

## Course Overview: SPA 210

<b>Course title:</b> Intermediate Spanish I
<b>Pre-requisites:</b> Two Years of HS Spanish or SPA 111 Or SPA 114 or Consent of Instructor
<b>Number of credits:</b> 3
<b>Catalog course description:</b> Using a multi-media approach, students review and refine skills in Spanish as they continue to learn about the Hispanic world.
<b>Required instructor qualifications:</b> Master's degree in Spanish or an allied field such as Linguistics or Education; college teaching experience preferred
<b>Course's audience and role in Eastern's curriculum:</b> This course counts toward the minors in Spanish and World Languages and is a pre-requisite for courses in the Spanish major.
<b>Learning objectives:</b> By the end of this course, students will be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Understand targeted Spanish spoken at a near normal pace</li><li>• Develop rapport with an individual</li><li>• Ask and answer questions on a variety of specialized topics and narrate present events and past events</li><li>• Read intermediate-level material in Spanish and gain experience in reading materials written for the native speaker</li><li>• Write intermediate Spanish of the same level as their speaking skills</li><li>• Understand the influences and implications of Hispanic/Latine cultures in the community and society</li></ul>
<b>Primary modes of instruction:</b> Students engage in conversations in pairs and small groups as well as giving short presentations. They may complete role-play activities and play educational games. The class also includes reading and listening exercises with longer, accessible texts or dialogue featuring description and narration as well as in-class writing. As the course description suggests, this course should include multimedia components.
<b>Primary modes of assessment:</b> On campus, grades are calculated as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Attendance and participation (20%)</li><li>• Homework (20%)</li><li>• Compositions (10%)</li><li>• Quizzes and Exams, including a cumulative final (50% total)</li></ul>
<b>Other notes for instructors:</b> On campus, instructors use the following textbook but this is not required of courses offered on site at high schools <a href="#"><i>Panorama, Introducción a la lengua española.</i></a>

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