

## Forsyth 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Spanish

### Class Schedule

M-T-R-F 1:43-2:36

W 1:08-1:49

**Mrs. Montgomery:** [lmontgomery@forsyth.k12.mt.us](mailto:lmontgomery@forsyth.k12.mt.us) (406)346-2796 ext 14  
Google classroom code: **ejdv4cw**

**Instructor Availability for Assistance:** I am available before school Monday-Friday from 7:45 to 8:00 AM unless I am on an assigned duty. My prep period is MTRF 9:11-10:04 AM and W from 8:59-9:40 AM. I am available after school until 4 PM. I am a coach during all of the sports seasons so there may be instances where I am unavailable at these times. Please contact me through my email and I will respond to any questions or concerns as quickly as possible.

**Course Description:** Seventh grade Spanish students will engage in conversations, provide and obtain information, express feelings and emotions, and exchange opinions. They will develop an understanding of basic written and spoken Spanish and be able to convey information, concepts, and ideas to listeners and readers for a variety of purposes. They will develop an understanding of Spanish culture in the various Spanish speaking countries and compare it to their own through discussions, presentations, and classroom assignments.

**Textbooks, Novels, Materials Used:** Classroom textbooks will be provided. Materials and resources will be provided in Google Classroom for students.

**Supplies Needed:** Notebook, colored pencils, writing utensils

**Course Overview:** Throughout the semester we will be learning and doing...

- Spanish alphabet
- colors
- Counting 1-100
- Useful phrases
- Basic conversational Spanish
- Holiday Presentations
- Fiesta
- 21 Spanish speaking countries project
- Web Quests
- Daily assignments
- Interactive notebook
- Research

**Grading:**      A= 90-100      B= 80-89      C= 70-79      D= 60-69      F=59 or below

**Assignments and tests receive equal weight in the gradebook. Participation is expected and graded.**

**Rules and Expectations:** Students are expected to come to class prepared and be engaged in activities and discussions. There will be activities that may place the students out of their comfort zones as far as singing, dancing, or speaking. Participation in daily classroom activities is graded and will affect student grades. We will be supportive of each other during class. We are all here to learn and while some may pick up activities quickly others may struggle with being comfortable. We will work through it in a safe learning environment. Consequences of misbehavior or inappropriate use of time will result in loss of participation points. Students will get a warning before they lose any points. On the second loss of participation points the student will receive a warning. On the third loss of points the student will serve a 15-minute detention after the school day. This will run on a week by week basis, Monday-Friday.

**Homework and Makeup Work:** Assignments will be completed in class. Presentations or fiesta preparations will require some work from home. If a student knows they are going to be gone I expect them to contact me to find out what they will be missing. If possible, I would like the assignment turned in before the planned absence. Otherwise, it is due on their return before class begins. Students who miss a day of class have the number of days missed to get caught up with their work. For example, two days of class missed would give the students two days after their return to school to turn in any makeup work.