

# Syllabus Español 1

## Course Objectives:

◆ Reach the proficiency level of **Novice Mid 1**. At this level you are only able to speak & understand single words or short phrases. You will NOT be fluent; however you will be able to:

1. Carry on a BASIC Conversation about Yourself (your name, how you are, what you are like, where you are from, your phone #, your e-mail, your age & birthday, what you like/dislike, what sports/activities you do, your school classes, your family & pets, your house & chores, your needs & want at a store or a restaurant)
2. Compare how Hispanic teens from Spain & Puerto Rico are both like you & different from you. These 2 countries will be the setting for our activities so you will get to see what types of fun things you could see & do there!

## Course Supplies:

- ★ 3-ring binder w/ plastic insert to put Spanish name tag that I'll supply
- ★ Black Expo Marker, 1-2 old socks, & 1 plastic page protector
- ★ Ingredients for 1-2 dishes you will make at home 2x (late fall/early spring)
- ★ \$5.00 to join International Circle Club (Optional)  
Deadline to join is Friday, September 12<sup>th</sup>.

## Course Requirements/Grades:

- \* It is your responsibility to immediately come to my desk when returning to class after an absence or field trip. Do not simply ask a friend what we did the day(s) you missed! School policy regarding makeups will apply. Freshman students will report to Recovery Room with Mr. Walker when an assignment is not completed or is incomplete. The assignment will receive 80% of value, if thoroughly completed.



## Grading Categories:

- 70% Product** (items you produce--skits, brochures, unit assessments)
- 30% Process** (items that lead up to the product--homework, in-class activities, participation, quizzes, notebook, etc)

**Notebook (Ring Binder with these Sections): Graded 3 X per year**

**Your LinguaFolio checklist is to be kept in front of these sections. It should be the 1<sup>st</sup> thing you see when you open your notebook. The following are the next categories for your dividers you purchased:**

- General Handouts** (*syllabus, computer functions, Spanish name list, alphabet, pronunciation guide, useful expressions, tongue twisters, etc.*)
- Maps / Country Information**
- Current Info** (*Homework, notes, worksheets in Current Unit of Study*)
- Past Info.** (*Past Unit important vocab & materials Sra. has told you to keep* )
- Holiday Vocabulary & Information / Songs**