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# SPANISH LANGUAGE AND CULTURE SPRING 2017 SCHEDULE

## **Spanish Language and Culture (Part 1)**

***No prior experience in Spanish is necessary.***

This course is designed for professionals or volunteers who currently work with or will work with Hispanic communities in schools, hospitals, parishes, community-based organizations or other nonprofits, or other settings where you are interacting with Latinos. There is a language and a cultural component to the course. The language component enables one to learn basic conversational skills and elemental phrases to better communicate with Spanish-speaking persons. Good pronunciation, listening and speaking skills are emphasized. The cultural component emphasizes the spirituality, customs and traditions of Hispanics.

### **Wednesday Afternoon Class:**

February 15 – April 26, 2017  
Wednesdays, 3–5 p.m.

### **Tuesday Evening Class:**

February 14 – April 25, 2017  
Tuesdays, 5–7 p.m.

## **Spanish Language and Culture (Part 2)**

***Prerequisite: Part 1 or equivalent.***

This follow-up course to Spanish Language and Culture (Part 1) continues to emphasize good pronunciation and speaking skills. It provides greater emphasis on grammar, especially the past tense, in order to increase conversational skills. There will be a continued cultural component to deepen understanding of the Hispanic community.

### **Afternoon Class:**

February 13 – May 1, 2017  
Mondays, 4–6 p.m.

## **Spanish Language and Culture (Part 3)**

***Prerequisite: Part 2 or equivalent.***

In Part 3, the emphasis is on listening and speaking skills. It stresses using the language in practical, conversational ways, drawing on the needs and experiences of the participants. There will be a continued grammar and cultural component

### **Afternoon Class:**

February 16 – May 4, 2017  
Thursdays, 3–5 p.m.

**Fee for all courses: \$400 per person or \$1,050 for three participants if registered by January 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017.**

**\$425 per person or \$1,125 for three participants if registered after January 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017.**

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