# WORLD LANGUAGES CURRICULUM K-6 

## SPANISH

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## SPANISH

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## INTRODUCTION

The introduction to the 2009 revised New Jersey Core Curriculum Content Standards for World Languages notes that, "New Jersey citizens are part of a dynamic, interconnected, and technologically driven global society centered on the creation and communication of knowledge and ideas across geographical, cultural, and linguistic borders. Individuals who effectively communicate in more than one language, with an appropriate understanding of cultural contexts, are globally literate and possess the attributes reflected in the mission and vision for world languages that follow:

Mission: The study of another language and culture enables individuals, whether functioning as citizens or workers, to communicate face-to-face and by virtual means in appropriate ways with people from diverse cultures.

Vision: An education in world languages fosters a population that:

- Communicates in more than one language with the levels of language proficiency that are required to function in a variety of occupations and careers in the contemporary workplace.
- Exhibits attitudes, values and skills that indicate a positive disposition and understanding of cultural differences and that enhance cross-cultural communication.
- Values language learning as a global literacy as well as for its long-term worth in fostering personal, work-related, and/or financial success in our increasingly interconnected world.

The number of years spent studying a language and the frequency of instruction impact the level of proficiency acquired in the language...language learners can be expected to move through levels of proficiency at different rates. Students beginning the study of a language in kindergarten in a program that meets a minimum of three times a week for 30 minutes, and continuing that language in subsequent grades in a program that meets the same amount of time, should meet the cumulative progress indicators for the "Novice-High" level* by the end of grade 5."

The World Language Curriculum Committee realized that the time allotted for Spanish instruction at the elementary level falls well below the guidelines suggested above. However, the committee worked diligently to create a curriculum that provides a rich and interesting program for elementary students which will prepare them to reach the "Novice-Mid" proficiency level* by the time they enter the Middle School. To aid in this process, Middle School Spanish teachers developed lists of vocabulary and verbs they felt should be mastered by the end of $6^{\text {th }}$ grade. These lists (on pages $8,16-17$ ), along with accompanying grammar skills, were used in writing this K-6 document. A cumulative benchmark assessment test for $6^{\text {th }}$ graders was developed (pages 24-32) as a way to measure mastery of these skills.

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## SPANISH CURRICULUM

K-3

| Content | VOCABULARY (See complete list of words on page 8.)  <br> Shapes Colors <br> Animals Greetings <br> Days of the week Clothing <br> Months School Supplies <br> Seasons Body parts <br> Weather Family members <br> Numbers(up to 50) Identifying a person or thing |
| :---: | :---: |
| Essential Questions | 1. Why do people from different cultures sometimes say, write, and do things differently from the way I do them? <br> 2. How does Spanish help me understand who I am in the world? <br> 3. Why is it important for me to learn another language? |
| NJCCCS | 7.1, 1.3, 2.1, 2.5, 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 4.2, 5.3, 8.1 |
| Skills/ <br> Proficiencies | Recognize familiar spoken or written words and phrases. (NM.A.1) <br> Demonstrate comprehension of simple oral, and written directions, commands, and requests. (NM.A.2) <br> Identify familiar people, places, and objects. (NM.A.4) <br> Ask and respond to simple questions, make requests and express preferences using memorized words and phrases. (NM.B.4) <br> Exchange information using words, phrases, and short sentences about familiar and cross-curricular topics. (NM.B.5) <br> Imitate, recite and/or dramatize simple rhymes, songs, and skits. (NM.C.2) <br> Copy/write words or phrases on familiar topics. (NM.C.3) <br> Present information orally and in writing. (NM.C.4) <br> (Note: $N M=$ "Novice-Mid" proficiency level.) |
| Suggested Activities | For NM.A.1, A.4, B. 5 (See Skills above.) <br> Recite alphabet chart with associated words at the beginning of class periods. <br> Play games: "Bingo," "7 Up," "Charades," "Simón Dice," "Around the World," <br> "Uno," " Twister," "Duck, Duck Goose" (PE 2.5), "Frío/Caliente," "Who/What <br> Am I?," " I Spy," "Hangman," "Battleship"(Use Smart Board. Technology 8.1), <br> "Memory," card games...) <br> Use flashcards. <br> Do worksheets. <br> Complete word searches. <br> Do crosswords puzzles. <br> (Visual and Performing Arts, 1.3) <br> Sing songs. <br> Listen to music. <br> Do craft projects. <br> Label colors on the color wheel in Spanish. <br> Create a creature. (body parts) <br> (Language Arts Literacy 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5) <br> Read books aloud. <br> Make books. <br> Make a menu. |


