University of North Texas Department of Spanish Spring 2017

SPAN 2050.005 - Meets MWF - 12:00 - 12:50 P.M. in LANG. 113

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Office Hrs: MWF - 10:00 - 10:50 A.M & Tutorials: TBA

WF - 1:00-1:50 P.M. & by appointment.

REQUIRED MATERIALS

Blitt, Casas and Copple, *Exploraciones* Curso Intermedio 1st edition book with iLrn access card ISBN: 9781285193953

ELIGIBILITY / UNT PREREQUISITE POLICY

This course is designed for students who have passed Spanish 1010, 1020, and 2040 at UNT or the equivalent. For more information, please contact the Department of Spanish in **LANG** 101, 565-2404.

COURSE OBJECTIVES / DESCRIPTION

This is the second semester course of the intermediate level of Spanish in which students will continue to develop their proficiency in the four language skills: listening, speaking, reading, and writing. This course will be student-centered in which a large percentage of class time will be spent practicing the language in pairs and small groups. Outside of class students will both practice and interact through various online activities.

At the end of this course you will be able to:

- Converse about books, music, film, and entertainment
- Discuss work and finances
- Compare and contrast rural and urban life
- Narrate in the past with more accuracy
- Specify future plans and what will have happened by a specific point in time
- Indicate what would happen or would have happened under certain circumstances
- Convey past recommendations, wants, doubts, and emotions
- Express hypothetical situations as well as unplanned events

Evaluation procedure	Weight
Participation	10%
Exams: 2 at 10% each	20%
Final Exam	20%
Quizzes: 10 total	15%
Online Homework	10%
Tasks: 10 total	15%
Oral Interview	10%

PARTICIPATION

Class participation is a vital component to the language learning process. Your level of participation and preparation will be evaluated each class, and you will receive an average score five times during the semester. This grade will be based on the following: attendance/punctuality, preparation for class, level of engagement, and use of Spanish. The following rubric applies to the class:

Level of participation and preparation	Points
Arrives on time, stays the full length of class, and meets the following: comes prepared	9-10 (A)
stays on task and is cooperatively and actively involved in all activities	
attempts to use Spanish as much as possible and willingly volunteers	
Arrives on time, stays the full length of class, and meets the following:	8 (B)
generally comes prepared	
generally stays on task and cooperatively participates in activities	
generally attempts to use Spanish and volunteers	
Arrives late or leaves early and/or:	7 (C)
is not fully prepared	
is not always on task or participating in activities	
infrequently attempts to use Spanish	
Arrives late or leaves early and/or:	6 (D)
comes unprepared	
is frequently off task or not participating in activities	
makes little effort to use Spanish	
Arrives late or leaves early and/or:	1-5 (F)
comes unprepared	
participates little to none in activities	
makes little to no effort to use Spanish	
Is not present	0

ATTENDANCE POLICY

Class attendance is mandatory and essential to your success in learning Spanish. No make-up work will be allowed for unexcused absences. Only those individuals whose absences are authorized by the instructor will be eligible to make up any material missed. Excused absences include the following: illnesses, deaths in the family, religious holidays, and university sponsored activities. For illnesses and deaths, you must provide documentation (physician's statement, obituary, etc.) the first day you return to class in order to be excused. Absences in observance of religious holidays are authorized only if you have notified your instructor in writing within the first 15 days of the semester. For university sponsored activities, you must obtain authorized absence cards from the Dean of Students and present them to your instructor in order for your absences to be excused. Please note that after the 12th absence you may be dropped from the course.

EXAMS

There will be two exams given during the semester. The first will cover chapters 6 and 7. The second will cover chapters 8 and 9. **The listening section of the exams will be administered one class prior to the written sections**. Make-ups of either the listening or the written components are only allowed in the case of excused absences.

FINAL EXAM

The final exam will be comprehensive and will include chapter 10. Please see the Registrar's Exam Schedule at http://registrar.unt.edu/exams/final-exam-schedule for day and time. Please note that the final exam begins with a listening section. Students arriving late may not have the opportunity to take the listening section.

QUIZZES

There will be 10 quizzes assigned and completed during class time. They may or may not be announced and may cover grammar, vocabulary, culture, reading, etc. Make-ups of quizzes are only allowed in the case of excused absences.

ONLINE HOMEWORK

You will be assigned a variety of online activities from both the textbook and the SAM (Student Activities Manual). Your online calendar will show the assignments and their due dates. Late submissions of online activities will not be accepted.

