversation and speak extemporaneously on a wide range of personal topics with few errors of grammar.
- 3. Comprehend Spanish spoken naturally on a wide range of common topics.
- 4. Comprehend, analyze, discuss and answer questions orally and in writing about the main ideas and details in short fiction and non-fiction.
- 5. Produce most regular and irregular verb conjugations, subject, and object pronouns, present, past, future and conditional verbs.
- 6. Produce the subjunctive, both present and imperfect, as well as "si" clauses in their most common uses.
- 7. Produce most everyday Spanish vocabulary, most common idioms and some theme-specific vocabulary (classroom jargon, for example).
- 8. Correctly pronounce both familiar and unfamiliar Spanish words.

Topics and Scope:

- A. Introduction to ancillary materials such as accessing website and other digital resources
- B. Vocabulary, idioms, sentence structure, and other linguistic elements of Spanish relating to various topics, including:
 - 1. Nature, the environment, recycling and conservation
 - 2. City life, chores, money and banking and post office
- 3. Health and well being, exercise and nutrition professions and occupations, the workplace, and job interviews
 - 4. Španish-language media

- 5. Current events
- C. Spanish grammar
 - 1. The subjunctive: verbs of emotion and doubt, with conjunctions, in clauses
 - 2. "Nosotros" commands
 - 3. Past participles used as adjectives
 - 4. Present, past, future and conditional perfect
 - 5. The present perfect, past perfect, and past subjunctive
 - 6. "Si" clauses
- D. Interpreting literary passages, in original Spanish, by great writers such as Cervantes, Denevi, and Paz

Assignment:

- 1. Lesson(s) from the textbook (averaging 15 pages per week)
- 2. Memorization of vocabulary and verb conjugations (averaging 75 words per week)
- 3. Exercises in textbook and workbook (averaging 20-30 exercises per week)
- 4. Web-based assignments, including exercises connected to the textbook's website or other digital resources (averaging 1 hour per week)
- 5. Weekly or bi-weekly quizzes and chapter exams
- 6. Compositions of 200-400 words (3-5 per semster)
- 7. Oral participation, group activities and projects
- 8. Oral debates on contemporary issues
- 9. Dictation and translation
- 10. Research on cultural and literary topics
- 11. Viewing and extracting information from cultural videos or Spanish-language films
- 12. Reading and gathering information from Spanish-language newspapers, magazines, books, and Spanish-language websites or other digital resources
- 13. 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.

Textbook homework, compositions

Writing 20 - 30%

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

Group activities, projects, debate, research, video and reading assignments

Problem solving 10 - 20%

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

Group activities, projects, debate

Skill Demonstrations 20 - 30%

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

Quizzes, tests, final exam: multiple choice, true/false, matching items, completion, essay

Exams 30 - 40%

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

Web-based assignments

Other Category 5 - 10%

Representative Textbooks and Materials:

Vistas, Blanco, Donley, 3rd ed., Vista Higher Learning, 2008. Instructor prepared materials