**Grace Christian School**

**SPANISH 2**

**Syllabus**

**GRADE:** 11 **DATE:** July 20, 2020

**OVERVIEW:** Spanish 2 is an intermediate course in which students further develop the skills of conversation, grammar, listening comprehension, reading, and writing. Students are able to communicate more fluently with Spanish-speaking people. Students continue to learn about the culture and history of Spain and Latin America.

**BASIC TEXT(S):** Avancemos Spanish 2

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**MAJOR TOPICS AND SKILLS:**

FIRST QUARTER

1. Identify and describe people
2. Talk about likes and dislikes, places to go, things to do and feelings
3. Definite and indefinite articles
4. Verbs SER, TENER, IR, HACER, present tense, stem-changing verbs
5. Agreement between nouns and adjectives
6. Discuss travel preparations and vacations
7. Ask how to get around town and information questions
8. Personal “a”, direct object pronouns, indirect object pronouns
9. Talk about buying gifts and souvenirs
10. Interrogatives
11. Preterite tense of regular and irregular verbs; stem-changing verbs
12. Talk about sporting events and athletes
13. Discuss ways to stay healthy
14. Adverbs with -mente and demonstrative adjectives and pronouns
15. Discuss daily routine and clarify the sequence of events
16. PENSAR + infinitive
17. Reflexive verbs and present progressive
18. Culture of Costa Rica and Argentina

SECOND QUARTER:

1. Talk about clothing, shopping, and personal needs
2. Say whom things are for and express opinions
3. Verbs like GUSTAR
4. Pronouns after prepositions
5. Describe past activities and events
6. Ask for and talk about items at a marketplace courteously
7. HACE + expressions of time
8. Describe continuing activities in the past; narrate past events and activities
9. Past participles as adjectives
10. Preterite and imperfect tenses
11. Describe early civilizations and their activities
12. Describe the layout of a modern city
13. Ask for and give directions
14. Cultures of Mexico and Puerto Rico

THIRD QUARTER:

1. Identify and describe ingredients, talk about food preparations and follow recipes,order meals in a restaurant, talk about meals and dishes, describe food and service
2. Give instructions and make recommendations
3. Adjectives ending in -ísimo
4. Commands
5. Pronoun placement with commands
6. Affirmative and negative words
7. Double object pronouns
8. Tell others what to do and what not to do and make suggestions
9. Talk about movies and their effect
10. Vamos + a + infinitive
11. Make future plans
12. Express hopes and wishes, influence others
13. Extend and respond to invitations
14. Talk about technology
15. Present subjunctive
16. Culture of Spain

FOURTH QUARTER:

1. Discuss school related issues
2. State and respond to opinions
3. Present logical and persuasive arguments
4. Subjunctive with impersonal expressions
5. Impersonal expressions with “haya”
6. Por vs. para
7. Identify and explain relationships
8. Compare personalities, attitudes, and appearance
9. Possessive pronouns
10. Comparatives and superlatives
11. Express what is true and not true
12. Discuss environmental problems and solutions
13. Talk about future actions and events
14. Future tense of regular and irregular verbs
15. Talk about professions
16. Predict future events and people’s actions or reactions
17. Ask and respond to questions
18. Impersonal “SE”
19. Cultures of Ecuador and Dominican Republic