

Text: Expresate level 2!

Grading rules: Tests 40%, Quizzes 30%, Classwork 20%, Homework 10%

Accelerated Reader: In the library there is a section of novels by Hispanic authors. These books are indicated by a red sticker. Each student is required to read one book each nine weeks. The student must submit the selection to me for prior approval. The score received on the test will be counted as a test grade for the nine weeks. If no book is read the student will receive a zero. Additional books may be read and the tests taken for extra credit. A poor performance on the accelerated reader test for books being read for extra credit is not counted against the student.

Late assignments: Late assignments will not be accepted unless previous arrangements have been made. This does not apply to work missed due to absence.

Make-up work: It is the student's responsibility to see me about make-up work due to absences.

Homework: While students may not have written homework on a nightly basis, they will definitely have vocabulary to study, notes to review, or a test for which to prepare.

Course description: Students will focus on sharpening their understanding of grammar and vocabulary learned in Spanish I. Additionally, students will be introduced to new aspects of grammar and vocabulary. They will also work on perfecting all of the basic skills of listening, speaking, reading and writing. A mini novel will be used to help further their progress in terms of reading and writing in the target language. Their demonstration of all of these skills will be used and graded in the process of learning.

Contact: Parents may contact me at Nandua at any time and I will return calls during my planning period or after school. They may also e-mail by using my school address located on the Nandua website. I encourage parents to e-mail me in the beginning of the course so that I have their e-mail address if contact is needed.

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