| Suggested Activities | Watch and discuss videos and DVD's. <br> Describe clothing. <br> Dress up and identify clothing. <br> Dress according to the weather. <br> Cut out and label shapes. (Math 4.2) <br> Make a birthday chart. <br> Assemble a calendar. <br> Create a family tree. <br> Incorporate vocab words from various content areas into lessons. (Science 5.3, Social Studies 6.1, Health 2.1...) <br> Jump Start Spanish computer software <br> SmartBoard Activities and teacher made activities. (Technology 8.1) <br> For NM.A. 2 (See Skills above.) <br> Children respond to teacher's commands, directions, and requests (Ex. Follow commands to dress up.....). <br> Games: "Simón Dice," "Twister," follow commands to dress up... <br> For NM.B. 4 (See Skills above.) <br> Play "Me gusta/No me gusta" with food items; chart students' responses. Ask and respond to simple questions during morning routine. <br> For NM.C. 2 (See Skills above.) <br> Sing songs; dance. (Visual and Perf. Arts 1.3) <br> Use TPR (total physical response). <br> Play "Charades." <br> Imitate teacher's actions and repeat words/phrases. <br> For NM.C. 3 (See Skills above.) <br> Model teacher's writing examples from board and/or worksheet. <br> Do simple crossword puzzles and word searches. <br> For NM.C. 4 (See Skills above.) <br> Draw a picture and write a caption. <br> Present work orally. <br> Identify objects in the room. <br> Play "I Spy." |
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| Assessments/ <br> Performance Indicators | Teacher observation <br> Projects/Rubrics <br> Oral assessments Question/Answer <br> Class discussion |
| Benchmark Assessment | By the end of Grade 3, students will work towards attaining mastery of K-3 vocabulary based on the frequency and duration of classes held throughout the year. (Ex.: Picture prompts -Teacher gives students a picture and asks them to identify objects in the picture; teachers tells students to color certain objects specific colors...) |

Resources/ Materials

Puzzlemaker.com
Quia.com
Studyspanish.com
Weatherchannel.com
Textbooks/Workbooks
Posters
CD's, Videos, DVD's
Games
Manipulatives (counters, attribute blocks...)
Flashcards
Clothing/Realia
SmartBoard
Jump Start Spanish software
Books
Abuela - Arthur Dorros
Are You My Mother? - P.D. Eastman
Build a Burrito - Denise Vega
Clifford y el Día de Pascua - Norman Bridwell
Contando dos en dos - Suzanne Hardin
Corre, perro, corre - P.D. Eastman
Counting in the Garden - Kim Parker
Cuadros de la familia - Carmen Lomas Garza
Cuenta ratones - Ellen Stoll Walsh
El invierno - Carme Sole Vendrell
El otoño - Carme Sole Vendrell
El Primer Halloween de Clifford - Norman Bridwell
El verano - Carme Sole Vendrell
Froggy se viste - Jonathan London and Frank Remkiewicz
Goodnight Everyone - Jakki Wood and Lone Morton
Hojas vienen, hojas van - Maria Fleming and Melissa Sweet
Huevos verdes con jamón - Dr. Seuss
La Navidad de Clifford - Norman Bridwell
La oruga muy hambrienta - Eric Carle
La pequeña princesa: El tiempo - Tony Ross
La primavera - Asun Balzola
The Legend of the Poinsettia - Tomi DePaola
Mañana, Iguana - Ann Whitford Paul and Ethan Long
Mice and Beans - Pam Munoz Ryan
No me corten el pelo - Hans Wilhelm
Pepita habla dos veces - Ofelia Dumas Lachtman and Alex Pardo Delange
Perro grande, perro pequeño - P.D. Eastman
Say Hola to Spanish - Susan Middleton Elya and Loreta Lopez
Skippy jon Jones in the Doghouse - Judy Schachner
Skippy jon Jones in Mummy Trouble - Judy Schachner
Un día de nieve - Ezra Jack Keats
Un osito para Maddie - Ezra Jack Keats
When I Am: Cuando estoy - Gladys Rosa-Mendoza and Dana Regan
Yagua Days - Cruz Martel
1, 2, 3, Thanksgiving - W. Nikola-Lisa and Robin Kramer

## K-3 VOCABULARY

| Shapes | Animals | La semana | Months | Seasons | Weather | Colors |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| El círculo | El perro | domingo | enero | verano | Hace sol | negro |
| El óvalo | El caballo | lunes | febrero | otoño | Hace frío | azul |
| El rectángulo | El león | martes | marzo | invierno | Hace calor | café |
| El cuadrado | El mono | miércoles | abril | primavera | Hace viento | gris |
| El triángulo | La tortuga | jueves | mayo |  | Está <br> lloviendo | verde |
|  | El oso | viernes | junio |  | Está nevando | anaranjado |
|  | El gato | sábado | julio |  |  | morado |
|  | El conejo | domingo | agosto |  |  | rojo |
|  |  |  | septiembre |  |  | blanco |
|  |  |  | octubre |  |  | amarillo |
|  |  |  | noviembre |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | diciembre |  |  |  |


