

Department: World Languages

Course Name: Junior Kindergarten Spanish

Course Description: This course introduces students to Spanish, creating a lifelong interest in language learning. Students are exposed to the language through role-play, songs, games, poems and dialogues. Emphasis is placed on language development that integrates the skills of listening, speaking, and reading.

Content:

Vocabulary:

- Greetings
- Commands
- Days of the week
- Numbers 1-10
- Family and Friends
- Animals
- Months
- Weather
- Season
- Body Parts

Skills:

- Students will develop curiosity for the Spanish Language.
- Students will pronounce words properly.
- Students will use the correct vocabulary when speaking about personal situations.
- Students will gain global awareness and respect for other cultures.

Text and Materials:

- Websites such as: rockalingua.com, brainpopjr.com and getepic.com
- Santillana Thematic library

Methods of Instruction:

- Games
- Conversational exchange (teacher-students, student-student)
- Lecture

Methods of Evaluation:

- Class participation
- Group activities
- Dialogue