

**WHAT HIGH SCHOOL
TEACHERS, STUDENTS & PARENTS
NEED TO KNOW ABOUT
COLLEGE-LEVEL SPANISH**

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SESSION OUTLINE

- COURSEWORK**
- CREDIT GUIDELINES**
- BEYOND THE CLASSROOM**
- QUESTIONS**



SPANISH COURSEWORK OFFERED



GRAMMAR AND WRITING

SPAN 4307 - Advanced Grammar/Writing (3)

Special problems in Spanish grammar pertaining to preterit and imperfect, "ser" and "estar"; special verb constructions; subjunctive, definite, indefinite articles; writing styles; vocabulary and idiomatic expressions. Recommended for major and minor.

CULTURE

SPAN 3304 –Introduction to Hispanic Studies

Introduction to Hispanic Studies through the fields of linguistics, literature, culture, and Spanish for the professions.

CULTURE / HISTORY / CIVILIZATION

SPAN 4510 - Spanish American Lit/Civilization (3)

Survey of literary movements and major figures with readings in literature and civilization. Required of majors.

SPAN 4410 - Spanish Lit and Civilization (3)

Survey of literary movements and major figures with readings in literature and civilization. Required of majors.

CINEMA and LITERATURE

SPAN 4564 Hispanic Cinema (3)

Introduction to Hispanic Cinema throughout the Spanish-speaking world.

SPAN 4563 - Hispanic Literature Genres (3)

Hispanic literature; selections from origins to present time; emphasis on textual analysis. Required for majors.

SPANISH FOR BUSINESS

SPAN 4701 - Spanish for Commerce I (3)

Spanish business terminology and correspondence.

SPAN 4702 - Spanish for Commerce II (3)

Business concepts and documents.

SPANISH FOR MEDICAL PROFESSIONS

SPAN 4704 - Spanish for Healthcare (3)

Study of Spanish related to health professions. Students will gain familiarity with written and oral vocabulary for the assessment of Spanish speaking health professionals in a variety of settings.

SPAN 4793 - Spanish for Medical Interpretation (3)

This course will challenge and inform students who want to become medical interpreters. It includes role plays that address many medical specialties; exercises related to ethics, skills and decision-making; graphics with medical terminology lists; and a Spanish-English medical terminology glossary.

SPANISH FOR LEGAL PROFESSIONS

SPAN 4797 Legal Interpreting: Spanish the main goal of this course is to introduce advanced students of Spanish to the theory and practice of legal interpreting. The course will allow students to familiarize themselves with existing certifications, codes of ethics, best practices, technology (interpreting equipment, remote interpreting, and machine translation), modes of interpretation, the legal system and legal vocabulary.

