

World Languages Department

In addition to language skills, the World Languages Department curriculum fosters cultural awareness and understanding. Our teachers foster a love of learning and support each individual student as they gain confidence in communicating.

Requirements for Placement into Spanish 1H, 2, and 2H

Placement Exam (español 1 honores)

Goal: Demonstrate that you have successfully learned to:

• talk about what clothes you want to buy	 talk about types of transportation
say what you wear in different seasons	 say what you are going to do
• use tener expressions	• order from a menu
• use stem-changing verbs: e→ie	• use the verb ver , ir a + infinitive
use direct object pronouns	• use stem changing verbs: o → ue
describe places and events in town	 use stem-changing verbs: e→i

Placement Exam (español 2)

Goal: Demonstrate that you have successfully learned to:

- talk about a typical day
- talk about your daily routine while on vacation
- talk about vacation activities
- use present progressive

- talk about what you are doing
- talk about buying souvenirs on vacation
- use reflexive verbs
- use indirect object pronouns
- use demonstrative adjectives

Placement Exam (español 2 honores)

Goal: Demonstrate that you have successfully learned to:

discuss travel preparations	• say where you went and what you did
• talk about clothing, shopping, and personal	 ask for and talk about items at a marketplace
needs	 describe past activities and events
 talk about things you do at an airport 	 express yourself courteously
 say whom things are for 	 ask information questions
 ask how to get around town 	 describe continuing activities in the past
 express opinions on your vacation 	 narrate past events and activities
 talk about buying gifts and souvenirs 	 describe people, places and things
 talk about sporting events and athletes 	 clarify the sequence of events
 discuss ways to stay healthy 	retell events from the past
 point out specific people and things 	 describe early civilizations and their activities
 ask for and give directions 	• discuss your daily routine
• say what you and others are doing right now	 describe the layout of a modern city
or intend to do	