| School supplies | Body parts | Family members | Identifying a person or thing | Greetings | Clothing |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| La pizarra | El pie | La familia | El amigo | Hola | La chaqueta |  |
| El libro | La pierna | El padre | La amiga | Buenos días | La bufanda |  |
| El escritorio | La cabeza | La madre | La escuela | Buenas tardes | El calcetín |  |
| La goma | La oreja | El/la hijo/a | Grande | Buenas noches | El suéter |  |
| El lápiz | El ojo | $\mathrm{El} / \mathrm{la}$ hermano/a | Pequeño | Adiós | La corbata |  |
| La regla | El pelo | El/la abuelo/a |  | Hasta luego | La blusa |  |
| La profesora | La cabeza | El/la tío/a |  | Hasta mañana | Las botas |  |
| La pluma | La boca | El gato |  | Señor | El abrigo |  |
| El bolígrafo | La nariz | El perro |  | Señora | El vestido |  |
| El cuaderno | La mano |  |  | Señorita | Los guantes |  |
|  |  |  |  | por favor | El sombrero |  |
|  |  |  |  | Gracias | El/Los pantalón/ones |  |
|  |  |  |  | De nada | Los zapatos |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | La falda |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | La camiseta |  |


| Content | CULTURE |
| :---: | :---: |
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| NJCCCS | 7.1, 1.3, 2.1, 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 6.1, 6.2, 6.3 |
| Skills/ <br> Proficiencies | NM.A.1, A.2, A.3, A.4, B.3, B.4, B.5, C.2, C.3, C.4, C. 5 <br> Focus on Spanish-speaking countries to learn about perspectives, practices, and <br> Products. (Social Studies 6.2, 6.3) <br> Use appropriate gestures and intonations (greetings, leave-takings, talking...). <br> Name products. <br> Imitate cultural practices. <br> Identify some important holidays. <br> Describe clothing. <br> Explain daily life. <br> Explain school life. <br> Develop awareness of family traditions. <br> Develop awareness of various musical styles, games, arts, crafts, and folktales. Recognize linguistic differences (alphabet, accents...). <br> (Note: $N M=$ "Novice-Mid" proficiency level.) |
| Suggested Activities | For NM.A.1, A.4, B. 5 (See Skills above.) <br> Recite alphabet chart with associated words at the beginning of class periods. <br> Play games: "Bingo," " 7 Up," "Charades," "Around the World," <br> "Who/What Am I?" "I Spy," "Hangman," "Memory,"...) <br> Use flashcards. <br> Do worksheets. <br> Complete word searches. <br> Do crosswords puzzles. <br> (Visual and Performing Arts, 1.3) <br> Sing songs. <br> Listen to music. <br> Do craft projects. <br> (Language Arts Literacy 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5) <br> Read books aloud. <br> Make books. <br> Make a menu. <br> (Technology 8.1) <br> SmartBoard Activities and teacher made activities. |

## Suggested Activities

Watch and discuss videos and DVD's.
Describe clothing.
Dress up and identify clothing.
Assemble a calendar.
Incorporate vocab words from various content areas into lessons.
(Social Studies 6.1, Health 2.1 ...)

For NM.A.3, B.5, C. 5 (See Skills above.)
(Visual and Performing Arts 1.3)
Create arts and crafts (make sárapes...).
Listen to music.
Dance.
Make posters of realia.
Practice cultural gestures ("ojo"/watch out, "mucho gusto"/shake hands, "ven acá"/come here...).
Have a fiesta with appropriate food and dress.
Create a placemat of foods labeled in Spanish.
Play cultural games (musical chairs...).(Health/PE 2.5)
Sample and label cultural foods.

For NM.A. 2 (See Skills above.)
Children respond to teacher's commands, directions, and requests (Ex. Follow commands to dress up.....).

For NM.B. 4 (See Skills above.)
Play "Me gusta/No me gusta" with cultural food items; chart students' responses. Ask and respond to simple questions during morning routine.

For NM.C. 2 (See Skills above.)
Sing songs; dance. (Visual and Perf. Arts 1.3)
Use TPR (total physical response).
Play "Charades."
Imitate teacher's actions and repeat words/phrases.

For NM.C. 3 (See Skills above.)
Model teacher's writing examples from board and/or worksheet.
Do simple crossword puzzles and word searches.
For NM.C. 4 (See Skills above.)
Draw a picture and write a caption.
Present work orally.
Identify objects in the room.
Play "I Spy."

| Assessments/ <br> Performance <br> Indicators | Teacher observation <br> Projects/rubrics <br> Oral assessments <br> Question/answer <br> Class discussion |
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| Renchmark <br> Assessment <br> Resources/ | By the end of Grade 3, students will work towards developing an understanding of <br> culture in various Spanish-speaking countries based upon the frequency and duration <br> of classes held throughout the year. (Ex.: perform a dance, identify cultural foods, <br> name traditions associated with holidays...). |
|  | Puzzlemaker.com <br> Quia.com <br> Studyspanish.com <br> Weatherchannel.com <br> Textbooks/Workbooks <br> SmartBoard <br> Posters <br> CD's, Videos, DVD's <br> Games <br> Manipulatives (counters, attribute blocks...) |
| Flashcards <br> Clothing/Realia |  |

