

SPAN 2312: SPANISH IV
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH AND MODERN LANGUAGES
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Course Description

This is a fourth semester Spanish course designed to continue exploration of the language and culture of the Spanish-speaking countries. The students will practice the four language skills (listening/understanding, speaking, reading, and writing) both with the instructor and with classmates. The course materials provide abundant communicative activities along with many form-focused exercises and offer a good variety of authentic cultural materials. Practice may continue beyond the classroom with technology-based materials. National Standards describe the Five C's of Foreign Language Education: Communication, Cultures, Connections, Comparisons, and Communities. Successful students will learn "how, when, and why to say what to whom."

Course Objectives

Upon completing Spanish 2312, students will be able to converse in Spanish when dealing with routine tasks and social situations with an extended vocabulary; handle situations with a complication or an unexpected turn of events; narrate and describe people, situations, and events by using the major time frames (present, past and future); support personal opinions and express abstract ideas; read, comprehend, and begin to summarize more complex texts and discuss the ideas they contain; identify, present, and begin to analyze important features of the target language history and culture (perspectives, practices, products) of the Spanish-speaking world.

Course Outcomes

Upon completion of this course, students should be able to communicate in all 3 modes--interpretive, presentational, interpersonal—at the ACTFL Intermediate mid to high level.

Resources

ACTFL guidelines

<http://www.actfl.org>

<http://www.actfl.org>

Standards

<http://www.actfl.org>

<http://www.vark-learn.com>