**Grace Christian School**

**SPANISH 1**

**Syllabus**

**GRADE:** 10 **DATE:** July 30, 2020

**OVERVIEW:** Spanish I is an introductory course in which students develop communication skills in order to communicate with Spanish-speaking people. This course teaches conversation, grammar, listening comprehension, reading and writing. Students also learn about the culture of Spain and Latin America.

**BASIC TEXT(S):** Avancemos Spanish 1. Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Publishing Company, © 2018. Cuaderno de Práctica por Niveles - Level 1. Holt McDougal.

**MAJOR TOPICS AND SKILLS:**

FIRST QUARTER

1. Greet people and say goodbye
2. Introduce yourself and others
3. Ask and say how to spell names
4. Say where you are from
5. Exchange phone numbers
6. Say what day of the week it is
7. Describe the weather
8. Respond to classroom instructions
9. Talk about activities
10. Say what you like and don’t like
11. Subject pronouns and SER
12. DE to describe where you are from
13. GUSTAR with an infinitive
14. Describe yourself and others
15. Identify people and things
16. SER to describe what someone is like
17. Definite and indefinite articles
18. Noun-adjective agreement
19. Talk about daily schedules
20. Ask and tell time
21. Say what you have and have to do
22. Say what you do and how often you do things
23. Verb TENER and TENER QUE
24. Expressions of frequency
25. Present tense of -AR verbs
26. Learn about the culture of Mexico

SECOND QUARTER:

1. Describe classes and classroom objects
2. Say where things are located
3. Say where you are going
4. Talk about how you feel
5. The verb ESTAR
6. Asking questions
7. The verb IR
8. Talk about food and beverages
9. Ask questions
10. Say which foods you like and don’t like
11. Interrogative words
12. GUSTAR with nouns
13. Present tense of -ER and -IR verbs
14. The verb HACER
15. Talk about family
16. Ask and tell ages
17. Express possession
18. Give dates
19. Make comparisons
20. DE to show possession
21. Possessive adjectives
22. Comparatives
23. Talk about the clothes you want to buy
24. Say what you wear in different seasons
25. TENER expressions
26. Stem-changing verbs - E to IE
27. Direct object pronouns
28. Learn about the culture of Puerto Rico and Spain

THIRD QUARTER:

1. Describe places and events in town
2. Talk about types of transportation
3. Say what you are going to do
4. Order from a menu
5. Verbs VER, IR + a + infinitive
6. Stem-changing verbs O to UE and E to I
7. Describe a house and household items
8. Indicate the order of things
9. Describe people and locations
10. SER vs. ESTAR
11. Ordinal numbers
12. Plan a party
13. Talk about chores and responsibilities
14. Tell someone what to do
15. Say what you just did
16. Irregular verb forms
17. Affirmative *tú* commands
18. ACABAR de + infinitive
19. Talk about sports
20. Talk about whom you know
21. Talk about what you know
22. The verb JUGAR
23. Verbs SABER and CONOCER
24. The personal A
25. Learn about the culture of Ecuador and the Dominican Republic

FOURTH QUARTER:

1. Talk about parts of the body
2. Make excuses
3. Say what you did
4. Talk about staying healthy
5. The verb DOLER
6. Preterite of -ar verbs
7. Preterite of -car, -gar, -zar verbs
8. Review: GUSTAR with nouns, O to UE, telling time
9. Talk about technology
10. Talk about a series of events
11. Talk about indefinite or negative situations
12. Preterite of regular -er and -ir verbs
13. Affirmative and negative words
14. Talk on the phone
15. Say where you went and how it was and what you did
16. Extend invitations
17. ¡Qué + adjective!
18. Preterite of IR, SER, and HACER
19. Pronouns after prepositions
20. Talk about a typical day
21. Talk about what you are doing
22. Talk about your daily routine while on vacation
23. Reflexive verbs
24. Present progressive
25. Learn about the culture of Argentina and Costa Rica
26. Talk about buying souvenirs
27. Talk about vacation activities
28. Indirect object pronouns
29. Demonstrative adjectives