## SPANISH CURRICULUM

## 4-6

| Subject: World Language | Grade: 4-6 |
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| Content | VOCABULARY (See complete list of words on pages 16-17.)  <br> Shapes Numbers (up to 100) <br> Describing a person Verbs <br> School subjects Teachers and courses <br> Transportation Getting along in the cafe <br> Foods and meals Sports <br> Body parts Sporting events <br> Family members  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Essential Questions | 1. Why is it important for me to learn a language? <br> 2. How are a culture's attitudes, values, and beliefs reflected in its products and its way of life? <br> 3. How can I get better at communicating in another language? |
| NJCCCS | 7.1, 1.2, 2.1, 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 5.5, 6.1, 6.2, 6.3, 8.1 |
| Skills/ <br> Proficiencies | Recognizing familiar spoken or written words and phrases. (NM.A.1) <br> Demonstrate comprehension of simple, oral, and written directions, commands, and requests. (NM.A.2) <br> Give and follow simple, oral, and written directions, commands, and requests. (NM.B.2) Identify familiar people, places, and objects. (NM.A.4) <br> Demonstrate comprehension of brief oral and written messages on familiar topics. (NM.A.5) <br> Use digital tools to exchange basic information about familiar topics. (NM.B.1) Imitate appropriate gestures and intonation during greetings, leave-takings, and daily interactions. (NM.B.3) <br> Ask and respond to simple questions, make requests and express preferences using memorized words and phrases. (NM.B.4) <br> Exchange information using words, phrases, and short sentences about familiar and cross-curricular topics. (NM.B.5) <br> Use basic vocabulary to create a multimedia rich presentation to be shared with an audience. (NM.C.1) <br> Imitate, recite and/or dramatize simple poetry, rhymes, songs, and skits. (NM.C.2) Copy/write words, phrases, or simple guided texts on familiar topics. (NM.C.3) Present information orally and in writing. (NM.C.4) <br> (Note: $N M=$ "Novice-Mid" proficiency level.) |
| Suggested Activities | For NM.A.1, A.4, A.5, B. 2, B. 5 (See Skills above.) <br> Recite alphabet chart with associated words at the beginning of class periods. <br> Play games: "Bingo," " 7 Up," "Charades," "Simon Dice," "Around the World," <br> "Uno," "Twister," "Frio/Caliente," "Who/What Am I?," " I Spy," <br> "Hangman," "Battleship" (Use Smart Board. Technology 8.1), "Memory," card games, "Monopoly," "Jeopardy," "Scrabble"...). |

## Suggested Activities

Use flashcards.
Do worksheets.
Complete word searches.
Do crosswords puzzles.
Create mnemonic devices to help remember words (Ex. Use words as part of pictures ...).

For NM.A.1, A.4, A.5, B.2, B. 5 (See Skills above.)
(Visual and Performing Arts, 1.3)
Sing songs.
Listen to music.
Do craft projects.
(Language Arts Literacy 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5)
Read books aloud.
Make books.
Make a menu.
Do partner/small group activities/skits- Practice: ordering from a menu, visiting the doctor's office, utilizing transportation...

Watch and discuss videos and DVD's.
Incorporate vocab words from various content areas into lessons.
(Science 5.5, Social Studies 6.1, 6.2, 6.3, Health 2.1...)
For NM.A. 2 (See Skills above.)
Children respond to teacher's commands, directions, and requests (Ex. Follow commands to move around the class, make a craft, get around the school/town, follow a recipe.....).
Play games: "Simon Dice," "Twister"...
For NM.B. 1 (See Skills above.) (Technology 8.1)
Design a digital greeting card in Spanish for a friend or family member.
View a Spanish comic strip online. Students read and translate it, then write their own appropriate sentences in the conversation bubbles.
Use MapQuest, WeatherChannel or other web resources to research Spanishspeaking countries.

For NM.B. 3 (See Skills above.)
Inform students about various cultural gestures (watch out/index finger to the eye, kiss on the cheek...).

For NM.B. 4 (See Skills above.)
Play "Me gusta/No me gusta" with food items; chart students' responses.
Ask and respond to simple questions during morning routine.
For NM.C. 1 (See Skills above.) (Technology 8.1)
Create a Powerpoint vocabulary slideshow using words, pictures, and/or sounds.
Create a web using Inspiration or Mind-mapping software.

