

Oxford College of Emory University  
Division of Humanities  
Elementary Spanish II (Spanish 102), Spring 2008  
Course Information and Syllabus

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Texts: Puntos de Partida. (Knorre, et al. 7<sup>th</sup> edition)  
Accompanying Cuaderno de práctica (online). 7<sup>th</sup> edition  
Online Laboratory. (Sablo-Yates. 7<sup>th</sup> edition)

COURSE DESCRIPTION: Elementary Spanish II (Spanish 102) is the continuation of the beginning level sequence 101-102, an introduction to the basic skills needed to read, write, speak, and comprehend Spanish.

OBJECTIVES: This course is designed to help students achieve the following:

- to learn basic vocabulary and grammar in Spanish.
- to use vocabulary and grammar in the four basic language skills: speaking, listening, reading and writing.
- to study some of the socio-cultural contexts in which Spanish is used.

GUIDELINES:

- **Assignments:** Students must be prepared and ready to participate in the four major skills—speaking, reading, writing, and listening. Students are to bring completed assignments to class. These are to be completed beforehand, and **late work will not be accepted**
- **Attendance:** Students are required to attend all classes and independent laboratory sessions, and to arrive on time. **Unexcused absences:** A maximum of 3 unexcused absences are allowed. Each unexcused absence beyond this limit will result in the lowering of one point from your final grade and, in turn, affects your participation grade. Chronic tardiness is disruptive to the professor as well as to fellow classmates; therefore, two late arrivals will constitute an absence. **Excused absences:** some absences will be excused if the professor is notified in advance (ie., religious holidays); with written confirmation from a doctor (ie., medical emergency/illness); “extraordinary” circumstances (with written letter from the Dean). Remember that **you are responsible for all material** covered on the day(s) you are absent.
- **Participation:** Students must participate everyday by speaking Spanish and bringing completed homework assignments to class. (Food and drinks are not allowed).

EVALUATION:

**Testing:** There will be four (4) tests, five (5) quizzes, and a final examination. They will cover vocabulary, grammar, and the texts, films, and/or music studied in class, as well as your ability to read and write in the language. **Note: No makeup exams** are allowed.

**Course grade:**

Class participation/assignments/ Presentations	20%
Tests:	40%
Quizzes	20% (lowest quiz grade will be dropped)
Final exam:	20%

**Grade scale:**

100-93=A
92-90=A-
89-87=B+
86-83=B
82-80=B-
79-77=C+
76-73=C
72-70=C-
69-67=D
66-63=D
62-0=F

**Plan de curso:**

**febrero:**

4	repaso--capítulo 10
6	repaso--captítulo 10
7	repaso--capítulo 10
8	<b>Examen 1—capítulo 10</b>
11	capítulo 11
13	capítulo 11
14	capítulo 11 / cultura
15	<b><i>prueba (quiz)</i> capítulo 11</b> , comenzar capítulo 12
18	capítulo 12
20	capítulo 12
21	capítulo 12
22	repaso (capítulos 11 y 12)
25	<b>Examen 2—capítulos 11 y 12</b>
27	capítulo 13
29	capítulo 13

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**marzo:**

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- 3 capítulo 13
- 5 **prueba (quiz) capítulo 13**; comenzar capítulo 14
- 6 cultura

10, 12, 13, 14 Vacaciones de primavera (Oxford College)

17, 19, 20, 22 Work on final presentations\*, which will be an “**anuncio comercial**” (commercial). You will work with your partner(s) to write a rough draft, which will be completed and turned in on the 24<sup>th</sup>. I will be checking the use of vocabulary and grammar (the present subjunctive and the commands will be specially relevant), as well as thoroughness and clarity.

- 24 capítulo 14
- 26 capítulo 14
- 27 capítulo 14 Repaso
- 28 **Examen 3—capítulos 13 y 14**
- 31 capítulo 15

**abril:**

- 2 capítulo 15
- 3 capítulo 15
- 4 **prueba (quiz) capítulo 15**; comenzar capítulo 16
- 7 capítulo 16
- 9 capítulo 16
- 10 **prueba capítulo 16**
- 11 capítulo 16; repaso
- 14 **Examen 4—capítulos 15 y 16**
- 16 capítulo 17
- 17 capítulo 17
- 18 capítulo 17; comenzar capítulo 18
- 21 capítulo 18
- 23 capítulo 18
- 24 **prueba (quiz) 17 y 18**
- 25\* Skits / presentation (Anuncio Comercial)
- 28 Repaso, **last day of class**

**Final Exam: Wednesday, May 7th (2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.)**  
**This syllabus is subject to change**

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