Spanish 4AP Summer Assignments 2021

Grammar Assignments (Computer):

You will need access to a computer with the Internet in order to complete your grammar assignments. If this is a problem, please contact me before the end of the school year so you can get hard copies of the assignments. Do not wait until the last few days of summer, this part is extensive.

To set up an account and complete assignments:

- 1. Go to website: http://www.studyspanish.com/help/free-membership.htm (This is the FREE MEMBERSHIP)
- 2. Go through the instructions to set up a **Free Student Membership** account. Make sure to use your real name when signing up so that I know that the scores belong to you. (Use Teacher ID: **S3FHYC4K**) *If you were previously in Spanish 3CR, I moved your account from Spanish 3 to Spanish 4. You just need to remember your login information.*
- 3. I need to assign you to a class after you have signed up. I check my email almost daily. Wait at least 1-2 days for me to assign you to the correct course, and then you can begin your assignments. If you don't input the teacher ID correctly, I will not be able to assign you to the correct class.
- 4. Log on to your new student account. Click "View Syllabus." I have set one due date during the summer. Click on the highlighted dates in red on the calendar to see your assignments. You only need to complete Test 1 (Mini-test) in the different grammar topics. You may work on other activities to practice, but be sure to click **SUBMIT** so I receive your scores on the tests. You may repeat the tests until you are satisfied with your score. The program submits the highest score only. You are responsible for reviewing these grammar topics before class begins.

Due Date: 11:59PM August 11th (Wednesday before school starts)

(See online syllabus for details.)

No late assignments will be accepted!

Be sure to complete assignments by due dates. You should spread the assignments out more throughout the summer to have a more effective review.

Speaking Assignment:

You will be doing two recordings this summer. They need to be **two minutes each**. You may plan out a response, but do not READ your answer. You will be calling a phone number and leaving voice mail.

Recording #1 – Describe your summer.

Recording #2 - Describe a serious problem in society today and offer a possible solution.

I use Google Voice for recordings in AP Spanish. Call **512-522-0068**. Please save this number in your contacts. You will be using this number throughout the year. For the first recording, please state your name so I can save your number to my contact list in Google Voice to see who future recordings are from.

Grading:

All summer assignments will be added together for your first test and two daily grades. New/transfer students will have through the first two weeks of school to complete the assignments.

Test Grade: 100 Points Possible StudySpanish.com Grammar Assignments

Daily Grade: 100 Points Possible **50 points** – Speaking #1 **50 points** – Speaking #2

If you have any questions or problems, please feel free to email me during the summer. denise_belcik-saarinen@lagovista.txed.net

**Es tan importante que practiquen durante el verano! Tenemos muchas cosas para hacer durante el año escolar en la preparación para el examen AP. No es posible que usemos mucho tiempo al principio del curso para repasar conceptos básicos. También, es importante que usen los recursos disponibles a ti para practicar. Hay canales de televisión y radio en que ustedes pueden escuchar español. ¡No podemos hacer todo en la clase!

¡Buena suerte en sus trabajos! Espero que todos tengan un buen verano.

Sra. Saarinen