| Suggested Activities | For NM.C. 2 (See Skills above.) <br> Sing songs; dance, if appropriate. (Visual and Perf. Arts 1.3) <br> Model a skit after a simple Spanish book like Mañana, Iguana. (Vis.\&Perf. Arts 1.3) <br> Use TPR (total physical response) <br> Play "Charades." <br> Imitate teacher's actions and repeat words/phrases. <br> Repeat tongue twisters. <br> For NM.C. 3 (See Skills above.) <br> Model teacher's writing examples from board and/or worksheet. <br> Do simple crossword puzzles and word searches. <br> Design a greeting card in Spanish for a friend or family member. <br> For NM. C. 4 (See Skills above.) <br> (Language Arts Literacy 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5) <br> Draw a picture and write a caption. <br> Present work orally. <br> Learn how to use a Spanish/English dictionary. <br> Research and present a favorite sport. (Health/PE 2.5) <br> Watch Goldilocks (Professor Parrot video) in Spanish; then listen to the story read aloud. Students mimic actions from the story and create pictures and captions in a nine block storyboard to summarize the story. (Visual and Perf. Arts 1.3) <br> Identify objects in the room. <br> Play "I Spy." <br> Pack a suitcase appropriate for a particular destination(weather/clothing). <br> In an Olympic year, choose a Spanish-speaking country's sports team, and follow its progress. (Health/PE 2.5, Social Studies 6.2) |
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| Assessments/ <br> Performance Indicators | Tests Oral assessments <br> Quizzes Written assessments <br> Teacher observation Question/answer <br> Projects/rubrics Class discussion |
| Benchmark Assessment | By the end of Grade 6, students will demonstrate proficiency in Spanish vocabulary by attaining a passing grade on the Cumulative $6{ }^{\text {th }}$ Grade Benchmark Assessment (See pages 24-32.). |
| Resources/ Materials | Puzzlemaker.com <br> Quia.com <br> Enchantedlearning.com <br> Studyspanish.com <br> Weatherchannel.com <br> Mapquest.com <br> Textbooks/workbook <br> CIA World Factbook <br> Posters <br> CD's, videos, DVD's <br> Games <br> Manipulatives (counters, attribute blocks...) <br> Flashcards <br> Clothing <br> Realia |

## 4-6 VOCABULARY AND VERBS

| Shapes | Transportation | Identifying School Subjects | Body Parts |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| El cono | El avión | Las ciencias | La rodilla |
| La media luna | La bicicleta | Las matemáticas | El brazo |
| El rombo | El barco | Las ciencias sociales | La barba |
| El octágono | El autobús | Las lenguas | La oreja |
|  | El coche | La música | El cuello |
|  | El helicóptero | El arte | Los dientes |
|  | La motocicleta |  | La lengua |
|  | El tren |  | El tobillo |
|  | El camión |  | El brazo |
|  |  |  | El codo |
|  |  |  | El dedo |
|  |  |  | El hombro |
|  |  |  | El estómago |


| Identifying sports | Describing a <br> sporting event | Getting along <br> in the café | Family members |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| El fútbol | El estadio | El café | Los parientes |
| El béisbol | El/la espectador/a | La mesa | El esposo |
| El basquétbol | El campo | El/la mesero/a | El marido |
| El baloncesto | La cancha | El/la camarero/a | La esposa |
| El boxeo | El partido | El menú | La mujer |
| El ciclismo | El/la jugador/a | El orden | El/la nieto/a |
| El patinaje | El equipo | La cuenta | El/la sobrino/a |
| El esquí |  | Libre | El/la primo/a |
| La natación |  |  |  |
| El tenis |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| Describing Teachers |  |  |  |
| and courses |  |  |  |
| La alumna |  |  |  |
| El alumno |  |  |  |
| Inteligente |  |  |  |
| Aburrido |  |  |  |
| Fácil |  |  |  |
| Difícil |  |  |  |
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| Spanish Verbs (Translations Only) | Identifying foods and meals | Describing a person |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Buscar | Los vegetales | Alto |  |
| Mirar | Los guisantes | Bajo |  |
| Comprar | Las habichuelas | Guapo |  |
| Pagar | Los frijoles | Bonito |  |
| Hablar | Las zanahorias | Lindo |  |
| Trabajar | Las papas | Feo |  |
| Llegar | La lechuga | Moreno |  |
| Cantar | Las frutas | Rubio |  |
| Leer | Las naranjas | Flaco |  |
| Comer | Las manzanas | Gordo |  |
| Beber | Los plátanos | Gracioso |  |
| Vender | Los tomates | Cómico |  |
| Perder | La carne | Serio |  |
| Ganar | El bistec | Ambicioso |  |
| Jugar | Los mariscos | Perezoso |  |
| Correr | El pescado | Bueno |  |
| Devolver | El pollo | Fantástico |  |
| Subir | El huevo | Tímido |  |
| Empezar | El atún | Sincero |  |
| Tirar | El arroz | Honesto |  |
| Gustar | El desayuno | Generoso |  |
| Poder | El almuerzo | Simpático |  |
| Querer | La cena | Joven |  |
| Creer | El pastel | Viejo |  |
|  | Las frutas | Anciano |  |
|  | El helado |  |  |
|  | El agua |  |  |
|  | El pollo |  |  |
|  | La leche |  |  |
|  | Las tortillas |  |  |
|  | La ensalada |  |  |
|  | El azúcar |  |  |
|  | El tomate |  |  |


| Content | GRAMMAR |
| :---: | :---: |
| Essential Questions | 1. Why is it important for me to learn a language? <br> 2. How are a culture's attitudes, values, and beliefs reflected in its products and its way of life? <br> 3. How can I get better at communicating in another language? |
| NJCCCS | 7.1, 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5 |
| Skills/ <br> Proficiencies | NM.A.1, A.2, A.4, A.5, B.1, B.2, B.4, B.5, C.1, C.2, C.3, C. 4 <br> Identify and utilize appropriate subject pronouns. <br> Understand the difference between "tú" and "usted." <br> Demonstrate proper word order. <br> Recognize and identify the gender and number of nouns. <br> Recognize that adjectives agree with nouns in gender and number; appropriately use adjectives (adjective agreement). <br> Identify and correctly use the five question words. <br> Correctly use punctuation and accent marks. <br> Recognize and correctly use articles (definite and indefinite). <br> Demonstrate an understanding of basic verbs. (See list on page 16.) <br> Understand the difference between "ser" and "estar." <br> Recognize that there are different verb conjugations (present tense only). <br> Recognize "tener" and "tener expressions." <br> Ask and respond to preference questions (Me gusta/No me gusta). Correctly use "hay." |

(Note: $N M=$ "Novice-Mid" proficiency level.)

