

Newport-Mesa Unified School District
Office of Secondary Curriculum and Instruction
High School Course of Study

Course Title	Spanish 1AB	Course Code	G0307-G0308
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Transcript Title:	Spanish 1AB	Grades Levels:	9-12	Board Adoption Date:	Rewrite 10/29/13
Content Area:	World Language	GPA Scale:	4.0	Date Course Submitted:	10/29/13
Credential Req:		Graduation Subject Areas:	Humanities	Electives	
UC/CSU "A-G" Area Approvals:	E		School Site that wrote and submitted the course:	CDM	
Prerequisite(s):	8 th graders only B or better in Math or English.				
Next course(s):	Spanish 2AB				

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Beginning students will acquire the basic skills necessary to function in a variety of real-life situations they may encounter in Spanish-speaking contexts, interactions, and environments. Students will acquire and develop beginning reading, writing, listening, and speaking skills to communicate information about themselves, others, and relevant experiences. Students will utilize the appropriate vocabulary, linguistic components, and grammatical structures necessary to achieve desired tasks. Throughout the course students will be exposed to the various Spanish- speaking cultures and peoples which will include: Geography, History, Art, Traditions, & Current Events. The class will be conducted increasingly in Spanish. Students are expected to participate in class activities using the target language as the course progresses.

GOALS (Expected performance outcomes for students)

- Develop, understand, and use the written and spoken language in a large range of situations & contexts.
- Express ideas, opinions, and feelings orally and in writing.
- Develop basic reading and analysis skills in the target language (L2).
- Understand and use a variety of linguistic and grammatical structures correctly.
- Develop writing skills through various productive contexts in Spanish.
- Develop and utilize various decoding strategies.
- Develop awareness and become familiar with various Spanish speaking cultures and traditions.