## • Spanish 1

- 07083400
- 1 year, Grades 9-12

• Introduces students to the target language and its culture and develops communicative skills and cross-cultural understanding. Includes beginning skills in listening and speaking with special attention to pronunciation, an introduction to reading and writing, and the fundamentals of grammar and culture. This course is not for native speakers of Spanish.

## • Spanish 2

- 07083500
- 1 year, Grades 9-12

• Reinforces the skills previously acquired and develops increased listening, speaking reading and writing skills, and cultural awareness. Reading and writing receive emphasis, and oral communication remains the primary objective.

### • Spanish 3 Honors

- 07083605
- 1 year, Grades 10-12
- Prerequisite: Spanish 2

• Students master and expand the skills previously acquired. The content includes expansions of vocabulary and conversational skills through discussions based on selected readings. Students' acquisition of grammatical concepts will stress activities that are important to everyday life of Spanish speaking people.

### • Advanced Placement Spanish Language

- 1 year, Grades 11-12
- Prerequisite: Spanish III or Native Speakers III

• AP Spanish Language is intended for students who wish to develop proficiency in all four language skills: listening, speaking, reading, and writing. The main objective of this course is to develop student's three communicative modes (interpersonal, interpretive, and presentational) and the five goal areas outlined in the Standards for Foreign Language Learning in the 21st Century (communication, cultures, connections, comparisons, and communities). Students who enroll should already have a basic knowledge of the language and culture of Spanish-speaking peoples and should have attained a reasonable proficiency in listening comprehension, speaking, reading, and writing. This course is equivalent to a 3rd year college Spanish course and will be conducted entirely in Spanish. AP exam is required.

# **AP Spanish Literature and Culture**

- 1 year, Grades 11-12
- 0708410

• The AP (Advanced Placement) Spanish Literature and Culture course uses a thematic approach to introduce students to representative texts (short stories, novels, poetry, plays, and essays) from Peninsular Spanish, Latin American, and U. S. Hispanic literature. Students develop proficiencies across the three modes of communication (interpretive, interpersonal, and presentational) in the range of Intermediate High to Advance Mid of the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages' (ACTFL) Proficiency Guidelines. Through careful examination of the required readings and other texts, students work to hone their critical reading and analytical writing skills. Literature is explored within the contexts of its time and place, and students gain insights on the many voices, historical periods, and cultures represented in the required readings and other texts. The course also includes a strong focus on cultural, artistic, and linguistic connections and comparisons, which is supported by the exploration of various media (art, music, film, articles, and literary criticism).

# SPN 1120

## **Elementary Spanish I**

•4 Credits

• Semester 1, Seniors Only

• Covers the fundamental of reading, writing, listening, and speaking the Spanish language while developing an understanding of the Spanish and Hispanic cultures. Native speakers of Spanish will be asked to seek credit by exam,

• Prerequisites: College level reading and writing skills are required.

# SPN 1121

# **Elementary Spanish II**

- •4 Credits
  - Semester 2, Seniors Only

• Enhances skills learned in SPN 1120. Native speakers of Spanish will be asked to seek credit by exam.

• Prerequisites: SPN 1120 with a minimum grade of "C" or instructor's permission. College level reading and writing skills are required.