## Suggested Activities

Ask and answer questions.
Do pair/share and other small group activities.
Visit learning centers.
Conduct surveys (food, clothing...).
Develop personal profiles (Show likes and dislikes regarding sports, foods, activities...).
Play games ("Around the World," use game show formats like "Jeopardy,""Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?"...).
Use flashcards.
Do worksheets.
Do cloze activities.
Use graphic organizers.
Ask/answer questions during the morning routine.

| Suggested Activities | (Language Arts Literacy 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5) <br> Write short paragraphs/stories on familiar topics. <br> Participate in oral conversations. <br> Play "Charades" using "tener expressions." <br> Read books. <br> Create a simple children's book to share with a lower grade. <br> Make a singular/plural chart <br> Compare and contrast Spanish and English grammar lessons. Write a caption for given pictures. <br> Read translations. |
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| Assessments/ <br> Performance Indicators | Tests Oral assessments <br> Quizzes Written assessments <br> Teacher observation Question/answer <br> Projects/rubrics Class discussion |
| Benchmark Assessment | By the end of Grade 6, students will demonstrate proficiency in Spanish grammar by attaining a passing grade on the Cumulative $6^{\text {th }}$ Grade Benchmark Assessment (See pages 24-32). |
| Resources/ Materials | Quia.com <br> Enchantedlearning.com <br> Studyspanish.com <br> Textbooks <br> Workbooks <br> Posters <br> Videos, DVDs <br> Games <br> Flashcards <br> Books <br> Amigos en la selva - John Winskill <br> Huggly va a la escuela - Todd Arnold <br> La maestra del pántano negro - Mike Thaler <br> Los tres osos - Hanna Hutchinson <br> Mi abuelita - Cecilia Avalos |


| Subject: World Language | Grade: 4-6 |
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| Content | CULTURE |
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| NJCCCS | 7.1, 1.3, 2.1, 2.5, 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 6.2, 6.3, 8.1 |
| Skills/ <br> Proficiencies | NM.A.1, A.2, A.3, A.4, A.5, B.1, B.2, B.3, B.4, B.5, C.1, C.2, C.3, C.4, C. 5 <br> Focus on Spanish-speaking countries to learn about perspectives, practices, and products: (Social Studies 6.2, 6.2) <br> Use appropriate gestures and intonations (greetings, leave-takings, talking...). <br> Name products. <br> Imitate cultural practices. <br> Identify some important holidays. <br> Describe clothing. <br> Explain daily life. <br> Explain school life. <br> Develop awareness of family traditions. <br> Develop awareness of various musical styles, games, arts, crafts, and folktales. Recognize linguistic differences (alphabet, accents...). <br> (Note: $N M=$ "Novice-Mid" proficiency level.) |
| Suggested Activities | For NM.A.1, A.4, A.5, B.2, B. 5 (See Skills above.) <br> Recite alphabet chart with associated words at the beginning of class periods. <br> Play games: "Bingo," " 7 Up," "Charades," "Around the World," <br> "Who/What Am I?," " I Spy," <br> "Hangman," "Memory," <br> "Jeopardy," ...). <br> Use flashcards. <br> Do worksheets. <br> Complete word searches. <br> Do crosswords puzzles. <br> Create mnemonic devices to help remember words (Ex. Use words as part of pictures ...). |

## Suggested Activities

(Visual and Performing Arts, 1.3)
Sing songs.
Listen to music.
Do craft projects.
(Language Arts Literacy 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5)
Read books aloud.
Make books.
Make a menu.
Do partner/small group activities/skits- Practice: ordering from a menu, visiting the doctor's office, utilizing transportation...

Watch and discuss videos and DVD's.
Incorporate vocabulary words from various content areas into lessons.
(Social Studies 6.1,6.2 ,6.3, Health 2.1...)

For NM.A.3, B.5, C. 5 (See Skills above.)
(Visual and Performing Arts, 1.3)
Create arts and crafts (make sárapes...).
Listen to music.
Dance.
Make posters of realia.
Practice cultural gestures ("ojo"/watch out, "mucho gusto"/shake hands, "ven acá"/come here...).
Have a fiesta with appropriate food and dress.
Create a placemat of foods labeled in Spanish.
Play cultural games (musical chairs...).(Health/PE 2.5)
Sample and label cultural foods.

For NM.A. 2 (See Skills above.)
Children respond to teacher's commands, directions, and requests (Ex. Follow commands to move around the class, make a craft, get around the school/town, follow a recipe.....).