TASKS

Except for the first 2 weeks, the last 2 weeks, and the week following Spring Break, you will complete 1 task weekly to equal a total of 10 for the semester. 10 task options will be offered via the Share It! feature of iLrn. Other task options will include movie viewings/follow up activities and tertulias. See "Tasks Requirement" handout for details.

ORAL INTERVIEW

Toward the end of the semester each student will have a short conversation in Spanish with a classmate covering the communicative functions practiced in class. Orals will be graded on content and detail provided, incorporation of grammatical structures and vocabulary studied throughout the semester, and use of communication strategies.

COURSE POLICIES

On outside help/academic integrity

All assignments should be the student's work only and should reflect the student's level of proficiency. Cheating, plagiarism, and other examples of academic misconduct will be pursued and sanctions will be levied.

On use of technology during class time

While technology will be an important component of this course, class time will be focused on face to face communication and interaction. For this reason, the use of electronic devices will not be allowed during class time unless otherwise indicated by your instructor.

On use of e-mail

Instructors of first and second year Spanish (1010 through 2050) require students to use official UNT Eagle Connect for all communication. This means that your instructor will only respond to e-mail sent by their students from a UNT Eagle Connect address. Likewise, your instructor will only send e-mail to your UNT Eagle Connect address. Information about Eagle Connect can be found at the following Web address: http://eagleconnect.unt.edu/.

On student behavior in the classroom

Student behavior that interferes with an instructor's ability to conduct a class or other students' opportunity to learn is unacceptable and disruptive and will not be tolerated in any instructional forum at UNT. Students engaging in unacceptable behavior will be directed to leave the classroom and the instructor may refer the student to the Center for Student Rights and Responsibilities to consider whether the student's conduct violated the Code of Student Conduct. The university's expectations for student conduct apply to all instructional forums, including university and electronic classroom, labs, discussion groups, field trips, etc. The Code of Student Conduct can be found at www.unt.edu/csrr.

A note on protocol: If you have a problem with anything related to your course (textbook, instructor, testing, etc.), it is your responsibility to discuss the problem first with your instructor. Most problems or misunderstandings can be dealt with effectively and efficiently if the people most directly involved can discuss the problem and communicate honestly with each other.

Intermediate Coordinator: Ms. M. Estes

DISABILITY ACCOMMODATION STATEMENT

The University of North Texas makes reasonable academic accommodation for students with disabilities. Students seeking reasonable accommodation must first register with the Office of Disability Accommodation (ODA) to verify their eligibility. If a disability is verified, the ODA will provide you with a reasonable accommodation letter to be delivered to faculty to begin a private discussion regarding your specific needs in a course. You may request reasonable accommodations at any time, however, ODA notices of reasonable accommodation should be provided as early as possible in the semester to avoid any delay in implementation. Note that students must obtain a new letter of reasonable accommodation for every semester and must meet with each faculty member prior to implementation in each class. Students are strongly encouraged to deliver letters of reasonable accommodation during faculty office hours or by appointment. Faculty members have the authority to ask students to discuss such letters during their designated office hours to protect the privacy of the student. For additional information see the Office of Disability Accommodation website at http://www.unt.edu/oda. You may also contact them by phone at 940.565.4323.

SPANISH 2050.005 SPRING 2017 MWF COURSE CALENDAR

DATE:	TEXTBOOK: Exploraciones curso intermedio	ILRN ONLINE HOMEWORK:	Share it! - TASKS and Other reminders
January: 18 (W)	Introduction to the course	Online homework should be completed several times / week after you study.Short quizzes should be expected.	In the "course content" of Blackboard, find important information including weekly lesson plans and rubrics.
20 (F)	Capítulo 6: Entretenimiento ¡de película! pp 174-181		
23 (M)	Capítulo 6: Entretenimiento ¡de película! pp 182-185		
25 (W)	Capítulo 6: Entretenimiento ¡de película! pp 186-187, 192-193 -		Share it #1 available.
27 (F)	Capítulo 6: Entretenimiento ¡de película! pp 188-191	Weekly iLrn homework due by 11:59 p.m.	
30 (M)	Capítulo 6: Entretenimiento ¡de película! pp 199-201		
February: 1 (W)	Capítulo 6: Entretenimiento;de película! pp TBA		Last day to post Share it #1 Share it#2 available
3 (F)	Capítulo 7: Ganarse la vida pp 210-217	Weekly iLrn homework due by 11:59 p.m.	Comments to Share it #1 or Task 1 due by 11:59 p.m.
			*Participation grade
6 (M)	Capítulo 7: Ganarse la vida pp 218-221		

