

Spanish II covers the five Cs of the ACTFL standard: communication, cultures, connections, comparisons, and communities. The instruction is balanced between the thematic and communicative approaches to learning language.

Leveraging Spanish I concepts, Spanish II students learn to communicate more confidently about themselves and their hopes and fears, as well as about topics beyond their own lives — both in formal and informal situations. Each lesson presents vocabulary, grammar, and culture in context, followed by explanations and exercises. Students expand their vocabulary in cooking, geography, and architecture. Instruction in language structure and grammar includes verb forms, tenses, moods and uses, impersonal constructions, and reported speech. Students deepen their knowledge of Spanish-speaking regions and cultures by learning about history, literature, culture, and contemporary issues. Students also are encouraged to consult materials outside the course, such as Web links, community resources, or other media, to better understand Spanish-speaking culture and people.

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Length: Two semesters

### UNIT 1: WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, AND WHY

- Lesson 1: *Bienvenidos a los Estados Unidos*
- Lesson 2: The Hispanic Influence
- Lesson 3: Journey into Hispanic America
- Lesson 4: Your Life in the United States
- Lesson 5: Who, What, When, Where, and Why Wrap-Up
- Lesson 6: Diagnostic
- Lesson 7: Unit Vocabulary

### UNIT 2: OH, THE PLACES YOU'VE BEEN

- Lesson 1: What Have You Done in Your Life?
- Lesson 2: Where Did the Time Go?
- Lesson 3: The Place Where I Grew Up
- Lesson 4: The Daily Grind (Not the Caffeinated Kind)
- Lesson 5: Oh, the Places You've Been Wrap-Up
- Lesson 6: Diagnostic
- Lesson 7: Unit Vocabulary

### UNIT 3: EAT, DRINK, AND BE ORDERED AROUND

- Lesson 1: Let's Eat!
- Lesson 2: Let's Do Lunch
- Lesson 3: Let's Go Shopping
- Lesson 4: Eating and Shopping
- Lesson 5: Eat, Drink, and Be Ordered Around Wrap-Up
- Lesson 6: Diagnostic
- Lesson 7: Unit Vocabulary

### UNIT 4: THINGS TO KNOW, PLACES TO GO, PEOPLE TO SEE

- Lesson 1: Plans and Preparations for Travel
- Lesson 2: ¡*Buen viaje!*
- Lesson 3: Costumes and Crazyness

- Lesson 4: ¡Regresamos a casa!
- Lesson 5: Things to Know, Places to Go, People to See Wrap-Up
- Lesson 6: Diagnostic
- Lesson 7: Unit Vocabulary

## UNIT 5: SPANISH II SEMESTER 1 REVIEW AND EXAM

- Lesson 1: Spanish II Semester 1

## UNIT 6: ME AND MINE

- Lesson 1: Let Me Introduce Myself
- Lesson 2: Home and Hearth
- Lesson 3: All in the Family Again
- Lesson 4: Love Is . . .
- Lesson 5: Me and Mine Wrap-Up
- Lesson 6: Diagnostic
- Lesson 7: Unit Vocabulary

## UNIT 7: THE CREATIVE PROCESS

- Lesson 1: Writing It Down
- Lesson 2: A Work of Art
- Lesson 3: *Los periódicos y las revistas*
- Lesson 4: TV and Radio News
- Lesson 5: The Creative Process Wrap-Up
- Lesson 6: Diagnostic
- Lesson 7: Unit Vocabulary

## UNIT 8: BIG WIDE WORLD

- Lesson 1: Clean World, Clean Environment
- Lesson 2: Troubled World, Polluted Environment
- Lesson 3: Life and Work in the Big City
- Lesson 4: Accidents Happen
- Lesson 5: Big Wide World Wrap-Up
- Lesson 6: Diagnostic
- Lesson 7: Unit Vocabulary

## UNIT 9: PERFORMING ARTS

- Lesson 1: The Performing Arts
- Lesson 2: A Night at the Opera
- Lesson 3: That's Entertainment!
- Lesson 4: *El cine*
- Lesson 5: Performing Arts Wrap-Up
- Lesson 6: Diagnostic
- Lesson 7: Unit Vocabulary

## UNIT 10: SPANISH II SEMESTER 2 REVIEW AND EXAM

- Lesson 1: Spanish II Semester 2