For NM.B. 1 (See Skills above.) (Technology 8.1)
Design a digital greeting card in Spanish for a friend or family member.
View a Spanish comic strip online. Students read and translate it, then write their own appropriate sentences in the conversation bubbles.
Use Map Quest, Weather Channel or other web resources to research Spanishspeaking countries.

For NM.B. 3 (See Skills above.)
Practice cultural gestures ("ojo"/watch out, "mucho gusto"/shake hands, "ven acá"/come here...).

| Suggested Activities | For NM.B. 4 (See Skills above.) <br> Play "Me gusta/No me gusta" with food items; chart students' responses. <br> Ask and respond to simple questions during morning routine. <br> For NM.C. 1 (See Skills above.) (Technology 8.1) <br> Create a PowerPoint cultural slideshow using words, pictures, and/or sounds. <br> Create a cultural web using Inspiration or Mind-mapping software. <br> For NM.C. 2 (See Skills above.) <br> Sing songs; dance. (Visual and Perf. Arts 1.3) <br> Create a skit based upon a Spanish folktale. (Vis. \& Perf. Arts 1.3) <br> Use TPR (total physical response) <br> Play "Charades." <br> Imitate teacher's actions and repeat words/phrases. <br> Repeat tongue twisters. <br> For NM.C. 3 (See Skills above.) <br> Model teacher's writing examples from board and/or worksheet. <br> Do simple crossword puzzles and word searches. <br> Design a greeting card in Spanish for a friend or family member. <br> For NM. C. 4 (See Skills above.) <br> (Language Arts Literacy 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5) <br> Draw a picture and write a caption. <br> Present work orally. <br> Learn how to use a Spanish/English dictionary. <br> Research and present a favorite sport. (Health/PE 2.5) <br> Identify realia. <br> Play "I Spy." <br> Pack a suitcase appropriate for a particular destination (weather/clothing). Compare and contrast an American sport with a sport from a Spanish-speaking Country. (Health/PE 2.5, Social Studies 6.2) |
| :---: | :---: |
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|  | Books <br> Adelita - Tomie dePaola <br> Celebrating Cinco de Mayo - Sandi Hill <br> Day of the Dead - Tony Johnston and Jeanette Winter <br> El Día de los Muertos - Mary Dodson Wade <br> La Tortillería - Gary Paulson <br> Mi abuelita - Cecilia Avalos <br> Mice and Beans - Pam Munoz Ryan <br> Navidad Latinoamericana - Charito Calvachi Wakefield <br> The Night of the Posadas - Tomi dePaola <br> Nine Days to Christmas: A Story of Mexico - Marie Hall Ets and Aurora Labastida <br> On the Pampas - Maria Cristina Brusca <br> Pablo Remembers - George Ancona <br> The Piñata Maker - George Ancona <br> The Spirit of Tío Fernando - Janice Levy |

# $6^{\text {th }}$ Grade Cumulative Benchmark Assessment 

Name $\qquad$ Final Score $\qquad$

## CULTURE

$\qquad$ (10) A - Countries
$\qquad$ (1) B - Holidays

VOCABULARY
$\qquad$ (10) A - Food
$\qquad$ (10) B - Adjectives
$\qquad$ (10) C - Body parts
$\qquad$ (9) D - Paragraph

GRAMMAR
$\qquad$ (10) A - "The"
$\qquad$ (5) B - Question words
$\qquad$ (10) C - Create a sentence
$\qquad$ (15) D - Verb matching
$\qquad$ (10) E - "Estar"

## CULTURE - Part A (10 points)

Circle 10 Spanish-speaking countries from the list below.

| Mexico | Bolivia |
| :--- | :--- |
| United Kingdom | Spain |
| Canada | Cuba |
| Argentina | Colombia |
| Ecuador | Paraguay |
| China | Uruguay |
| Peru | Portugal |
| New Zealand | Egypt |
| Tanzania | Greece |
| Chile | Italy |
| Venezuela | Dominican Republic |

## CULTURE - Part B (1 point)

Choose the correct answer by writing the letter on the line.
$\qquad$ Which of the following holidays is most like Halloween?
A. La Navidad
B. Día de los Muertos
C. El Cinco de Mayo
D. Año Nuevo

## VOCABULARY - Part A (10 points)

Match the Spanish foods in Column A with their English names in Column B by writing the correct letter on the line.

Column A
el plátano
$\qquad$
-
la fruta
el queso
la leche
la papa
la naranja
el pollo
el pan
el huevo
el arroz

Column B
A. rice
B. milk
C. egg
D. banana
E. potato
F. orange
G. bread
H. fruit
I. cheese
J. chicken

## VOCABULARY - Part B (10 points)

Write a description of a friend using an adjective in Spanish. You may use words from the list below to help you. Make sure the adjective agrees with the noun.

| tall | short | thin | fat | pretty |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| ugly | blonde | brunette | fantastic | handsome |

Mi amigo es $\qquad$ .

Mi amiga es $\qquad$ .

Mi amigo es $\qquad$ .

Mi amiga es $\qquad$ .

