COURSE: Spanish Culture Course GRADE(S): 9-12

UNIT 1: Spanish Speaking Countries

## **NATIONAL STANDARDS:**

- 1.1 Students engage in basic conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and exchange opinions.
- 1.2 Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.
- 1.3 Present information and ideas to an audience.
- 2.1 Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the culture studied.
- 2.2 Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives.
- 3.1 Students reinforce and further their knowledge of other disciplines through the foreign language.
- 3.2 Students acquire and recognize distinctive viewpoints only available through the foreign language.
- 4.1 Students demonstrate understanding of the nature of language through comparisons of the language studied and their own.
- 4.2 Students compare Hispanic culture to the culture of the United States.

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### **UNIT OBJECTIVES:**

SWBAT identify Spanish speaking countries. SWBAT create a timeline of the origin of the Spanish language to the present day. SWBAT identify the expansion of the Spanish language on a world map.

See Appendix A

### **ACTIVITIES:**

Research the origin of the Spanish language. Color and label a world map of the Spanish speaking countries. Label the countries in Spanish.

Create a timeline of the expansion of the Spanish language.

## **RESOURCES:**

Computer lab.
Overhead projector.
World maps.

www.wall-maps.com www.googlemaps.com

## **ASSESSMENTS:**

Timeline. Map.

**REMEDIATION:** Color a world map that is already labeled with the Spanish speaking countries. Identify and write key elements in a partially labeled timeline.

### **ENRICHMENT:**

Choose an individual or an event that contributed to the expansion of the Spanish language.
Research and report about that individual or event.

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UNIT 2: Spain	

### **NATIONAL STANDARDS:**

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STATE STANDARDS
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### **UNIT OBJECTIVES:**

SWBAT identify Spain on a map.

SWBAT identify historical and native cultures and influences.

SWBAT identify various Spanish artists and their works.

SWBAT describe and identify a variety of music rhythms and dance styles.

SWBAT compare Spain's customs, traditions and cuisine with their own.

# **ACTIVITIES:**

Audio presentation of the regional dialects of Spain.

Compare and contrast the customs, traditions and cuisine of Spain.

Visual and/or hand on manipulation with the art of Spain.

Research based activities.

### **RESOURCES:**

Computer lab.
Overhead projector.
World maps.

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## **ASSESSMENTS:**

Presentation of key concepts in this unit. Compare and contrast concepts learned.

**REMEDIATION:** Create a product showing information learned.

**ENRICHMENT:** Create a poem, song or story illustrating information learned.

Choose an individual or an event that contributed to the expansion of the Spanish language. Research and report about that individual or event.

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UNIT 3: Mexico	

## **NATIONAL STANDARDS:**

- 1.1 Students engage in basic conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and exchange opinions.
- 1.2 Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.
- 1.3 Present information and ideas to an audience.
- 2.1 Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the culture studied.
- 2.2 Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives.
- 3.1 Students reinforce and further their knowledge of other disciplines through the foreign language.
- 3.2 Students acquire and recognize distinctive viewpoints only available through the foreign language.
- 4.1 Students demonstrate understanding of the nature of language through comparisons of the language studied and their own.
- 4.2 Students compare the culture of Mexico to the culture of the United States.

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### **UNIT OBJECTIVES:**

SWBAT identify Mexico on a map.

SWBAT identify historical and native cultures and influences.

SWBAT identify various Mexican artists and their works.

SWBAT describe and identify a variety of music rhythms and dance styles.

SWBAT compare Mexico's customs, traditions and cuisine with their own.

# **ACTIVITIES:**

Audio presentation of the regional dialects of Mexico.

Compare and contrast the customs, traditions and cuisine of Mexico.

Visual and/or hand on manipulation with the art of Mexico.

Research based activities.

### **RESOURCES:**

Computer lab.
Overhead projector.
World maps.

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## **ASSESSMENTS:**

Presentation of key concepts in this unit. Compare and contrast concepts learned.

**REMEDIATION:** Create a product showing information learned.

**ENRICHMENT:** Create a poem, song or story illustrating information learned.

Choose an individual or an event that contributed to the expansion of the Spanish language. Research and report about that individual or event.

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UNIT 4: Central America

## **NATIONAL STANDARDS:**

- 1.1 Students engage in basic conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and exchange opinions.
- 1.2 Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.
- 1.3 Present information and ideas to an audience.
- 2.1 Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the culture studied.
- 2.2 Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives.
- 3.1 Students reinforce and further their knowledge of other disciplines through the foreign language.
- 3.2 Students acquire and recognize distinctive viewpoints only available through the foreign language.
- 4.1 Students demonstrate understanding of the nature of language through comparisons of the language studied and their own.
- 4.2 Students compare the culture of the Spanish speaking countries of Central America to the culture of the United States.

STATE STANDARDS:	UNIT OBJECTIVES:
	SWBAT identify the Spanish speaking countries of
	Central America on a map.
	SWBAT identify historical and native cultures and
	influences.
	SWBAT identify various Central American artists
	and their works.

SWBAT describe and identify a variety of music rhythms and dance styles.

SWBAT compare the customs, traditions and cuisine of the Spanish speaking countries of Central America with their own.

### **ACTIVITIES:**

Audio presentation of the regional dialects of Spanish speaking countries of Central America. Compare and contrast the customs, traditions and cuisine of Spanish speaking countries of Central America.

Visual and/or hand on manipulation with the art of Spanish speaking countries of Central America. Research based activities.

## **RESOURCES:**

Computer lab.

Overhead projector.

World maps.

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#### **ASSESSMENTS:**

Presentation of key concepts in this unit. Compare and contrast concepts learned. **REMEDIATION:** Create a product showing

information learned.

**ENRICHMENT:** Create a poem, song or story illustrating information learned.

Choose an individual or an event that contributed to the expansion of the Spanish language. Research and report about that individual or event.

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UNIT 5: South America

## **NATIONAL STANDARDS:**

- 1.1 Students engage in basic conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and exchange opinions.
- 1.2 Students understand and interpret written and spoken language on a variety of topics.
- 1.3 Present information and ideas to an audience.
- 2.1 Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the culture studied.
- 2.2 Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the products and perspectives.
- 3.1 Students reinforce and further their knowledge of other disciplines through the foreign language.
- 3.2 Students acquire and recognize distinctive viewpoints only available through the foreign language.
- 4.1 Students demonstrate understanding of the nature of language through comparisons of the language studied and their own.
- 4.2 Students compare the culture of the Spanish speaking countries of South America to the culture of the United States.

### **UNIT OBJECTIVES:**

SWBAT identify the Spanish speaking countries of South America on a map.

SWBAT identify historical and native cultures and influences.

SWBAT identify various South American artists and their works.

SWBAT describe and identify a variety of music rhythms and dance styles.

SWBAT compare the customs, traditions and cuisine of the Spanish speaking countries of South America with their own.

### **ACTIVITIES:**

Audio presentation of the regional dialects of Spanish speaking countries of South America. Compare and contrast the customs, traditions and cuisine of Spanish speaking countries of South America.

Visual and/or hand on manipulation with the art of Spanish speaking countries of South America. Research based activities.

## **RESOURCES:**

Computer lab.

Overhead projector.

World maps.

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#### **ASSESSMENTS:**

Presentation of key concepts in this unit. Compare and contrast concepts learned. **REMEDIATION:** Create a product showing information learned.

**ENRICHMENT:** Create a poem, song or story illustrating information learned.

Choose an individual or an event that contributed to the expansion of the Spanish language.
Research and report about that individual or event.