

4th hour: Español 1

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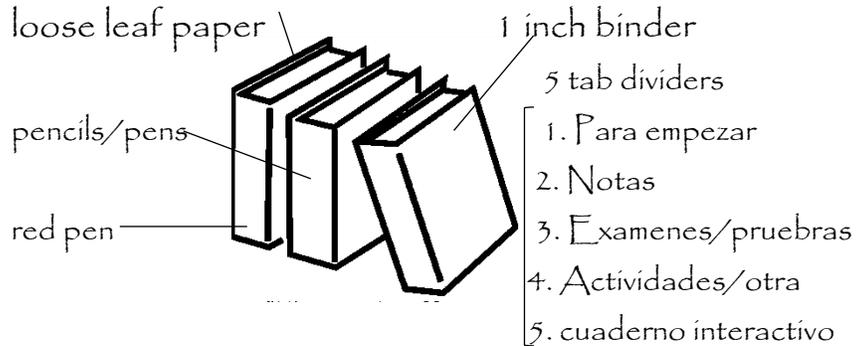
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CLASS MATERIALS



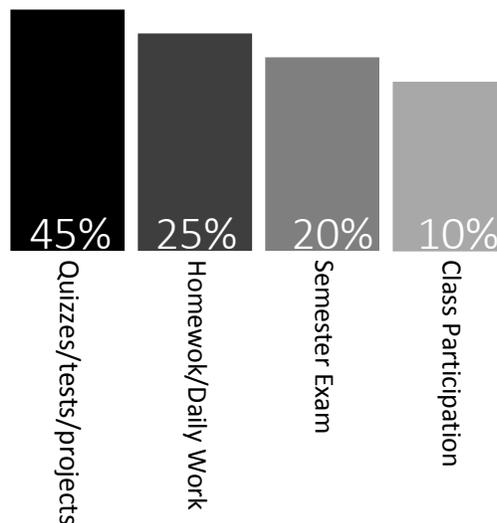
You may want: colored pencils and highlighters

For the classroom: Please bring 2 boxes of tissues

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This class provides an emphasis on the ability to understand and use the Spanish language. The study of Spanish grammar and vocabulary is used, while enhancing the student's skills in reading, writing, listening, and speaking. The study of Spanish customs and culture is also central to this second-level program. Our curriculum aligns to the Oklahoma PASS and to the World Languages National Standards (ACTFL). These may be accessed at www.sde.state.ok.us or www.edmondschools.net.

GRADES



100-90 = A

89-80 = B

79-70 = C

69-60 = D

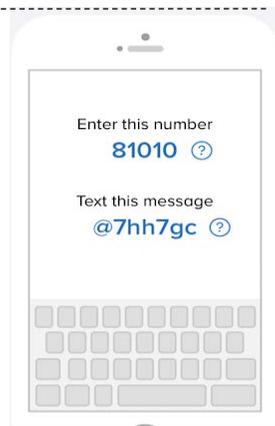
59-0 = F

*According to district grading scale.

*Semester grades & tests are cumulative

REMINDERS!

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Quizzes/Tests: Quizzes will occur throughout the semester. To stay properly prepared, students should review nightly and pay attention in class. There will be no surprises as to the information and curriculum. You will have a test at the end of most units. Tests will include textbook material, supplemental readings, and supplemental notes given in class.

Late Work: Students who turn in their work late will receive only HALF CREDIT. If turning in your work late becomes a habit, you will find yourself in detention, and your parents will be contacted.

What if I'm absent? Upon returning to class, check the absent work bucket and with the teacher at a time that will not disrupt class instruction for any work she may have for you from the previous day(s).

Make-Up Policy: District policy will be followed for assignments turned in after the due date as a result of EXCUSED absences (days missed plus a day for each) (Not to exceed one week). School activity absences require students to turn in assignments and/or take quizzes PRIOR to absence. ALWAYS speak with the teacher prior to a school activity absence. Zeros are placed in the gradebook as placeholders until the assignment(s) or quiz is made up.

