



East Brunswick Magnet School
Spanish II SYLLABUS/EXPECTATIONS
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Spanish II



**COURSE
DESCRIPTION**

The main objective in Spanish II is to continue to develop, reinforce, and refine proficiency in listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills. Cultural competency will also be developed and explored.

Goals: •learn new vocabulary •build familiarity with grammar•gain confidence speaking Spanish •communicate in Spanish in real life situations
•interpret written Spanish

TEXTBOOK

Descubre I (online text)

**REQUIRED
SUPPLIES**

- A separate notebook and folder for Spanish.
- Sharpened pencil or pen
- A computer/chromebook with Internet access

GRADING

Tests/Projects: **40%** Writing Assignments **20%** Quizzes: **20%** Speaking/Classwork: **15%**
Homework: **5%**

**GRADING
SCALE**

A+ 100-98	B+ 89-87	C+ 79-77	D 69-65
A 97-92	B 86-82	C 76-72	F 64 and below
A- 91-90	B- 81-80	C- 71-70	

**COURSE
OVERVIEW**

- Unit 1: Marking Period I: ¡De compras!
- Unit 2: Marking Period 2: La rutina diaria
- Unit 3: Marking Period 3: La comida
- Unit 4: Marking Period 4: En el consultorio

**CLASSROOM
EXPECTATIONS**

- Follow all school rules!
- Speak Spanish :)
- Do Nows will be completed every class period and are part of your participation grade.
- We will utilize Google Classroom for assignments, notes and other information as needed.
- Google Classroom Code: 3A: iofx46ci 4A: q75wtb6q 4B: kwdicgxv

Make-up/LATE WORK POLICY:

If an assignment is missing or incomplete, it will be posted on Parent Access (*Genesis*). Please check Parent Access on a regular basis.

PARTICIPATION:

It is impossible to learn a language overnight, but if you practice a little everyday, you will learn it. Speaking and understanding a language is a skill and the only way to perfect it is to practice.

ELECTRONIC DEVICE POLICY:

Cell phones: Out of sight and silenced is the rule of thumb! Cell phones need to be put on DO NOT DISTURB or POWERED DOWN. There will be designated times for students to use their phones.

Charged Chromebooks: need to be brought to class EVERYDAY

Translators (AI/apps/Google): Translators are not allowed, and tend to lead to more errors than clear communication. Using an online translation tool is considered plagiarism. I always want to see YOUR work!

CULTURAL EXPERIENCES

Foods: Language learning is more than memorizing words and grammatical patterns. Together we will look at the different customs, traditions, celebrations, history and geography of the 21 Spanish-speaking countries. This may include sampling different foods from these countries; please indicate on the signature page if your student has any food allergies, restrictions or sensitivities.