

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 situation
Students will gain global awareness and respect for other cultures

Text and Materials:

Websites such as: tumblebooks.com, brainpop.com and enchantedlearning.com
Santillana Thematic library
Ole! Ole! Ole! Dr. Jean en español
Jump Start Spanish

Methods of Instruction:

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

Methods of Evaluation:

Class participation
Group activities
Dialogue