

## Curriculum at a Glance

### Spanish 3 Honors

Spanish 3 Honors is a course designed to increase the students' level of proficiency in the four language skill areas of reading, speaking, listening and writing as set forth by the ACTFL (American Council for the Teaching of Foreign Language) guidelines. In order to achieve this goal, students will be encouraged to think critically, creatively and adaptively while working independently and collaboratively on authentic tasks to further expand their knowledge of the target language so that they will be able to communicate effectively in a more highly developed and diverse manner. Students will also work on developing an awareness of several Spanish-speaking cultures by comparing and contrasting them to their own in order to recognize the benefit of communicating in the target language as a way of contributing positively and responsibly to various communities.

Unit Description	Content and/or Skills
<p><b>¿Cómo te expresas a través del arte?</b> <i>(How do you express yourself through art?)</i></p>	<p>Grammar Content:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Present progressive</li> <li>● Present indicative</li> <li>● Pronouns (direct, indirect, reflexive)</li> <li>● The gerund</li> <li>● The “a” personal</li> </ul>
<p><b>Experiencias inolvidables al aire libre</b> <i>(Unforgettable experiences in the outdoors)</i></p>	<p>Grammar Content:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Preterit Tense (regular and irregular)</li> <li>● Imperfect tense</li> <li>● Preterit vs. Imperfect</li> <li>● Possessive adjectives and pronouns</li> </ul>
<p><b>Reportando eventos deportivos</b> <i>(Sports reporting)</i></p>	<p>Grammar Content:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Present perfect</li> <li>● Pluperfect</li> <li>● Past participles</li> <li>● Past participles with Estar</li> <li>● Passive Voice with Ser and past participles</li> </ul>
<p><b>La salud personal</b> <i>(Personal Health)</i></p>	<p>Grammar content:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Commands (informal, formal, plural, nosotros)</li> <li>● The present subjunctive</li> </ul>
<p><b>Las amistades y las relaciones familiares</b> <i>(Friendship and familial relationships)</i></p>	<p>Grammar content:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● The imperfect subjunctive</li> <li>● Por vs. Para</li> <li>● Conditional with “if” clauses</li> </ul>

<p><b>Buscando trabajo y planes para el futuro</b> <i>(Searching for a job and plans for the future)</i></p>	<p>Grammar content:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Present perfect subjunctive</li><li>● Pluperfect subjunctive</li></ul>
<p><b>¿Cuáles son tus derechos y deberes como ciudadano?</b> <i>(What are your rights and responsibilities to your community?)</i></p>	<p>Grammar Content:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Present vs past subjunctive</li></ul>