

SYLLABUS
PART I
EDISON COMMUNITY COLLEGE
SPN 221S INTERMEDIATE SPANISH I
3 CREDIT HOURS

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Continuation of beginning Spanish series. Foundational knowledge of the language, stresses fluency, comprehension, and translation. Prerequisite: SPN 122S Beginning Spanish II or demonstrated performance in the indicated area of study.

COURSE GOALS

The student will:

Bloom's Level		Gen Ed Outcomes
3	1. Demonstrate accurate and unambiguous pronunciation.	1,5
3	2. Identify and apply functional vocabulary with emphasis on idioms.	1
1	3. Read with translatable accuracy.	1,5
3	4. Demonstrate the use of vocabulary through listening with responsive capability.	1
5	5. Compose written material with communicative and grammatical accuracy.	1,6
2	6. Translate with publishable accuracy.	1,4,5
3	7. Apply complex structural/grammatical skills.	1
1	8. Examine cultural/historical considerations.	1,4,6

CORE VALUES

The Core Values are a set of principles that guide in creating educational programs and environments at Edison. They include communication, ethics, critical thinking, human diversity, inquiry/respect for learning, and interpersonal skills/teamwork. The goals, objectives, and activities in this course will introduce/reinforce these Core Values whenever appropriate.

TOPIC OUTLINE

1. Interrogative words
2. Present tense: stem-changing verbs o-ue , e-ie e-i and irregular verbs –go, -zco, -cer, -cir
3. Preterit tense: regular verbs and irregular verbs
4. Comparison: inequality / equality / superlative
5. Commands “usted”: regular and irregular verbs
6. Commands “tú”: regular and irregular verbs
7. Present participle (Gerund), present progressive
8. Direct, indirect, and double object pronouns
9. Reflexive verbs with and without object pronouns
10. Future tense and conditional tense: regular and irregular verbs
11. Preterit and imperfect tense combined
12. Past participle of the verbs: regular and irregular
13. Compound tenses: present perfect tense and pluperfect tense
14. Passive voice: simple tenses, compound sentences, and pronoun se
15. Present tense subjunctive / formation and use
16. Irregular in the subjunctive tense
17. Subjunctive with expressions of desire, ignorance, impersonal opinions
18. Verbs and adverbial expressions
19. Idioms and expressions using verbs in specific situations