Spanish 1 Syllabus

Classroom Information

Classroom Rules	 Be respectful Be responsible Be ready
Daily materials	 Chromebook with charger Spiral Notebook (100+ sheets) Pen/pencil Colored pencils Scissors Glue Sticks
Classroom Procedures	 Arrive before the bell rings Remove Distractions Work diligently Listen, Participate, Learn!
Grading	 Determined based on the number of POINTS you EARN Practice activities, quizzes, tests, notebook checks, projects

Course Information

Course Goals	 Communicate in the target language Connect with other disciplines Understand other cultures Develop insight into the nature of language and culture
Textbook	 Teacher Units Vista Higher Learning Senderos I online learning platform with book and activities

Course Outline

1st 9 weeks	 Class procedures and rules Unit 1: Los Paises Unit 2: El Primer Paso Unit 3: Los Saludos Unit Assessments
2nd 9 weeks	 Unit 4: La escuela Unit 5: La familia Unit Assessments Día de los Muertos with Coco OR The Book of Life movie Selena (observe the extraordinary impact of the life of Selena Quintanilla Perez) and Famoso project

3rd 9 weeks	 Unit 6: Las Actividades Pobre Ana Unit Assessments
4th 9 weeks	 Unit 7: Los Deportes Frida Kahlo (Artist) Unit Assessments Final Exam (cumulative)

Course Discipline

Classroom discipline	Classroom discipline is at the discretion of the teacher, which may range from a warning up to an office referral (pink slip).
Cheating, Lying, and Stealing	 Cheating, lying and stealing are wrong and reflect poorly on your behavior and character. Any reasonable suspicion of cheating will result in zero credit for the assignment.
Absences	 Makeup work is the sole responsibility of the student. All class assignments must be made up when an absence occurs, whether it be excused, unexcused, check in/out, field trip, working in another teacher's class, etc. All make up work must be turned in within the guidelines stated in the Handbook. For multiple consecutive absences (more than 3 days), the teacher and student will meet together to determine a fair due date for make up work.
Missing Assignments	 Missing assignments cannot receive full credit/points. An assignment that is one day late will be marked down by 20%. An assignment that is two days late will not receive any credit for the assignment.
Attendance	See Handbook.