



Survey Evaluation Results

In the attachment you will find the evaluation results of the survey Intermediate Spanish II SPAN2120100_2161_Regular

The overall indicator is listed first. It consists of the following scales:

- Instructor Evaluation
- Course Evaluation

The overall indicator is followed by the individual average values of the scales mentioned above. In the second part of the analysis the average values of all individual questions are listed.

If you have any further questions do not hesitate to contact the evaluation department.

Your Class Climate Administrator

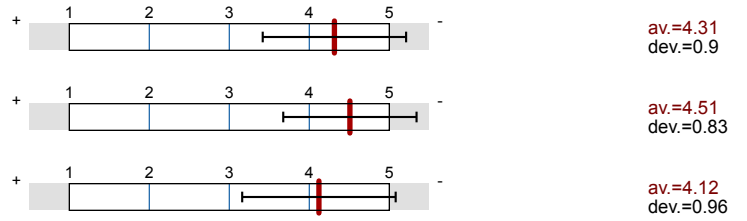


Overall indicators

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2. Instructor Evaluation

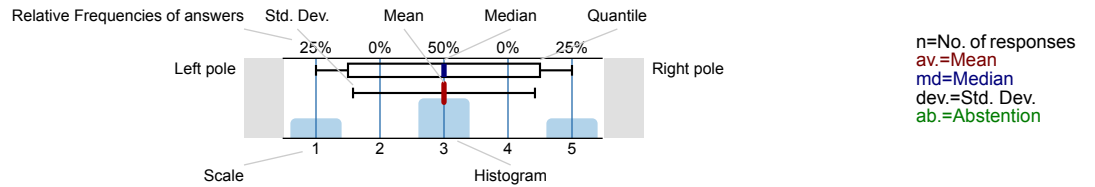
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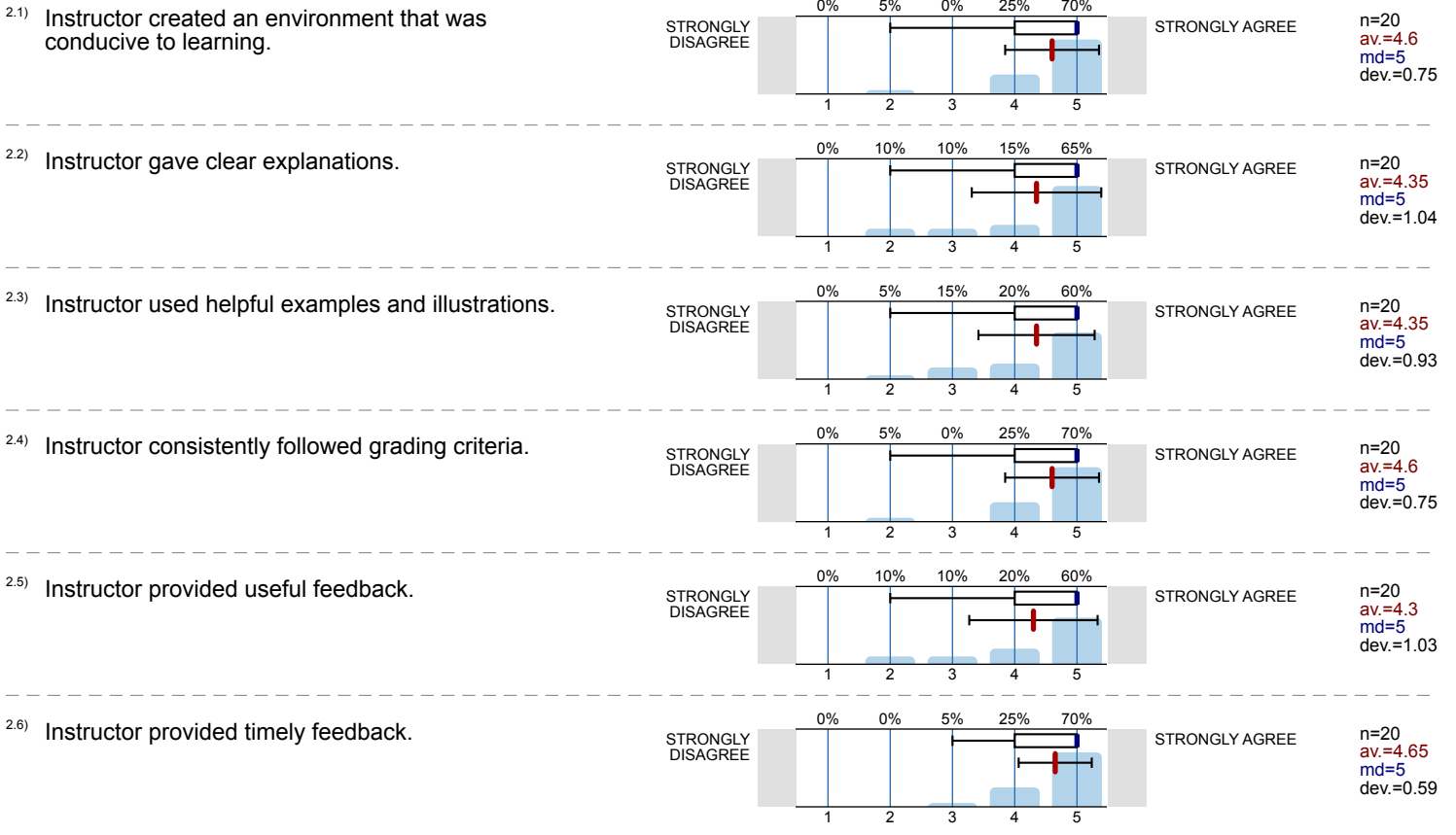
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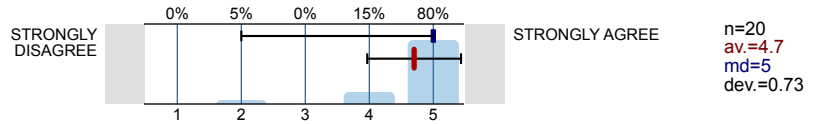
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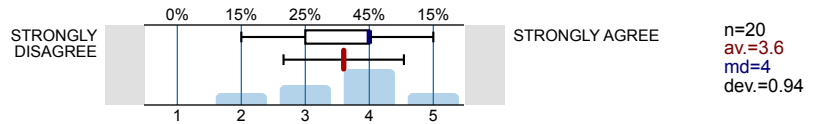


