

# 04-Transportation

Content Area: **World Language**  
Course(s):  
Time Period: **Full Year**  
Length: **20-24 days**  
Status: **Published**

## **General Overview, Course Description or Course Philosophy**

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The course provides students with the fundamental background to speak, to read, to write, and to understand the target language. A great deal of stress is placed on the development of audio-lingual skills including correct pronunciation, intonation, and accentuation. There will be a continued emphasis on the development of listening, speaking, reading and writing skills using the communicative approach. Additional material for development of the reading skills is provided for each student. The units on the culture and civilization of the target culture are expanded.

There will be a continued emphasis on the three modes of communication: interpretive, interpersonal, and presentational. Different opportunities will be provided to develop the listening, speaking, reading and writing skills using the communicative approach. Cultural aspects of the target language/culture will be expanded as well. Students are introduced to songs, movies and short literature selections throughout the year. The use of authentic materials will be provided to each student.

NJDOE Vision:

An education in world languages fosters a population that:

- Cultivates communication and cultural understanding in more than one language with the levels of language proficiency that are required to function in a variety of occupations and careers in the contemporary workplace.
- Exhibits attitudes, values, and skills that indicate a positive disposition and understanding of cultural differences and that enhances cross-cultural communication.
- Participates in local and global communities with people who speak languages other than English to address social justice issues and other global problems.
- Values language learning for its long-term worth in advancing personal, work-related, and/or financial success in our increasingly interconnected world.

## **OBJECTIVES, ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS, ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS**

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Students will understand:

- air and train travel is important in Spain and in Latin America.

- the correct use of grammar and vocabulary to facilitate communication.
- Spaniards and Latin Americans enjoy excursions.
- major Spanish/Latin American touristic sites.
- geography-Spain and Latin American countries.
- how to compare and contrast airports and train stations from Spanish speaking countries vs United States

### **Diversity and Inclusion**

- Awareness of diversity & inclusion issues as relating to immigration, history, visual and performing arts, literature, climate, subject area content, population where appropriate in the content area.
- Awareness of political, economic, and social contributions, inclusive of all people, where appropriate to the content area.

### **Climate Change**

Awareness of climate change in the target language areas of the world, immigration effects on the target culture and the students' own cultures, population trends in the target culture(s) and the students' own cultures.

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## **CONTENT AREA STANDARDS**

WL.NH.7.1.NH.IPERS.1	Exchange basic information by recombining memorized words, phrases, and sentences on topics related to self and targeted themes to express original ideas and information.
WL.NH.7.1.NH.IPERS.2	Ask and respond to questions on practiced topics and on information from other subjects.
WL.NH.7.1.NH.IPERS.4	Give and follow a series of oral and written directions, commands, and requests for participating in classroom and cultural activities.
WL.NH.7.1.NH.IPRET.1	Identify familiar words and phrases in culturally authentic materials related to targeted themes.
WL.NH.7.1.NH.IPRET.2	Understand the main idea and occasionally infer the meaning of some highly contextualized, unfamiliar spoken or written words, phrases, and short sentences in culturally authentic materials related to targeted themes.
WL.NH.7.1.NH.IPRET.7	Comprehend some familiar questions and statements from short conversations and brief written messages from informational and fictional texts that are spoken, viewed and written.
WL.NH.7.1.NH.PRSNT.2	Create and present brief messages using familiar vocabulary orally or in writing.
WL.NH.7.1.NH.PRSNT.5	When speaking and writing, use simple sentences and try to connect them with a few transition words.

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### **RELATED STANDARDS (Technology, 21st Century Life & Careers, ELA Companion Standards are Required)**

9.4.12.CI.1: Demonstrate the ability to reflect, analyze, and use creative skills and ideas

9.4.2.CI.1: Demonstrate openness to new ideas and perspectives

9.4.8.CI.4: Explore the role of creativity and innovation in career pathways and industries

L.SS.9–10.1. Demonstrate command of the system and structure of the English language when writing or speaking.

L.KL.9–10.2. Apply knowledge of language to make effective choices for meaning, or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading, writing, speaking or listening.

