

"La palabra no es una etimología sino un puro milagro."

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## Spanish courses of the language center

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### Level Courses

#### Spanish A1 Group 2

Lecture number	042057b
Semester	Autumn semester 2019
Type	Language Course
Registration deadline	09/20/2019
Maximum number of participants	18

#### Events

Day	Time	Recurrence	Duration	Room
Tue.	2 p.m. - 4 p.m.	weekly	24/09 - 17/12/2019	MAD 126
Tue.	2 p.m. - 4 p.m.	exam	17/12/2019	MAD 126

#### Lecturers

- » Ernesto Abundis

#### Description

The "Spanish A1 Language Course" is suitable for learners without any previous knowledge. It is about teaching the first basic knowledge of the Spanish language.

It is based on everyday conversation topics and situations (greetings and introductions, nationality and language, addresses and numbers, etc.) and is designed to provide a basic knowledge of Spanish grammar and vocabulary. The main topics covered in the vocabulary development are: the Spanish alphabet, character traits and hobbies, tourism and holidays, transportation and seasons, colours, clothes and objects.

The grammar focuses on: the numbers, the forms of the subject pronoun, the particular article, the demonstrative pronoun, the noun, genus and numerus, the possessive pronoun, describing holiday habits, indicative present, the direct and indirect object pronoun.

## Placement Test

For a registration from level A1.2 a [placement test](#) is required if you have not yet written an exam with us.

The course takes place during the semester with 2 SWS and is designed in such a way that the participants complete level A1 according to the European Framework of Reference for Languages in one semester. Regular and active participation is a prerequisite for successful completion of the course. To do this, it is also necessary to complete homework in order to practice and consolidate what you have learned.

### Literature

Please bring the following course book with you to your first lesson:  
Gente hoy 1st level A1+A2. (Libro del alumno)  
ISBN: 978-3-12-515710-1

### Registration

Registration not yet possible.

### Spanish A1 Group 3

Lecture number	042058b
Semester	Autumn semester 2019
Type	Language Course
Maximum number of participants	18

### Events

Day	Time	Recurrence	Duration	Room
Thu.	4 p.m. - 6 p.m.	weekly	26/09 - 19/12/2019	TRO 206
Thu.	4 p.m. - 6 p.m.	exam	19/12/2019	TRO 206

### Lecturers

» Mariana Schaich

### Description

The "Spanish A1 Language Course" is suitable for learners without any previous knowledge. It is about teaching the first basic knowledge of the Spanish language.

It is based on everyday conversation topics and situations (greetings and introductions, nationality and language, addresses and numbers, etc.) and is designed to provide a basic knowledge of Spanish grammar and vocabulary.

The main topics covered in the vocabulary development are: the Spanish alphabet, character traits and hobbies, tourism and holidays, transportation and seasons, colours, clothes and objects.

The grammar focuses on: the numbers, the forms of the subject pronoun, the particular article, the demonstrative pronoun, the noun, genus and numerus, the possessive pronoun, describing holiday habits, indicative present, the direct and indirect object pronoun.

The course takes place during the semester with 2 SWS and is designed in such a way that the participants complete level A1 according to the European Framework of Reference for Languages in one semester.

Regular and active participation is a prerequisite for successful completion of the course. To do this, it is also necessary to complete homework in order to practice and consolidate what you have learned.

### Literature

Please bring the following course book with you to your first lesson:  
Gente hoy 1st level A1+A2. (Libro del alumno)  
ISBN: 978-3-12-515710-1  
Course content: Lección 1-4

## Registration

Registration not yet possible.

### Spanish A1 and A2

Lecture number	042055b
Semester	Autumn semester 2019
Type	Language Course
Registration deadline	09/25/2019
Maximum number of participants	18

### Events

Day	Time	Recurrence	Duration	Room
Mon.	4 p.m. - 6 p.m.	weekly	23/09 - 16/12/19	TRO 201
Thu.	4 p.m. - 6 p.m.	weekly	26/09 - 19/12/19	TRO 205
Thu.	4 p.m. - 6 p.m.	exam	19/12/19	TRO 205

### Lecturers

» [Claudia Reyes \(M.Ed.\)](#)

### Description

Target group:

The Spanish Course A1 and A2 is suitable for students with no previous knowledge or little knowledge.

Course description:

In a university context, part of the learning process usually has to take place outside the lecture hall. Therefore, this language course is structured according to the Flipped Classroom principle and offers learners the opportunity to acquire content independently and to use this knowledge in the course: They research a topic, deal with various documents (written texts, videos, audio...), reflect on grammar and vocabulary topics. The aim is to use the attendance time for more intensive collaboration and interaction and to fully exploit this potential for learning the Spanish language.