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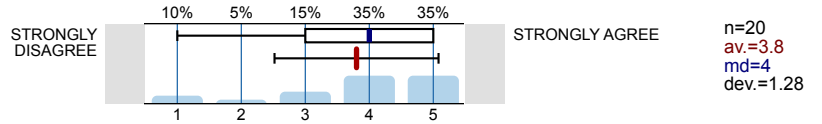


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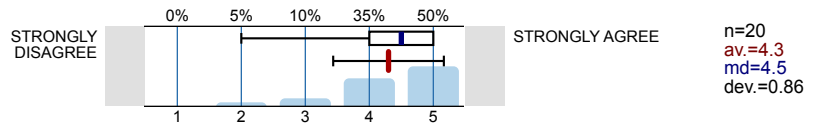
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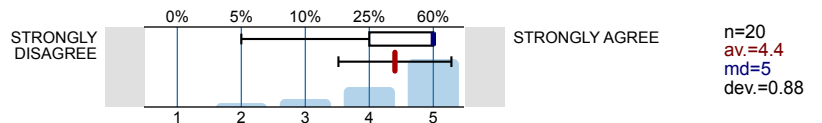
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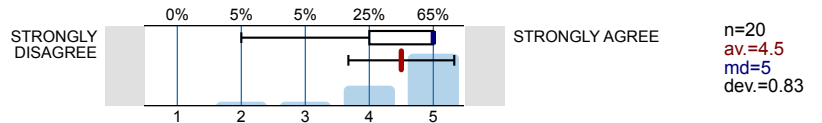
3.3) This course challenged me intellectually.



3.4) Course grading criteria were communicated clearly.

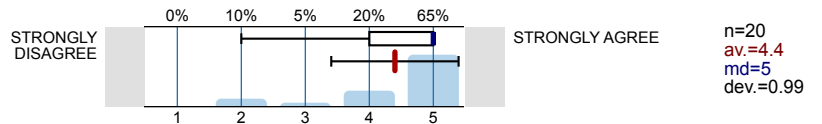


3.5) Course objectives were met.

