Curriculum Framework for Spanish I

School: Delaware Met Curricular Tool: N/A Course: Level H1/Novice Low-Novice Mid

Standards Alignment	Unit Concepts/	Essential Questions/	Assessments
	Big Ideas	Learning Targets	
Unit One: Mucho gusto			
Timeline: 3 weeks			
1.1 Interpersonal Communication-Students	Concepts:	Essential Questions:	Suggested Formative Assessments
introduce themselves and their classmates, name	Greetings	How do students introduce	Interactive Word Wall
objects, places and actions and respond to	Introductions	themselves?	Questioning
commands and questions. Student also express	Alphabet		Journaling
basic likes and dislikes.	Numbers 0-30	How do people from other	Observation of oral discourse
	Spanish-speaking countries &	cultures introduce	
1.3 Presentational Communication- Students	capitals	themselves?	Suggested Summative Assessments
write or tell about products or practice of their own	Days of the week		Vocabulary quizzes
culture or the target language cultures. They use	Weather	Learning Targets:	Oral Presentation
language supported by visual cues such as posters,	Classroom expressions.	Tell about a product or	Rubrics
pictures, props, etc		practice of their own	Self Assessment
	Big Ideas:	culture and compare it to	
2.1 Cultural Practices and Perspectives -Students	Across the globe, people have	a similar product or	
observe, identify and discuss simple patterns of	different concepts of greetings	practice of the targets	
behavior or interaction in various settings such as	and salutations.	culture.	
school, family and the community in the target		Appropriately greet one	
language cultures.		another	
		Introduce themselves to	
		each other and guests	
		who visit the classroom.	
Unit Two: Tiempo con amigos		I	
Timeline: 6 weeks			
1.1 Interpersonal Communication -Students	Concepts:	Essential Questions:	Suggested Formative Assessments
introduce themselves and their classmates, name	Pasttimes	What do students like to do	Interactive Word Wall
objects, places and actions and respond to	Likes/dislikes (gustar + infinitive)	and how does that compare	Questioning
commands and questions. Student also express	Interrogative words	with students from around	Journaling
basic likes and dislikes.	Formal vs. informal you	the globe?	Observation of oral discourse
	Personal prounouns and ser		
1.3 Presentational Communication- Students	Noun/adjective agreement and	Learning Targets:	Suggested Summative Assessments
write or tell about products or practice of their own	placement	Identify pasttimes	Vocabulary quizzes

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culture or the target language cultures. They use language supported by visual cues such as posters, pictures, props, etc	Big Ideas While differences exist due to culture and geography, students around the world share many	8 00 800	Oral Presentation Rubrics Self Assessment
2.1 Cultural Practices and Perspectives - Students observe, identify and discuss simple patterns of behavior or interaction in various settings such as school, family and the community in the target language cultures.	common interests and join in similar activities.		
3.1 Connections to Other Disciplines-Students demonstrate an understanding of the concepts learned in other subjects in the target language, including geographic terms and concepts, historical facts and concepts, mathematical terms and scientific information			
3.2 Access to Information -Students use sources intended for same age speakers of the target language to prepare reports on topics of personal interest or those with which they have limited previous experience.			
4.1 Language Comparisons -Students realize that cognates enhance comprehension of spoken and written language and demonstrate that awareness by identifying commonly occurring cognates in the language they are learning.			
Unit Three: En la escuela- La Vida Universitaria Timeline: 5 weeks	-Model Unit		
1.1 Interpersonal Communication -Students introduce themselves and their classmates, name objects, places and actions and respond to commands and questions. Student also express basic likes and dislikes.	Concepts: Time and schedules Classes and descriptors Student life Irregular verbs (estar, tener, ir) Present tense of regular –ar verbs	Essential Questions: How can students describe their school experience? How do schools compare from culture-to-culture?	Suggested Formative Assessments Interactive Word Wall Questioning Journaling Observation of oral discourse

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1.2 Interpretive Communication - Students comprehend brief, written messages and short personal notes on familiar topics such as family, school events and celebrations. They also comprehend main ideas in oral narratives such as personal anecdote and narratives based on familiar topics. 1.3 Presentational Communication- Students comprehend brief, written messages and short personal notes on familiar topics such as family, school events and celebrations. Students understand the main idea contained in various media 2.1 Cultural Practices and Perspectives - Students observe, identify and discuss simple patterns of behavior or interaction in various settings such as school, family and the community in the target language cultures. 2.2 Cultural Products-Students identify and observe tangible products of the culture such as toys, dress, types of dwelling and foods. 3.2 Access to Information- Students use sources intended for same age speakers of the target language to prepare reports on topics of personal interest or those with which they have limited previous experience. 4.2 Cultural Comparisons-Students speculate on why certain products originate in and/or are important to particular cultures by analyzing selected products from the target cultures and their own. 5.2 Enjoyment/Lifelong Learning-Students use	Big Ideas: Students around the world share similar schooling experiences although differences exist due to geography, resources, and culture.	Learning Targets Identify classes and extra-curricular activities in the target language Discuss classes and extra-curricular activities in the target language Compare and contrast classes and extra-curricular activities in the United States and in the target language culture. Interview a student in the target language about his/her current classes and activities as well as future classes and activities Write an article in the target language about classes and extra-curricular activities Write an article in the target language about classes and extra-curricular activities Persuade others in the target language to participate in a specific extra-curricular activity Express feelings and emotions in Spanish. Form questions in Spanish.	Suggested Summative Assessments Vocabulary quizzes Oral Presentation Rubrics Self Assessment Performance Task