LA.L.9-10.1.B	Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.
LA.W.9-10.4	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)
WRK.K-12.P.4	Demonstrate creativity and innovation.
WRK.K-12.P.8	Use technology to enhance productivity increase collaboration and communicate effectively.
WRK.K-12.P.9	Work productively in teams while using cultural/global competence.
TECH.K-12.P.4	Demonstrate creativity and innovation.
TECH.K-12.P.8	Use technology to enhance productivity increase collaboration and communicate effectively.
TECH.K-12.P.9	Work productively in teams while using cultural/global competence.

## **STUDENT LEARNING TARGETS**

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### **Declarative Knowledge**

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Students will understand that:

- departures and arrivals can make have an impact when traveling.
- travel activities are a key component when selecting certain destinations when traveling.
- the importance of air travel and train travel in Spain, Central America, Latin America and The Caribbean (Donimican Republic, Cuba and Puerto Rico) can have an important role when selecting transportation to travel.
- the present tense forms of hacer, poner, traer and salir (Go verbs in the present tense) will be use by telling people what to do.
- preterite tense-irregular forms is use to talk about past events.
- services on board the plane and train are part of traveling. How different can they be? How can we compare?
- airports are different in the Spanish speaking world compare to the United States.

## **Procedural Knowledge**

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Students will be able to:

- use vocabulary about traveling (Air travel and train travel).
- engage in short conversation about how to check in for a flight, talk about some services on board the plane and get through the airport after deplaning.
- express where people are going to or coming from.
- to use the past tense to narrate in the past.
- to use the present progressive to tell what people are doing in the moment.
- request information about departures and arrivals.
- respond to questions about traveling, summer and winter activities.
- engage in conversations about traveling.
- infer the meaning of new words in reading and online material about traveling. (El AVE train).
- label a map of Spanish speaking countries (basic geography).

## **EVIDENCE OF LEARNING**

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### **Benchmark Assessments**

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Pear/Edulastic Assessment

### **Alternate Assessment**

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- Oral Presentations
- Multimedia Presentations
- Student Dramatizations
- Original Artwork Creations
- Modified Rubrics
- Teacher/Student Conferences

### **Formative Assessments**

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Three modes of communication: Interpretive, Interpersonal and Presentational: To discuss about transportation activities Traveling by plane or via train throughout the Spanish speaking world.

Do now's/Exit tickets-Vocabulary, answering questions, and writing sentences about traveling

Homework

Role-playing activities-Traveling by air and train

Paired/group activities-Traveling

Questions and answers by teacher/students related to travel

Listening activities-Vocabulary-Traveling

Speaking activities-¿Prefieres viajar en avión o tren y por qué? ¿Cuáles son las ventajas de viajar por avión o tren por los países hispanohablantes?

Reading activities-El AVE

Presentational activities-narrate events in the past (Using regular and irregular forms)

Interpersonal-E-mail to a penpal in a Spanish speaking country about their traveling experiences

Map-Geography

Presentational/Speaking activity-Traveling-Uses of preterite tense-regular and irregular forms. ¿Viajaste por avión o tren? ¿Qué hiciste?

## **Summative Assessments**

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QUIZZES: Using the three modes of communication: Interpretive, Interpersonal, and Presentational (Application of vocabulary and grammatical functions)

- Vocabulary quizzes-students identify traveling activities
- Grammar quizzes: students use past tense to write about past events and activities (Regular and irregular forms)
- Oral Quizzes: students answer personal questions on topic using technology

Examples: Interpretive: Listening to audio/viewing videos

Interpersonal: Speaking with a partner/E-mail

Presentational: Writing or speaking/Presentations (Short essays in paragraph format)

PROJECT-Traveling-Using laptops, create a presentation via Google Slides- A trip to a Spanish speaking country (travel and destinations) Include illustrations/Maps.

Chapter TEST: Using the three modes of communication: Interpretive, Interpersonal, and Presentational

(Application of vocabulary and grammatical functions related to traveling activities using the three modes of communication)

Benchmark Assessment-Mid year Review

Benchmark Assessment- End of year Review

## **RESOURCES (Instructional, Supplemental, Intervention Materials)**

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Buen viaje -Glencoe Spanish 1-(Chapter 11-Un viaje en avión/Chapter 13-Un viaje en tren)

Buen viaje 1-Glencoe-Practice workbook and audio/visual components

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Incorporating visuals within texts

Powerpoints/Google slides

Provide written and oral directions

Pairing students

Sample texts

Graphic organizers

Authentic documents (Youtube videos)

Videoele

Edpuzzle

Quizlet/Kahoot

## **INTERDISCIPLINARY CONNECTIONS**

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Topography

Language Aquisition

Use technology to enhance productivity

Work productively in teams while using cultural global competence

## **ACCOMMODATIONS & MODIFICATIONS FOR SUBGROUPS**

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### **Spanish 2 Honors:**

- Ask questions about air travel and train travel.
- Converse about their traveling.
- Write about their experiences when traveling.
- Use the the past tense and present tense together in a short paragraph setting to write about what people did during their travels.
- Express their opinions about traveling by plane or train.