CREDIT GUIDELINES

-DUAL ENROLLMENT

-AP SPANISH

-IB SPANISH

-CLEP

-PLACEMENT EXAMS/ RETRO-ACTIVE CREDIT



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DUAL ENROLLMENT CREDIT

-SPANISH 3 = 1010/1020

-SPANISH 4 = 2010/2020



**3-SPAN 1010/SPAN
1020**

6 CREDITS

**4-SPAN 1010/ SPAN
1020 / SPAN 2010**

9 CREDITS

**5-SPAN 1010/ SPAN
1020 /SPAN 2010/
SPAN 2020**

12 CREDITS



**ADVANCED PLACEMENT
SPANISH scores**

SPANISH

SL5, SL6, HL4 SPAN 1010, 1020 =3,3

SL7, HL5 SPAN 1010, 1020, 2010 =3,3,3

HL6, HL7 SPAN 1010, 1020, 2010, 2020= 3,3,3,3

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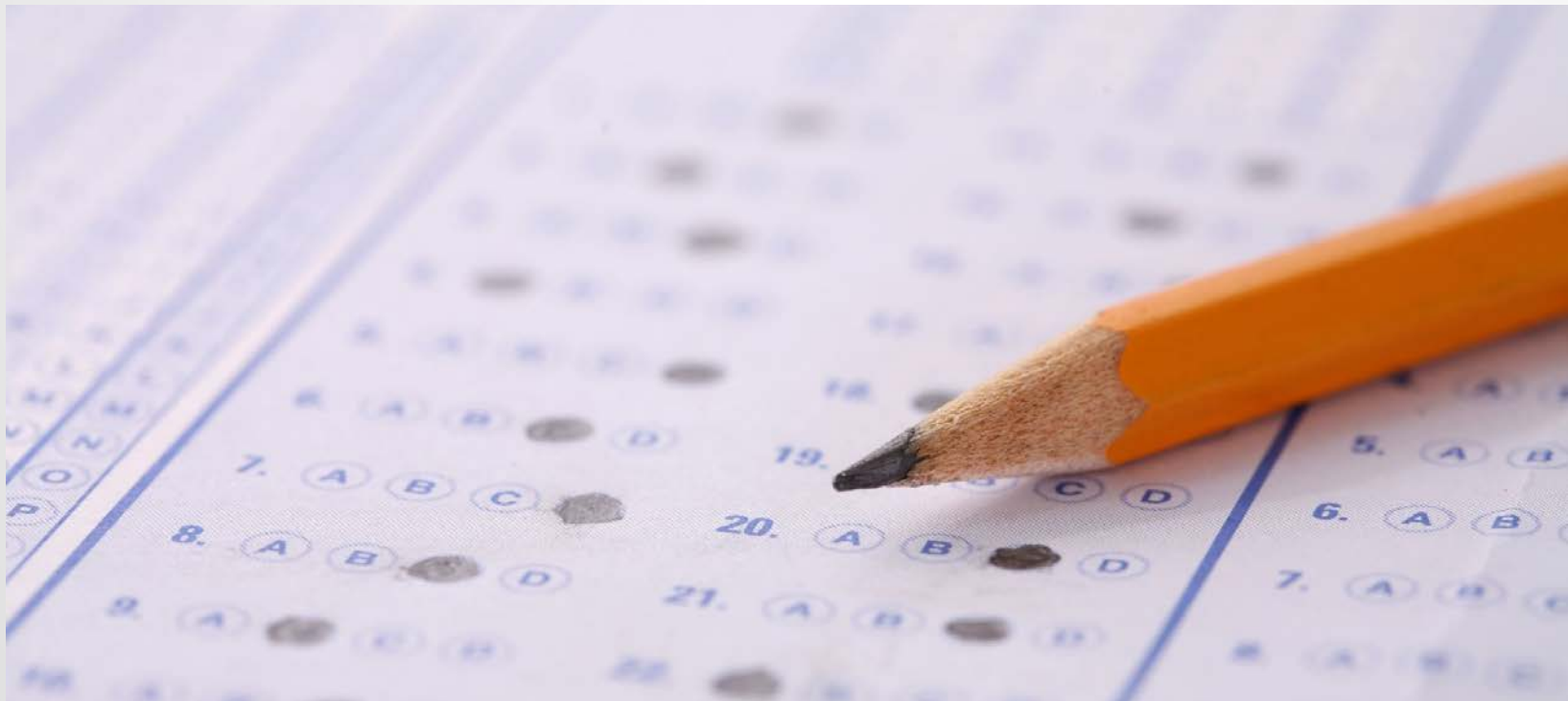
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**International
Baccalaureate
CREDIT**



PLACEMENT EXAMS

FREE 30-MINUTE DEPARTMENTAL ONLINE M/C TEST



PLACE INTO...GET CREDIT FOR...

SPAN 1020...SPAN 1010

SPAN 2010...SPAN 1010 & 1020

SPAN 2020...SPAN 1010 & 1020 & 2010

SPAN 3301...SPAN 1010 & 1020 & 2010 & 2020

**RETROACTIVE
CREDIT**



CLEP **COLLEGE LEVEL EXAM PLACEMENT**



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HERITAGE SPEAKERS

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SPAN 4310 Spanish of Heritage Speakers (3)

Designed for heritage and advanced non-native speakers who need to demonstrate strong skills in speaking and writing in a professional setting, i.e., teaching, business, legal, and other areas where this competence will be required to apply for a job.

BEYOND THE CLASSROOM





Internship Offerings

- **Legal Services**

Latino Memphis
Immigration Law Firm
Community Legal Center

- **Health**

Church Health

- **Arts**

Dixon Gallery & Gardens
Centro Cultural Latino

- **Education**

Shelby County Schools
88.5 Radio
Peer Power

- **Social Services**

Family Safety Center
Kindred Place
Latino Memphis

- **Well-being**

Su Casa Ministries
Hope House



Opportunities Abroad

- Study Abroad: 200+ programs, 60+ countries
 - Complete 2-5 classes abroad towards Spanish Major/Minor
 - Argentina, Colombia, Costa Rica, Chile, Cuba, Ecuador, Mexico, Peru, Spain, Uruguay...
- Internships Abroad
 - professional advantage for the job market
 - development of global skills
- Service Learning Abroad
 - community service engagement
 - non-profits, health clinics, schools, local govt



World Language Department Student Ambassador



Sigma Delta Pi – Honor Society



SPANISH CLUB

FURTHER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES - NALCAP



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