### Literature

Please bring the following course book with you:  
Campus Sur A1-B1: Course book + audio and video,  
ISBN: 978-3-12515121-5

## Registration

Registration not yet possible.

### Spanish A2.1

Lecture number	042059b
Semester	Autumn semester 2019
Type	Language Course
Maximum number of participants	18

## Events

Day	Time	Recurrence	Duration	Room
Tue.	4 p.m. - 6 p.m.	weekly	24/09 - 17/12/2019	MAD 225
Tue.	4 p.m. - 6 p.m.	exam	17/12/2019	MAD 225

Class starts at 4 p.m.

## Lecturers

» Esther Almendarez

## Description

The "Spanish Course A2.1" is suitable for students with some previous knowledge. The course is based on the A1 course. The aim is to develop the basic knowledge of Spanish grammar and vocabulary through everyday conversation topics and situations.

The main topics covered in the development of word fields are the following: Learning, health, food, professions and the agenda.

The grammar covers the following topics, among others: The indicative presence of regular verbs, irregular verbs, reflexive verbs, frequency ("siempre, todos los días, muchas veces"), adverbs, adjectives, genus of nouns, impersonal forms with "se", perfect tense (building and usage), irregular participles, evaluation, time and date, future-related information and question words.

The course takes place with 2 SWS during the lecture period and is designed in such a way that the participants complete the first sublevel (A2.1) according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR). Regular and active participation is a prerequisite for successful completion of the course. To do this, it is also necessary to complete homework in order to practice and consolidate what you have learned.

## Literature

Please bring the following textbook with you to the first lesson:

Gente hoy 1, Level A1+A2. (Libro del alumno)

ISBN: 978-3-12-515710-1

Course content: Lección 5-8

## Registration

Registration not yet possible.

## Spanish A2.2

Lecture number	042060b
Semester	Autumn semester 2019
Type	Language Course
Maximum number of participants	18

## Events

Day	Time	Recurrence	Duration	Room
Mon.	2 p.m. - 4 p.m.	weekly	23/09 - 16/12/2019	TRO 103
Fri.	2 p.m. - 8 p.m.	single	08/11/2019	TRO 104
Mon.	2 p.m. - 4 p.m.	exam	16/12/2019	TRO 103

## Lecturers

## Description

The "Spanish A 2.2 Language Course" is suitable for students with some previous knowledge of Spanish. The course is based on the A2.1 course. The basic knowledge of Spanish grammar and vocabulary is developed through everyday conversation topics and situations. The main topics covered during the development of word fields are the following: Learning, city, historical dates, apartment, travel.

The following skills should be acquired and trained: understanding a radio report, making a mini-presentation, writing and correcting a story, describing a picture, talking about proverbs, etc.

The grammar includes the following: Comparisons, "más/menos...que, mejor, peor" superiority, equality, relative clauses, the "indefinido" of regular verbs, differences in the use of perfect tense and "indefinido", questions about the past ("cuándo, en que año, cuánto tiempo"), location, the affirmative imperative, differences in the use of "Indefinido" and imperfect, differences in the use of "Indefinido", perfect tense and imperfect.

The course takes place with 2 SWS during the lecture period and is designed in such a way that the participants complete the second sublevel (A2.2) according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR). Regular and active participation is a prerequisite for successful completion of the course. To do this, it is also necessary to complete homework in order to practice and consolidate what you have learned.

## Literature

Please bring the following textbook with you to the first lesson:  
Gente hoy 1, Level A1+A2. (Libro del alumno)  
ISBN: 978-3-12-515710-1  
Course content: Lección 9-12

## Registration

Registration not yet possible.

## Spanish B1

Lecture number	042061b
Semester	Autumn semester 2019
Type	Language Course
Maximum number of participants	18

## Events

Day	Time	Recurrence	Duration	Room
Tue.	4 p.m. - 8 p.m.	weekly	24/09 - 17/12/2019	MAD 126
Tue.	4 p.m. - 8 p.m.	exam	17/12/2019	MAD 126

## Lecturers

» Ernesto Abundis

## Description

Target group:

The B1 Spanish course is suitable for students who have successfully completed the A2 level.

Course description

In a university context, part of the learning process usually has to take place outside the lecture hall. Therefore, this language course is structured according to the Flipped Classroom principle and offers learners the opportunity to acquire content independently and to use this

knowledge in the course: They research a topic, deal with various documents (written texts, videos, audio...), reflect on grammar and vocabulary topics. The aim is to use the attendance time for more intensive collaboration and interaction and to fully use this potential for learning the Spanish language.