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various media from the language and culture for entertainment or personal pleasure	g	G G	
Unit Four: La mesa de la familia Timeline: 6 weeks			I
1.1 Interpersonal Communication - Students introduce themselves and their classmates, name objects, places and actions and respond to commands and questions. Student also express basic likes and dislikes. 1.3 Presentational Communication- Students comprehend brief, written messages and short personal notes on familiar topics such as family, school events and celebrations. Students understand the main idea contained in various media Conc	pers 200-1,000,000 ssive adjectives , restaurants, table etiquette r verbs; <i>gustar</i> ; stem- ting verbs	Essential Questions: What is my definition of family? What do I eat that is "American"? What are some staple foods of target language countries? Learning Targets: Identify the main idea of short stories in the target language Research and identify career options where knowing a second language will be beneficial.	Suggested Formative Assessments Interactive Word Wall Questioning Journaling Observation of oral discourse Skit Suggested Summative Assessments Vocabulary quizzes Oral Presentation Rubrics Self Assessment Skit

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previous experience.			
4.1 Language Comparisons - Students realize that cognates enhance comprehension of spoken and written language and demonstrate that awareness by identifying commonly occurring cognates in the language they are learning.			
5.1 Transfer to Communities -Students identify ways that knowing languages are crucial to many professions.			
Unit Five: Vamos de compras Timeline: 5 weeks			
1.1 Interpersonal Communication - Students	Concepts:	Essential Questions:	Suggested Formative Assessments
introduce themselves and their classmates, name	Clothing and shopping	What clothing do teenagers	Interactive Word Wall
objects, places and actions and respond to	Vocabulary	wear?	Questioning
commands and questions. Student also express	Getting around town		Journaling
basic likes and dislikes.	Direct object pronouns	What cultural elements	Observation of oral discourse
busic fixes and disfixes.	People choose clothing that	influence their choices?	Observation of oral discourse
1.2 Interpretive Communication Students	reflect their personal identity as	miracine their enoices.	Suggested Summative Assessments
comprehend brief, written messages and short	well as their cultural heritage.	Learning Targets:	Vocabulary quizzes
personal notes on familiar topics such as family,	wen as their cultural heritage.	• Oral presentation	Oral Presentation
school events and celebrations. They also	Big Ideas:	<u> </u>	Rubrics
comprehend main ideas in oral narratives such as	Culture and language are	Identify main ideas	Self Assessment
personal anecdote and narratives based on familiar	inseparable; they influence and	presented in media in the	Sen Assessment
*		target culture	
topics.	reflect each other.		
1.3 Presentational Communication - Students	Language learning provides		
comprehend brief, written messages and short	opportunities to uncover big ideas		
personal notes on familiar topics such as family,	about languages, cultures, and		
school events and celebrations. Students	other disciplines.		
understand the main idea contained in various	other disciplines.		
media			
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patterns of behavior or interaction in various			
settings such as school, family and the community			
in the target language cultures.			
3.1 Connections to other Disciplines -Students demonstrate an understanding of the concepts learned in other subjects in the target language, including geographic terms and concepts, historical facts and concepts, mathematical terms and scientific information			
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cognates in the language they are learning.			
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professions.			
Unit Six: Bienvenido a nuestra casa (Model Unit- Timeline: 5 weeks	House and Home)		
1.1 Interpersonal Communication - Students	Concepts:	Essential Questions:	Suggested Formative Assessments
introduce themselves and their classmates, name	Vocabulary related to rooms in	How does my definition of	Interactive Word Wall
objects, places and actions and respond to	the house, furniture, chore	home compare to that of	Questioning
commands and questions. Student also express	ser vs. estar	other students' from other	Journaling
basic likes and dislikes.	tu affirmative commands Ordinal numbers	cultures?	Observation of oral discourse
1.2 Interpretive Communication Students		How does the definition of	Suggested Summative Assessments
comprehend brief, written messages and short	Big Ideas:	chore differ depending on	Vocabulary quizzes
personal notes on familiar topics such as family,	How people define a home differs	culture?	Oral Presentation
school events and celebrations. They also	according to culture, geography,		Rubrics
comprehend main ideas in oral narratives such as	and resources.	What is a home?	Self Assessment
personal anecdote and narratives based on familiar			Interpretive Tasks
topics.	Although houses share	How and where do I live?	
1.3 Presentational Communication - Students	commonalities throughout the	How and where do people	
write or tell about products or practices of their	world, the notion of home is tied	live in the countries where	

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own culture or the target language cultures. They use language supported by visual cues such as posters, pictures, process. etc 2.2 Cultural Products - Students identify and observe tangible products of the culture such as toys, dress, types of dwelling and foods. 3.2 Access to Information - Students use sources intended for same age speakers of the target language to prepare reports on topics of personal interest or those with which they have limited previous experience. 4.2 Cultural Comparisons -Studetns speculate on why certain products originate in and/or are important to particular cultures by analyzing selected products from the target cultures and their own. 5.2 Enjoyment/Lifelong Learning-Students use various media from the language and culture for entertainment or personal pleasure	Big Ideas to one's culture and personal vision	the target language is spoken? What are my family's responsibilities and routines at home and how do they compare to those of the family in the target culture? Learning Targets: describe the layout of a house describe how and where they live compare and contrast cultural practices and perspectives read and decipher real estate listings in the target language make and answer questions in the target language decipher an authentic story in the target language listen and comprehend authentic dialogues in the target language design a home in the target language	Assessments
Unit Seven: Mantener un cuerpo sano Timeline: 5 weeks			
1.1 Interpersonal Communication - Students	Concepts:	Essential Questions:	Suggested Formative Assessments
introduce themselves and their classmates, name objects, places and actions and respond to	Vocabulary related to health and emotion	How do I express myself and my feelings to others?	Interactive Word Wall Questioning

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