### Differentiation/Accommodations/Modifications

Gifted and Talented	English Learners	Students with 504s	Students with Disabilities	Students at Risk of School Failure
Differentiated Assignments: Provide advanced or more complex assignments that delve deeper into the curriculum content and require critical thinking, analysis, and creativity.	Language Support: Provide bilingual dictionaries or translation tools to aid in understanding instructions or content. Offer translated materials or instructions in the student's native language when necessary.	Extended Time: Allow additional time for assignments, tests, or classwork based on the student's needs.	Accessible Instructional Materials: Provide materials in accessible formats such as large print, audio, braille, or digital text to accommodate visual or print disabilities.	Small Group Instruction: Provide small group settings for targeted instruction and support in areas where students struggle.
Independent Projects: Offer opportunities for independent research projects or self-directed learning related to students' interests or passions.	Simplified Language: Use simpler language, avoid idiomatic expressions, and break down complex sentences to aid comprehension.	Modified Assignments: Provide modified versions of assignments or tests that align with the student's abilities while covering the same educational content.	Extended Time for Assignments/Assessments: Allow additional time for completing assignments or assessments to accommodate processing difficulties or physical limitations.	Additional Instructional Time: Offer extended instructional time or after-school tutoring sessions to reinforce concepts and provide extra help.
Enrichment Activities: Introduce enrichment activities that	Provide simplified versions of texts or materials without compromising	Use of Technology: Permit the use of assistive technology tools (text-to-	Assistive Technology: Provide access to assistive technology tools (screen readers, speech-to-text software, communication devices) that support	Individualized Learning Plans: Develop individualized

extend beyond the standard curriculum, such as workshops, seminars, or competitions in specialized areas of interest.	content depth. Visual Aids and Graphics: Incorporate visual aids, images, charts, or diagrams to support understanding of concepts, especially for visual learners.	speech software, speech recognition, calculators) to aid in completing assignments or accessing curriculum materials.	learning and communication.	plans that address specific academic needs, learning styles, and areas of improvement.
Flexible Pacing: Allow students to progress through the curriculum at their own pace, enabling acceleration or access to higher-level materials if needed.	Contextualization and Real-Life Examples: Relate lessons to real-life scenarios or the student's cultural experiences to enhance comprehension and engagement.	Preferential Seating: Allow the student to sit in a specific location in the classroom that supports their learning needs (e.g., closer to the teacher, away from distractions).	Modified Assignments and Assessments: Offer modified versions of assignments or assessments that align with the student's abilities while addressing their disabilities.	Modified Assignments and Assessments: Offer modified assignments or assessments to match the student's current level of proficiency while ensuring alignment with curriculum standards.
Mentorship and Expert Resources: Provide access to mentors, experts in the field, or external resources to guide and support students in exploring their interests deeply.	Extended Time and Flexible Assignments: Allow extended time for completing assignments or assessments to accommodate the additional time needed for language processing. Modify assignments or assessments to focus more on content understanding rather than language proficiency.	Visual Aids: Provide visual aids such as charts, graphs, or diagrams to support comprehension of complex concepts.	Use of Scribes or Readers: Allow the use of scribes or readers for students with motor or visual impairments to assist in writing or accessing written material.	Progress Monitoring and Feedback: Implement regular progress monitoring and provide constructive feedback to track improvement and guide learning strategies.
Complex Problem-Solving Tasks: Present challenging problems or real-world scenarios that require critical thinking, complex analysis, and innovative solutions.	Peer Support and Group Work: Encourage collaborative learning opportunities, group work, or pairings with proficient English speakers to facilitate language practice and	Chunking Information: Break down tasks or information into smaller, manageable parts to aid in understanding and completion.	Preferential Seating and Physical Accommodations: Allow seating arrangements that accommodate physical needs, such as closer proximity to the teacher or flexible seating options.	Use of Multi-Sensory Techniques: Utilize multi-sensory teaching methods to engage students through visual, auditory, and kinesthetic learning experiences.
Extension Activities: Offer specialized activities that cater to the unique interests and abilities of gifted students, allowing them to delve		Sensory Accommodations: Implement accommodations for students with sensory needs, such as noise-canceling	Ensure physical accommodations like wheelchair accessibility, adaptive furniture, or sensory-friendly environments.	Flexible Grouping
			Visual and Auditory Supports: Use visual aids, graphic organizers, or auditory cues to reinforce learning and aid comprehension for	