In this intensive course you will acquire conversation skills on familiar topics and will be able to use communicative strategies to talk about the past and the future. You can read general and simple literary texts, but you can also write letters and essays about everyday life.

## Literature

Please bring the following course book with you:  
Campus Sur A1-B1: Course Book + Audios and Videos  
ISBN: 978-3-12515121-5

## Registration

Registration not yet possible.

## Refresher Courses

### Spanish B1 Refreshment Course

Lecture number	042062b
Semester	Autumn semester 2019
Type	Language Course
Maximum number of participants	18

### Events

Day	Time	Recurrence	Duration	Room
Wed.	2 p.m. - 4 p.m.	weekly	25/09 - 18/12/2019	TRO 107
Fri.	10 a.m. - 1 p.m.	single	27/09/2019	TRO 207
Fri.	12 p.m. - 2 p.m.	einmalig	25/10/2019	TRO 201
Wed.	2 p.m. - 4 p.m.	exam	18/12/2019	TRO 107

### Lecturers

» Daniel Goetze

### Description

Target group: Learners who have already attended level B1 but are still uncertain and would like to refresh their knowledge.

The aim is to refresh your existing knowledge of Spanish grammar, vocabulary and speaking by means of everyday topics and situations (situations at work, family, relationships, lifestyles, shopping, holidays and nature).

The main topics covered in the development of word fields are as follows: Professional desires and unusual professions, applications, lifestyles, love, interesting inventions, consumption, complaints, advertising, travel and holidays, city breaks, environment and environmental problems, animals in the city, projects for the environment.

The grammar focuses on the following: future printing, verbs with prepositions and pronoun averbs/question words, reflexive verbs, relative clauses, local prepositions with alternating prepositions, subjunctive present, temporal connectors, temporal prepositions, structure "cuando mas subjunctive", the future, the imperative, the personal forms and the

"gerundio".

The course focuses on the active use of language. Using role plays, discussions, presentations and learning games, grammatical topics are repeated as well as everyday and special speaking situations are practiced.

Regular and active participation is a prerequisite for successful completion of the course. To do this, it is also necessary to complete homework in order to practice and consolidate what you have learned.

### Literature

Please bring the following book to class:

Gente hoy 2 (B1), Libro del alumno + Audio-CD MP3

ISBN 978-3-12-515715-6

### Registration

Registration not yet possible.

## Grammar

### Spanish Grammar (A2/B1)

Lecture number	042065b
Semester	Autumn semester 2019
Type	Language Course
Maximum number of participants	18

### Events

Day	Time	Recurrence	Duration	Room
Wed.	2 p.m. - 4 p.m.	weekly	25/09 - 18/12/2019	HEL 161
Wed.	2 p.m. - 4 p.m.	exam	18/12/2019	HEL 161

### Lecturers

▶ [Claudia Reyes \(M.Ed.\)](#)

### Description

The grammar course is aimed at Spanish learners who have successfully completed at least level A2. It is also suitable for those who have just completed a B1 course.

In this course we will deal with the most complex grammar topics such as past tense, congruence, modes: Indicative, subjunctive and conditional. Spelling, which is often forgotten in conventional courses, is also covered in this course. We will also work on personal pronouns.

Please be aware that only Spanish is spoken in this course.

### Registration

Registration not yet possible.

## Conversation

### Spanish Conversation Course B2

Lecture number	042066b
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Semester Autumn semester 2019

Type Language Course

Maximum number of participants 18

### Events

Day	Time	Recurrence	Duration	Room
Mon.	6 p.m. - 8 p.m.	weekly	23/09 - 16/12/2019	TRO 204
Mon.	6 p.m. - 8 p.m.	exam	16/12/2019	TRO 204

Class starts at 6 p.m.

### Lecturers

» Esther Almendarez

### Description

Ya has visitado muchos cursos de español, pero te falta la práctica? En este curso, en un ambiente relajado, podrás trabajar la expresión oral del idioma español de forma activa. Con ayuda de diferentes materiales (de texto, literatura, videos) practicaremos la lengua consiguiendo ampliar el vocabulario y desarrollar más seguridad en el lenguaje oral. Tocaremos temas actuales, culturales y educativos, elaboraremos pequeñas presentaciones y no pueden faltar las conversaciones cotidianas. Si has entendido este texto, BIENVENIDO AL CURSO! Ya te inscribiste?

### Registration

Registration not yet possible.

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