

JAMESTOWN COMMUNITY COLLEGE
State University of New York

INSTITUTIONAL COURSE SYLLABUS

Course Title: Spanish Conversation & Comp I

Course Abbreviation and Number: SPA 2550

Credit Hours: 3

Course Type: Lecture

Course Description: Students will enhance their ability to express themselves verbally in Spanish. Conversations, prepared and spontaneous, will be based on everyday situations and contemporary topics. Spanish grammar is reviewed as needed.

Eligibility: SPA 2510.

General Education Requirements Met

SUNY

World Language

JCC

Cultural Understanding

Student Learning Outcomes:

Students who demonstrate understanding can: perform the following at the novice-mid level:

1. Exhibit basic proficiency in the understanding and use of a world language. [SUNY Gen Ed – World Language]
 2. Demonstrate understanding of cultural similarities and differences and how cultural norms shape each person’s experience of the world. [JCC Gen Ed – Cultural Understanding] [SUNY Gen Ed – World Language]
 3. Demonstrate awareness of systemic global issues and the impact of individual and collective decisions on life around the world. [JCC Gen Ed – Global Perspectives]
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Topics Covered:

- Exploration of global and social justice issues
 1. Immigration
 2. Inequality
 3. Discrimination
 4. Human rights
 5. Poverty
 6. Food accessibility
 7. Climate change
 - Short films, documentaries, articles, literature, intercultural exchanges, infographics, and debate used to explore issues
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Information for Students

- Expectations of Students
 - [Civility Statement](#)
 - [Student Responsibility Statement](#)
 - [Academic Integrity Statement](#)
- [Accessibility Services](#)

Students who require accommodations to complete the requirements and expectations of this course because of a disability must make their accommodation requests to the Accessibility Services Coordinator.
- [Get Help: JCC & Community Resources](#)
- [Emergency Closing Procedures](#)
- Course grade is determined by the instructor based on a combination of factors, including but not limited to, homework, quizzes, exams, projects, and participation. Final course grade can be translated into a grade point value according to the following:

A=4.0	B+=3.5	B=3	C+=2.5	C=2	D+=1.5	D=1	F=0
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- Veterans and active duty military personnel with special circumstances (e.g., upcoming deployments, drill requirements, VA appointments) are welcome and encouraged to communicate these to the instructor.
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Effective Date: Fall 2023