Grades 6-8 Spanish Competencies and I Can Statements INTERPRETIVE LISTENING (IL) AND READING (IR): Students will interpret information, concepts, and ideas from a variety of culturally authentic sources on a variety of topics.			
 I can recognize a few memorized words and phrases when I hear them spoken. I can occasionally understand isolated words that I have memorized, particularly when accompanied by gestures or pictures. I can connect some words, or phrases to their meanings. 	 I can recognize some memorized words and phrases when I hear them spoken. I can recognize and sometimes understand basic information in words and phrases that I have memorized. I can recognize and sometimes understand words and phrases that I have learned for specific purposes. I can understand some learned or memorized words and phrases when I read. I can recognize words and phrases and characters with the help of visuals. I can recognize words, phrases and characters when I associate them with things I already know. 	 I can often understand words, phrases and simple sentences related to everyday life. I can recognize pieces of information and sometimes understand the main topic of what is being said. I can sometimes understand simple questions or statements on familiar topics. I can understand simple information when presented with pictures and graphs. I can understand familiar words, phrases, and sentences within short and simple texts related to everyday life. I can sometimes understand the main idea of what I have read. I can usually understand short simple messages on familiar topics. I can sometimes understand short, simple descriptions with help of pictures or graphs. I can sometimes understand the main idea of published materials. 	
INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATION (IC): Students will exchange information, concepts, and ideas with a variety of speakers or readers on a variety of topics in a culturally appropriate context.			
Trimester-Long Spanish	Year 1 Spanish	Year 2 Spanish	
I can communicate on some very familiar topics using single words and phrases to their meanings.	 I can communicate on some very familiar topics using a variety of words and phrases that I have practiced and memorized. I can make some simple statements in a conversation. I can ask some simple questions. I can communicate some basic information about my everyday life. 	 I can communicate and exchange information about familiar topics using phrases and simple sentences, sometimes supported by memorized language I can usually handle short social interactions in everyday situations by asking and answering simple questions. I can exchange some personal information. I can exchange information using texts, graphs, or pictures. I can interact with others in everyday situations. 	

PRESENTATIONAL SPEAKING (PS) AND WRITING (PW): Students can present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of topics in a culturally appropriate context.

Trimester-Long Spanish	Year 1 Spanish	Year 2 Spanish
 I can present information about myself and some other very familiar topics using single words or memorized phrases. I can recite words and phrases that I have learned. I can state the names of familiar people, places and objects in pictures and posters using words or memorized phrases I can copy some familiar words or phrases. I can write words and phrases that I have learned. I can label familiar people, places, and objects in pictures, and posters. 	 I can present information about myself and some other very familiar topics using a variety of words, phrases and memorized expressions. I can present information about myself and others using words and phrases. I can present information about familiar items in my immediate environment. I can tell about my daily activities using words, phrases, and memorized expressions. I can present simple information about something I learned using words, phrases, and memorized expressions. I can write lists and memorized phrases on familiar topics. I can fill out a simple form with some basic personal information. I can write about myself using learned phrases and memorized expressions. I can list my daily activities and write lists that help me in my day-to-day life. I can write notes about something I have learned using lists, phrases, and memorized expressions. 	 I can present information on familiar topics using language I have practiced using phrases and simple sentences. I can present information about my life using phrases and simple sentences. I can present a familiar experience or event in simple terms using phrases and simple sentences. I can present information about a familiar person, place, or thing using phrases and simple sentences. I can give basic instructions on how to make or do something using phrases and simple sentences. I can present basic information about things I have learned using phrases and simple sentences. I can write short messages and notes on familiar topics related to everyday life. I can write short notes using phrases and simple sentences. I can write about a familiar experience or event using practiced material. I can write basic information about things I have learned. I can ask for information in writing.
INTERCULTURAL: Students will investigate the world beyond their immediate environment.		
Trimester-Long Spanish	Year 1 Spanish	Year 2 Spanish
 I can investigate and identify some products and practices of cultures. I can identify and understand some basic cultural perspectives, beliefs, and values. 	 I can investigate and identify some products and practices of cultures. I can identify and understand some basic cultural perspectives, beliefs, and values. 	 I can investigate and identify some products and practices of cultures. I can identify and understand some basic cultural perspectives, beliefs, and values.