8 (W)	Capítulo 7: Ganarse la vida pp 222-223, 228-229		Last day to post Share it #2 Share it #3 available
10 (F)	Capítulo 7: Ganarse la vida pp 224-227	Weekly iLrn homework due by 11:59 p.m.	Comments to Share it #2 orTask 2 due by 11:59 p.m.
13 (M)	Capítulo 7: Ganarse la vida pp 230-233		
15 (W)	Capítulo 7: Ganarse la vida pp 230-233		Last day to post Share it #3 Share it#4 available
17 (F)	Capítulo 7: Ganarse la vida pp 235-237	Weekly iLrn homework due by 11:59 p.m.	Comments to Share it #3 or Task 3 due by 11:59 p.m.
20 (M)	Capítulo 7: Ganarse la vida pp TBA		* Participation grade
22 (W)	TBA LISTENING COMPONENT - EXAM #1		Last day to post Share it #4 Share it#5 available
24 (F)	EXAM #1 (Chapters 6 and 7)	Weekly iLrn homework due by 11:59 p.m.	Comments to Share it #4 or Task 4 due by 11:59 p.m.
27 (M)	Capítulo 8: El campo y la ciudad pp 244-251		
March: 1 (W)	Capítulo 8: El campo y la ciudad pp 252-255		Last day to post Share it #5 Share it #6 available
3 (F)	Capítulo 8: El campo y la ciudad pp 256-257, 262-263	Weekly iLrn homework due by 11:59 p.m.	Comments to Share it #5 or Task 5 due by 11:59 p.m.
6 (M)	Capítulo 8: El campo y la ciudad		

	pp 264-267		
8 (W)	Capítulo 8: El campo y la ciudad pp 269-271		Last day to post Share it #6
10 (F)	Capítulo 8: El campo y la ciudad pp TBA	Weekly iLrn homework due by 11:59 p.m.	Comments to Share it #6 or Task 6 due by 11:59 p.m. *Participation grade
13-17	NO CLASS - SPRING BREAK		
20 (M)	Capítulo 9: Sigue el ritmo pp 278-285		
22 (W)	Capítulo 9: Sigue el ritmo pp 286-289		Share it #7 available
24 (F)	Capítulo 9: Sigue el ritmo pp 286-289	Weekly iLrn homework due by 11:59 p.m.	
27 (M)	Capítulo 9: Sigue el ritmo pp 290-291, 296-297		
29 (W)	Capítulo 9: Sigue el ritmo pp 292-295		Last day to post Share it #7 Share it#8 available
31 (F)	Capítulo 9: Sigue el ritmo pp 298-301	Weekly iLrn homework due by 11:59 p.m.	Comments to Share it #7 or Task 7 due by 11:59 p.m. * Participation grade
April: 3 (M)	Capítulo 9: Sigue el ritmo pp 303-305		
5 (W)	Capítulo 9: Sigue el ritmo pp TBA		Last day to post Share it #8 Share it #9 available
7 (F)	TBA LISTENING COMPONENT - EXAM #2	Weekly iLrn homework due by 11:59 p.m.	Comments to Share it #8 or Task 8 due by 11:59 p.m.

10 (M)	EXAM #2 (Chapters 8 and 9)		
12 (W)	Capítulo 10: El mundo literario pp 314-321		Last day to post Share it #9 Share it #10 available
14 (F)	Capítulo 10: El mundo literario pp 322-325	Weekly iLrn homework due by 11:59 p.m.	Comments to Share it # 9 or Task 9 due by 11:59 p.m. * Participation grade
17 (M)	Capítulo 10: El mundo literario pp 326-327, 332- 333		Sign up schedule for Final OPI starting today.
19 (W)	Capítulo 10: El mundo literario pp 328-331		Last day to post Share it #10
21 (F)	Capítulo 10: El mundo literario pp 334-337	Weekly iLrn homework due by 11:59 p.m.	Comments to Share it or Task 10 due by 11:59 p.m.
24 (M)	Capítulo 10: El mundo literario pp 339-341		
26 (W)	Capítulo 10: El mundo literario pp TBA		
28 (F)	Oral Interviews - OPI		
May: 1 (M)	Oral Interviews - OPI		
3 (W)	Review		*Participation grade
5 (F)	Reading Day - No Class		
MAY 10 WEDNESDAY	FINAL EXAM at 10:30 a.m. in LANG. 113		