Spanish

Elementary Spanish is an exploratory introduction to the Spanish culture and language. Students learn the target language in a story-based framework, providing a fun and positive learning experience. Each lesson is taught through an engaging, authentic story that gives students an opportunity to see and hear the language in context. Students will learn foundational skills in listening and speaking along with the introduction of Spanish literacy skills. The courses provide audio and visual stimuli for all learning types and ample opportunity to hear, speak, read, write, and record the language. The courses also provide strategically-based reviews of past learning. The courses are built on connections to an authentic culture of a specific Spanish-speaking region through the arts, celebrations, and traditions of the culture, leading students on the path to becoming global citizens. The courses provide a natural progression of learning through the following language acquisition stages: Preproduction, Early Production, Speech Emergence, and Novice Proficiency.

Introductory–Level 2

Students will be introduced to the Spanish language and its culture. Students will learn beginning skills in listening and speaking with a basic introduction to reading and writing. They will have opportunities to use their new language skills in their community.

Levels 3–5

Students will add to their knowledge of the Spanish language and its culture. Students will increase their proficiency in listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills. They will have opportunities to use their new language skills in their community.

Course Codes

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Course Highlights

- Multi-media Videos and Audio-visual Presentations
- Fun and Interactive Games, Animations, and Slideshows to Encourage Repeated Practice
- Recording and Listening Tool to Support Proper Pronunciation
- Typing Interactive to Encourage Spelling Skills
- Introduction to Grammar Presentations

Course Assessment Tools

- Auto-graded Assessments/Quizzes
- Teacher-graded Assessments/Quizzes
- Interactive Self-checks
- Discussion-based Assessments
- Project-based Assessments
- Written Assessments

For the most up-to-date information, including FLDOE standards, please visit flvs.net/courses.