## Mrs. Giovanna Salas-Wert Abington Senior High School Giovannasalas-wert@abington.k12.pa.us Español 3 College Prep (CP)



COURSE DESCRIPTION: <u>Prerequisite:</u> successful completion of Spanish II. (This course continues the study of Spanish in thematic units with the emphasis on the three modes of communication: interpretive (listening and reading), interpersonal (two-way communication- listening and speaking, reading and writing) and presentational (speaking and writing to an audience). A student at this level is expected to perform at the high novice to low intermediate level: understanding and producing more language in familiar and rehearsed situations, beginning to expand into original contexts from learned material. Students will learn to communicate about self and others about the basic themes and moving into themes about social issues and customs. Authentic resources for the interpretive mode focus on non-fiction and short fiction texts with literacy support. Students will be immersed in an all-Spanish classroom.

**WORLD LANGUAGE COURSE GRADING PROCEDURES:** Grades are weighted as follows: 20%- all assessments related to proficiency in Writing (Presentational and Interpersonal)

20%- all assessments related to proficiency in Speaking (Presentational and Interpersonal)

15%- all assessments related to proficiency in Reading (Interpretive)

15%- all assessments related to proficiency in Listening (Interpretive)

10%- Graded Assignments-all coursework related to practice- classwork, homework, etc.

20%- Participation- use of target language in the classroom and student engagement in the lessons

**HOMEWORK:** Students should spend a minimum of 15 minutes completing homework assignments. This includes studying the material.

**PROJECTS:** Special projects in Spanish class will encourage students to think critically and will allow for creative expression. Students will be given time in class to work on certain projects. Students are expected to complete projects at home.

**Skyward:** Grades are posted on Skyward. I may also post comments next to certain assignments and marking period grades.

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