

SUMMER ASSIGNMENT

For Students Entering Spanish 3 in August 2011

Objectives:

1. To read three articles from a popular Spanish magazine or local or international Spanish newspaper (see titles on opposite side) that relate to one of the following topics:

- ❖ Body, Health, & Nutrition
- ❖ Childhood & Storytelling
- ❖ Daily Routine
- ❖ Events in the News
- ❖ Food
- ❖ House & Chores
- ❖ Leisure Activities
- ❖ Museum & Theater
- ❖ Travel

2. To fill in the attached chart in Spanish for each of the articles. (Be sure to use your own words, not whole phrases and sentences out of the article.)

3. Select one article that you like the best, then complete the additional information on the chart about why you liked it best. Bring in a copy of that article to class.

4. CHOOSE 1 article to discuss the article in Spanish with your teacher.

Timeline:

- ❖ a copy of your favorite article and the attached chart will be collected on the second day of class.
- ❖ You will be called up one-by-one to talk to your teacher about the article on the same day, while the class is doing a writing sample.
- ❖ Please do not wait to begin your assignment until the last minute or to receive clarification. During the beginning of August, teachers will be busy preparing for the upcoming school year and may not be able to respond to your last minute questions.

Publications/Websites (you are not limited to these publications):
Look in your local grocery and convenient stores or online for the following publications:

- ☐ "El Tiempo Latino" (local Spanish newspaper) <http://www.eltiempolatino.com/>
- ☐ "Washington Hispanic" (local Spanish newspaper) <http://www.washingtonhispanic.com/>
- ☐ <http://www.spanishnewyork.com/spanish-newspapers-in-spanish.html>

(Directory of Spanish newspapers)

- ☐ "People En Español" <http://www.peopleenespanol.com/pespanol/>
- ☐ "Latina" <http://www.latina.com/latina/homepage.jsp>
- ☐ "Vanidades" <http://www.esmas.com/vanidades/>
- ☐ "Cosmopolitan" (en español) <http://www.cosmohispano.com/>
- ☐ <http://espndeportes.espn.go.com/>
- ☐ <http://www.cnn.com/espanol/>

Para practicar más:

You may find the following websites helpful as you prepare for Spanish 3:
<http://my.hrw.com>, www.studyspanish.com

To be successful in Spanish 3 you should be able to:

If you don't have an account create one at www.conjuguemos.com School Id is 44451 add me as your teacher. Practice the following items

- ❖ Conjugate in the present tense (including stem-changing verbs/boot verbs)
- ❖ Conjugate in the preterit and imperfect. Careful with the irregulars...there are lots!
- ❖ Form commands- affirmative (positive) and negative (tú, Ud., Uds.
- ❖ Use indirect and direct object pronouns (special emphasis on verbs like gustar).

NOTE: Be sure you have all of the information that you need to properly cite the article (title, author, date, and source)

INFORMACIÓN SOBRE LOS ARTÍCULOS (Español 3)

NOMBRE _____ **CLASE** _____

	Artículo #1	Artículo #2	Artículo #3
Título del artículo			
Autor(a) del artículo			
Fecha del artículo			
Fuente (source) del artículo			
Tema del artículo (see list of topics)			
¿Qué ocurrió en el artículo?			
¿Cuándo ocurrió?			
¿Dónde ocurrió?			
¿Quién estaba allí?			
¿Por qué ocurrió?			
Me gustó el artículo porque...**			
Fue interesante porque...**			

If you need more space, please use the other side of this paper.

****Only answer these 2 questions for your favorite article, not for all the articles you read.****

Autobiography Video

1. Create a video diary about yourself
2. You must include the following
 - ❖ Your name
 - ❖ Your favorite food and things
 - ❖ Your dislikes or pet-peeves
 - ❖ Your favorite hobbies
 - ❖ Your favorite music or songs
 - ❖ What you did this summer
3. Make your video interesting as well as entertaining
4. Use moviemaker...if you have questions, email klsein@mail.clay.k12.fl.us
5. You must speak in Spanish
6. This assignment is due the first Friday we return. Please bring your video on a thumb drive or cd. You may also upload it to my youtube page...login: klsein72 and pw: OH\$KNIGHT\$.

Things you will need for the 2011-2012

1. Dictionary: Larousse is the preferred dictionary
2. Thumb drive: 4GB...we will be recording and it will ONLY be for this class
3. 3 subject spiral:
4. Notebook paper:
5. Highlighters:
6. 1 Plastic Green Folder with prongs
7. 1 Composition book