Mi amigo es $\qquad$ .

## VOCABULARY - Part C (10 points)

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Label the body parts in Spanish by writing the correct number on the line.

| 1 - la rodilla | $2-$ el brazo | $3-$ la oreja | $4-$ la boca | $5-$ los ojos |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 6 - el codo | $7-$ el dedo | $8-$ el hombro | $9-$ el estómago | $10-$ el pie |



## VOCABULARY - Part D (9 points)

$\qquad$
Read the following paragraph and fill in the blanks with the Spanish form of the word in parentheses.

Pablo is a (STUDENT) $\qquad$ at the San Juan Elementary

School. His home is five miles from the school, so he has to ride the (BUS) $\qquad$ to get there. There are thirty students in his (CLASS) $\qquad$ . Since he loves
$\qquad$ , (SPANISH) $\qquad$
is his favorite subject. His least favorite subject is (MUSIC)
because he does not like (TO SING) $\qquad$ .

During recess, Pablo and his friends like (TO PLAY) $\qquad$
(NAME ANY SPORT)
$\qquad$

Fill in the blank with the Spanish word for "the."

| Choose "El" or "La." | Choose "Los" or "Las." |
| :---: | :---: |
| mesa | perros |
| libro | sillas |
| motocicleta | primos |
| barco | hermanos |
| regla | tortillas |

## GRAMMAR - Part B (5 points)

Complete the following questions by writing the appropriate question word in the blank.

| Quién Cómo Dónde Cuándo Qué |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| $i \ldots$ | está Waldo? Waldo está en la escuela. |
| $i \ldots$ | vas al cine? Voy al cine el miércoles. |
| $i \ldots$ | estás? Estoy muy bien, gracias. |
| $i \ldots$ | es su profesora? Mi profesora es Señora Gómez. |
| $i \quad$ hora es? Son las tres y cuarto. |  |

## GRAMMAR - Part C (10 points)

Write 5 sentences using words from each group.

| Group 1 | Group 2 |
| :--- | :--- |
| pintas | la computadora. |
| estudiamos | en la clase de arte. |
| mira | mucho. |
| canto | la televisión. |
| usa | en la escuela. |

1. Michael $\qquad$
2. Yo
$\qquad$
3. Usted $\qquad$
4. Tú $\qquad$
5. Nosotros $\qquad$

GRAMMAR - Part D (15 points) $\qquad$
Match the Spanish verbs from Column A with the English translation from Column B by writing the correct letter on the line.

Column A

## Column B

A. to look
B. to speak
C. to run
D. to want
E. to like
F. to play
G. to drink
H. to search
I. to sing
J. to work
K. to read
L. to eat
M. to buy
N. to begin
O. to go up

## GRAMMAR - Part E (10 points)

Fill in the blank with the correct version of the verb "estar." Use words from the list below.

## estar



Yo $\qquad$ feliz.

María $\qquad$ muy cansada.

Nosotros $\qquad$ tarde.

Tú $\qquad$ enojado.

Yo $\qquad$ enfermo.

Ud. $\qquad$ asustado.

José, Juan, y yo $\qquad$ listos para salir.

Tú $\qquad$ nervioso.

Ud. $\qquad$ serio hoy.

Él $\qquad$ triste.

## OVERVIEW OF THE 2009 NJCCCS

## VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS

1.1 The Creative Process
1.2 History of the Arts and Culture
1.3 Performance
1.4 Aesthetic Responses and Critique Methodologies

## HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION

2.1 Wellness
2.2 Integrated Skills
2.3 Drugs and Medicine
2.4 Human Relationships and Sexuality
2.5 Motor Skill Development
2.6 Fitness

LANGUAGE ARTS LITERACY (2004 Standards)
3.1 Reading
3.2 Writing
3.3 Speaking
3.4 Listening
3.5 Viewing and Media Literacy

MATHEMATICS (2004 Standards)
4.1 Number and Numerical Operations
4.2 Geometry and Measurement
4.3 Patterns and Algebra
4.4 Data Analysis
4.5 Mathematical Processes

## SCIENCE

5.1 Science Practices
5.2 Physical Science
5.3 Life Science
5.4 Earth Systems Science

## SOCIAL STUDIES

6.1 US History: America in the World
6.2 World History/Global Studies (Grades 5-12 only)
6.3 Active Citizenship in the $21^{\text {st }}$ Century

## WORLD LANGUAGES

7.1 World Languages

## TECHNOLOGY

8.1 Educational Technology
8.2 Technology Education, Engineering, and Design

## $21^{\text {ST }}$ CENTURY LIFE AND CAREERS

$9.121^{\text {st }}$ Century Life and Career Skills
9.2 Personal Financial Literacy
9.3 Career Awareness, Exploration, and Preparation
9.4 Career and Technology Education


[^0]:    *Novice-Mid Level - Students communicate using memorized words and phrases to talk about familiar topics related to school, home, and the community.
    *Novice-High Level - Students communicate using words, lists, and simple sentences to ask and answer questions, to handle simple transactions related to everyday life, and to talk about subject matter studied in other classes.