*For a list of supplemental materials used in class, please refer to Form B on the website.

Homework/Daily Work: Homework, usually including workbook assignments, readings, and worksheets from each chapter, is assigned often - sometimes daily. Binder checks will occur often.

Class Participation: In order to improve your skills, we will be doing activities daily in class that require you to use the language. This is the most vital part of class! Participation grades are given weekly and are based on everything from completing your bell ringer exercises, to having your materials in class, to using the language in appropriate activities. This will be discussed further in class.

Semester Tests: The final exam is comprehensive and covers material from the beginning of the semester.

Academic Integrity: Cheating in any form will result in a zero (0) on that particular assignment/test as well as disciplinary actions. Plagiarism is considered cheating.

Required Text: Mundo Real 2 Media Edition by Cambridge Electronic Access to the Mundo Real Eleteca

Cell Phones and Electronic Devices: **Cell phones are a great tool and we use them often in this classroom!** However, cell phones are not to be used during class time and should be put in the cellphone box unless otherwise specified. If you have your phone out, I will give you one warning. I expect you to stop using it after that. Please do not force me to confiscate phones because they will be taken to the principals office for pick-up. Continued violation of this will lead to an office referral.

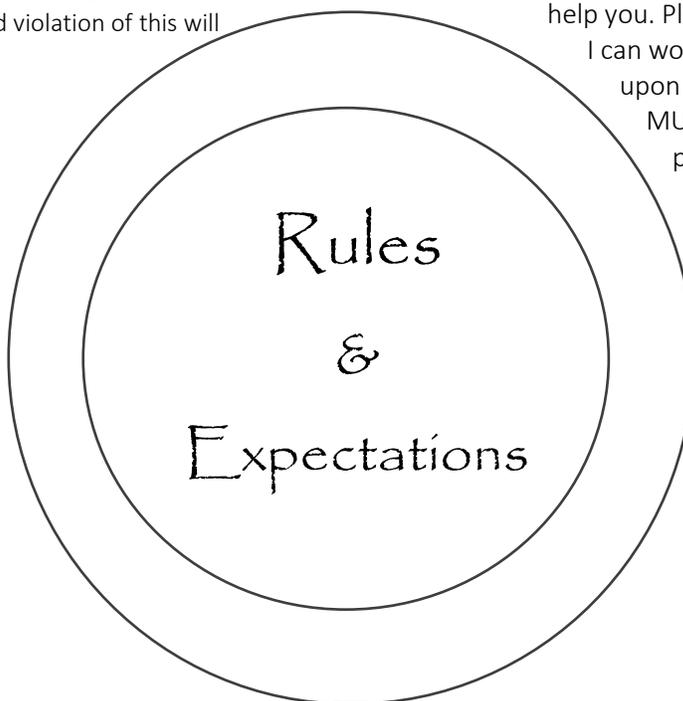
Food and Drinks are allowed in the classroom. However, this is YOUR classroom as well and we need to keep it clean. Throw away all trash in the trashcan. If this becomes a problem we will no longer have food and drink in the class.

Restroom and Locker Needs:

Please attend to your restroom and locker needs between classes. You will only be allowed 2 passes to leave the classroom. After those are used, you will not be allowed to leave the room.

Tardies: Students are considered tardy once the bell rings and the classroom door is shut. 3 tardies = 1 unexcused absence (per district policy).

Extra Help: Learning a new language can be difficult so if you are having trouble please let me know immediately so I can help you. Please do not hesitate to seek help! I can work with you during PACK time and upon request at other times. Times MUST be scheduled and material prepared.



Behavior: In this classroom we respect each other and are a family! Be kind and have a good attitude! Do what is asked of you! Be encouraging and supportive! Try and talk in the target language, Spanish, as much as possible! If behavior issues arise you will be given a warning, parent phone call, detention, and/or office referral depending on the behavior!

I (print name) _____ understand the above expectations and will keep a copy of this document in my binder.

Student Signature

Date

Parent Signature

Date