



Bienvenidos a la clase de español!

This course is your next step towards your goal of achieving the Seal of Biliteracy at graduation. The class will have more emphasis on speaking, writing, and using the language as you continue to work on proficiency.

## Areas of Study

### Class Rules:



- Be on Time
- Be prepared
- Be polite
- Be ready to think
- Be open to new ideas
- Be willing to take risks

*Some of the topics we will be discussing throughout the year are:*

1. *Movies/Television*
2. *Sports*
3. *We will be reading La Casa Embrujada*
4. *Art and Music*
5. *Cuba / For Love of Country Movie*
6. *Health*
7. *Relationships*
8. *Social activism/animals/environment*



**Tutoring will be provided on Wednesdays from 3:00 pm to 3:30 pm. (Make sure you let Sra. Sramek know if you are planning to be there)**

for class website go to  
[www.hudson.k12.oh.us](http://www.hudson.k12.oh.us)

for assignments, homeworks, projects,  
additional resources:  
access Google Classroom



I will be using the school's gmail account assigned to each student for classroom communication. Make sure you check it often.

**You will need:**

internet access  
green pen (for self-grading)  
binder for notes and handouts



## POLICIES

- ❖ **CHEATING:** Please note that in addition to copying of homework, tests, quizzes, or projects, the use of Google translator or any other translating service is considered cheating
- ❖ Projects and other non-homework assignments with a specific due date will be accepted a maximum of three days late with a letter grade reduction applied to each late day.
- ❖ **ACTION PLAN:** It is your responsibility to check your grade on a regular basis. If your grade is a D+, you need to make arrangements immediately to meet with me and discuss your course of action to improve your understanding of the material.

## Homework

- At least 15 minutes of vocabulary and grammar study is expected every day.
- There may be additional homework assigned to support the learning in class. *This homework will not be accepted late.* If you are absent check with your partner first to ask about work that was done or assigned. You can then check the missing work folder to pick up any work that was assigned

## ASSESSMENTS / FORMATIVE AND SUMMATIVE

There will be two types of assessments to compute your grade:

- **Formative assessments / 20%.** These are the assessments we will do as you are learning the material. They are a check for student and teacher to see how you are understanding/learning the new concepts. They are homework, classroom work, partner work, and some preliminary quizzes.
- **Summative assessments / 80%.** These are the assessments we will use to show your mastery of the material. They will be used to show what you can do with what you have learned. They will be quizzes, projects and IPAs.

**IPAs:** these are the assessments at the end of the Unit which will have three components: speaking, listening or reading comprehension, and an oral or written presentation