deeper into specific subjects.	interaction.	headphones, a quiet space for breaks, or fidget tools.	students with learning disabilities or ADHD.	Strategies: Employ flexible grouping strategies, such as peer tutoring, cooperative learning, or ability-based grouping, to support struggling students.
Cross-Grade Opportunities: Provide opportunities for collaboration or participation in higher-level classes or activities across grade levels to meet the advanced learning needs.	Pre-Teaching Vocabulary and Concepts: Introduce key vocabulary and concepts before a lesson to familiarize ELLs with the language they will encounter.	Note-Taking Support: Provide copies of class notes or allow the use of a note-taking device (tablet, laptop) to assist in recording information.	Chunking Information and Simplified Language: Break down instructions or information into smaller, more manageable parts to aid understanding and processing.	
Leadership Roles and Projects: Offer leadership roles within the classroom or school community, empowering gifted students to take on responsibilities and initiatives.	Language Scaffolding: Provide step-by-step guidance or support through the use of sentence starters, graphic organizers, or structured outlines.	Flexible Testing Environment: Offer a quiet room or alternative setting for exams, adjustments in lighting, or breaks during tests.	Individualized Instructional Strategies: Implement instructional strategies tailored to the student's learning style, strengths, and needs.	Positive Reinforcement and Encouragement: Offer positive reinforcement, encouragement, and recognition of effort to boost motivation and self-esteem.
Personalized Learning Plans: Develop personalized learning plans that cater to each student's strengths, interests, and learning styles.	Clarification and Repetition: Encourage teachers to clarify instructions, repeat key points, and check for understanding frequently throughout lessons.	Instructional Modifications: Adjust instructional methods or materials to accommodate the student's learning style or preferences.	Behavioral Supports and Sensory Accommodations: Provide supports to address behavioral challenges, such as positive behavior reinforcement strategies. Accommodate sensory needs through noise reduction, sensory breaks, or sensory tools for students with sensory processing disorders.	Study Skills and Organizational Support: Teach study skills, time management, and organizational strategies to help students become more independent learners.
Field Trips and Experiential Learning: Organize field trips or experiential learning opportunities that go beyond the classroom to enrich their learning	Cultural Sensitivity: Foster a culturally inclusive environment and acknowledge diverse perspectives within the curriculum content.	Behavioral Supports: Implement behavior management strategies or supports to address any behavioral challenges that affect learning.	Alternative Communication Methods: Support alternative communication methods (sign language, augmentative and alternative communication devices) for students with communication disorders.	Social-Emotional Support: Provide social-emotional learning opportunities and counseling support to address emotional barriers affecting academic performance.
	Language Development Activities: Integrate language development activities within the curriculum, such as opportunities for speaking, listening, reading, and writing	Communication		

experiences.

in English.

Assessment  
Modifications: Offer alternative forms of assessment (oral presentations, projects) to evaluate understanding beyond written exams.

Support: Utilize communication tools or aids for students with speech or language impairments.

Ensure that the accommodations align with the goals outlined in the student's 504 plan.

Collaboration and Support Services: Foster collaboration between teachers, support staff, and specialists (speech therapists, occupational therapists) to address the diverse needs of students.

Ensure that the accommodations align with the goals outlined in the student's Individualized Education Plan (IEP).

Curriculum Modifications:

Modify curriculum content or pacing to ensure it meets the students' needs and facilitates understanding.

Parent and Community Involvement: Engage parents and the community in supporting student learning through workshops, information sessions, or family involvement activities.

Access to Resources and Interventions: Ensure access to specialized resources, interventions, or intervention specialists to address specific learning challenges.

Alternative Assessments:

Offer alternative forms of assessment that better align with students' strengths and provide a more accurate representation of their knowledge

and skills.