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# Spanish (SPAN) 2002 Intermediate Spanish IV (5) CSU: UC [formerly Spanish 4]

Prerequisite: Successful completion in Spanish 2001 or four years of high school Spanish with a grade of "C" or better

Prerequisite knowledge and skills:

Before entering the course, the student should be able to:

- 1. demonstrate proficiency in the four skills: listening, comprehension, speaking, and reading as defined by the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign languages for the range of Novice high to Intermediate Low,
- 2. understand some Spanish when spoken at a slower than normal pace even though repetition and rewording may be necessary,
- 3. ask and answer questions about predictable and limited topics, with much linguistic inaccuracy, but understood by sympathetic interlocutors,
- 4. write sentences in Spanish about familiar and limited topics relying on practiced material,
- 5. read simple material such as short stories, advertisements, newspaper articles and comprehend most of it with some misunderstandings,
- 6. apply critical thinking in application of rules of Spanish grammar,
- 7. demonstrate knowledge about the Hispanic culture, and

#### Hours and Unit Calculations:

80 hours lecture. 160 Outside of Class Hours. (240 Total Student Learning Hours) 5 Units

Catalog Description: This course continues the study of grammar and reading, including literature. Students are required to spend time with workbook exercises and on-line Yabla activities. C-ID: SPAN 210

Type of Class/Course: Degree Credit

Texts: Jarvis, Ana C., Raquel Lebredo, and Francisco Mena-Ayllon. *Continuemos*. 8<sup>th</sup> ed. Boston: Houghton Mifflin, 2013.

Additional Instructional Materials:

Jarvis, Ana C. and Raquel Lebredo. *Continuemos, Workbook/Laboratory Manual*. 8<sup>th</sup> ed. Boston: Houghton Mifflin, 2013.

Yabla Access Card. 1st. ed. 2015. Software

Course Objectives:



By the end of the course, a successful student will be able to

- 1. demonstrate proficiency in the four skills: listening, comprehension, speaking, and reading as defined by the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign languages for the range of Intermediate Low to Intermediate Mid,
- 2. understand most Spanish when spoken at a slower than normal pace, and some Spanish when spoken at a normal pace,
- 3. ask and answer questions, on topics beyond the most immediate needs and can be understood by sympathetic interlocutors,
- 4. write short paragraphs in Spanish about familiar topics relying on practiced material,
- 5. read simple material such as short stories, advertisements, newspaper articles and comprehend most of it with few misunderstandings,
- 6. apply critical thinking in application of rules of Spanish grammar, and
- 7. demonstrate knowledge about the Hispanic culture.

### Course Scope and Content:

#### Unit I The Working World

- A. Jobs and Interviews
- B. Grammar
  - a. The Imperative: You and You (plural)
  - b. The First-Person Plural Imperative
  - c. The Subjunctive to Express Doubt, Disbelief, and Negation
  - d. The Subjunctive to Express the Indefinite and the Nonexistent
  - e. Expressions that Require the Subjunctive or the Indicative
  - f. Readings: Lectura Periodística, Viñetas culturales, and Rincón literario

#### Unit II People and Places

- A. Description of Places and Personal Characteristics
- B. Grammar
  - a. Imperative: You and you (informal, plural)
  - b. The Participle
  - c. The Present Perfect and the Pluperfect
  - d. Position of Adjectives
  - e. Readings: Lectura periodística, Viñetas culturales, Rincón literario

#### Unit III Music, Painting, Sculpture, and Literature

- A. The World of Musicians, Artists, and Writers
- B. Grammar
  - a. The Future
  - b. The Conditional
  - c. The Future Perfect and the Conditional Perfect
  - d. Gender of Nouns: Special Cases
  - e. Readings: Lectura periodística, Viñetas culturales, and Rincón literario



#### Unit IV Hobbies and Amusement

- A. Outdoor Activites, Sports, and Board Games
- B. Grammar
  - a. The Imperfect Sunjunctive
  - b. The Imperfect Subjunctive in Conditional Sentences
  - c. The Present Perfect Subjunctive
  - d. The Pluperfect Subjunctive
  - e. Readings: Lectura periodísticas, Viñetas culturales, Rincón literario

## Learning Activities Required Outside of Class:

The students in this class will spend a minimum of 10 hours per week outside of the regular class time doing the following:

- 1. Studying
- 2. Answering questions
- 3. Skill practice
- 4. Required reading
- 5. Written work
- 6. Completing the workbook assignments
- 7. Completing on-line Yabla activities

#### Methods of Instruction:

- 1. Spanish grammar and units of language structure are carefully reviewed by means of a text written in Spanish
- 2. Selected short stories and cultural readings are assigned and discussed in Spanish
- 3. Specific text and periodical material embodying areas of Latin-American culture are selected for study; Power Point presentations and films are shown about area under study
- 4. Oral question-and-answer drills based on assigned readings and conversations on subjects meaningful to students are conducted in Spanish
- 5. Acoustic practice is provided with Yabla, Modules, and with the audio that accompanies the workbook
- 6. Student-centered activities
- 7. Students work in groups to create: dialogues, presentations, skits, and projects, and
- 8. Visual aids and games are used to enhance teaching

#### Methods of Evaluation:

- 1. Substantial writing assignments, including:
  - a. written homework, compositions
- 2. Skill demonstrations, including:
  - a. class performance, oral interviews
  - b. class presentations or recorded presentations
  - c. group projects
- 3. Other examinations, including:
  - a. multiple choice
  - b. true/false items



## c. completion

# Supplemental Data:

TOP Code:	110500: Spanish
SAM Priority Code:	E: Non-Occupational
Distance Education:	Online; Offline
Funding Agency:	Y: Not Applicable(funds not used)
Program Status:	1: Program Applicable
Noncredit Category:	Y: Not Applicable, Credit Course
Special Class Status:	N: Course is not a special class
Basic Skills Status:	N: Course is not a basic skills course
Prior to College Level:	Y: Not applicable
Cooperative Work Experience:	N: Is not part of a cooperative work experience education program
Eligible for Credit by Exam:	E: Credit By Exam
Eligible for Pass/No Pass:	C: Pass/No Pass
Taft College General Education:	CSC2: CSU Area C2 IG3B: IGETC Area 3B IG6A: IGETC Area 6A LHUM: Local GE Humanities
Discipline:	Foreign Languages