

¡Bienvenidos a la clase de español 4 AP!

Next year in Spanish class, you will be challenged like never before but also learning and putting together everything you have learned to really immerse yourself in the Spanish language and culture.

Reasons to take Spanish 4 AP and the test next May, 2020:

~Really advance your reading, writing, speaking and listening skills like never before.

~With a 3 or higher on the AP test, a possible minor in Spanish depending on the University you go to, or at least 8-12 credits which can cost \$2400.

~With a 3 or higher on the AP test, you will receive a bilingual certification on your diploma which looks great for future jobs and college applications.

~Immerse yourself in all of the Latin American cultures.

~Have a pen pal in a Latin American country to practice speaking and writing interpersonally.

But it won't come easy! You will have to work and it starts in the summer! It is very difficult to learn and maintain a language only practicing it here and there. It takes consistency. This is why I am giving you this summer packet to practice your Spanish. You should not wait and rush through it in August, rather do two pages per week. It won't take very long since most of it is a review. There is a large correlation between doing this summer packet and passing the AP test at the end of the year.

Your goal for the end of the summer is: I can talk about present, past and future events comfortably with basic vocabulary.

It will also benefit you to do these things as well (and they're a little fun):

~Sign up for my quizlet class- TRHS Spanish 4 AP (my username is profeksotelo) and study all vocabulary sets and verb practices (these go with your packet as well)

~Watch the first ten episodes of one of these telenovelas (once with English subtitles, then with Spanish subtitles)

Rebelde- about a group of rich teenagers going to school in Mexico.

Velvet- a love story between a seamstress and the heir of a fashion empire in Spain.

Or you can watch ten more episodes of Celia.

~Memorize this song- Te perdiste mi amor by Thalía with Prince Royce

~Try to find a person from a Spanish speaking country to practice your Spanish with. Whether a friend you know or someone on social media.

Do these things to prepare you for Spanish 4! These won't take much time from your summer and you might find them intriguing and a little fun! I also encourage you to work with a partner. Copying to get it done doesn't make any sense but copying to learn is totally okay!

This packet is organized in the 6 themes of AP and start with a vocabulary list that will be used and then the grammar review follows.