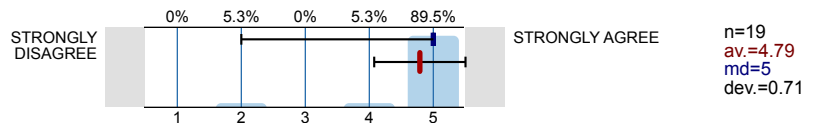


4. Language Courses 1000-3215 Levels

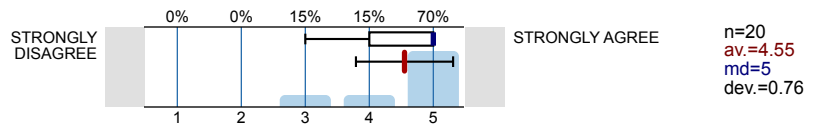
4.1) The instructor used class time well?



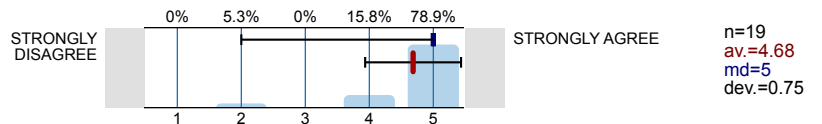
4.2) The instructor showed enthusiasm when teaching?



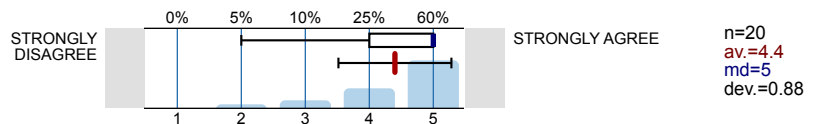
4.3) The instructor motivated me to learn?



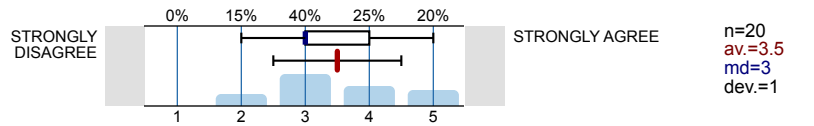
4.4) The instructor conducted class primarily in the language?



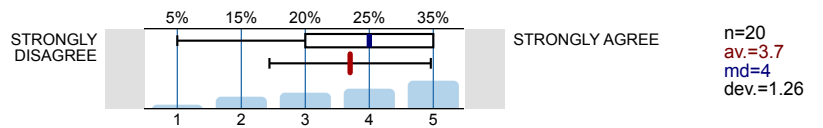
4.5) Overall the instructor's teaching was effective?



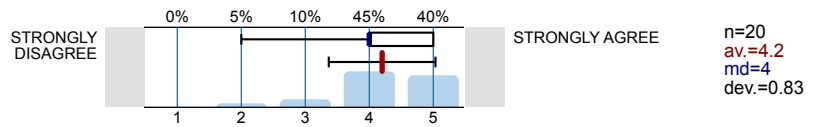
4.6) The assignments helped me to learn the language?



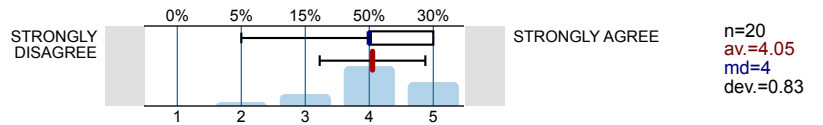
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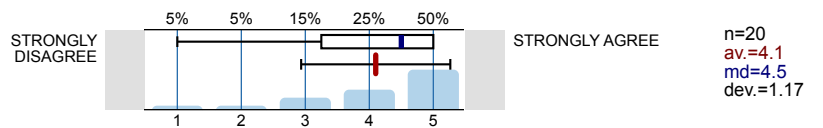
4.8) This course required a reasonable amount of homework?



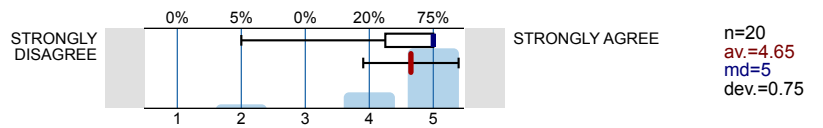
4.9) This course increased my understanding of another culture?



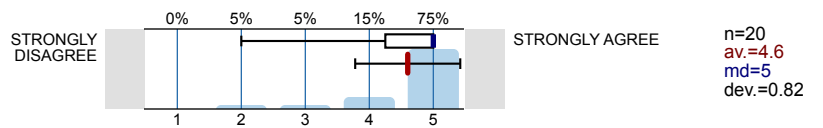
4.10) Overall this was a worthwhile learning experience?



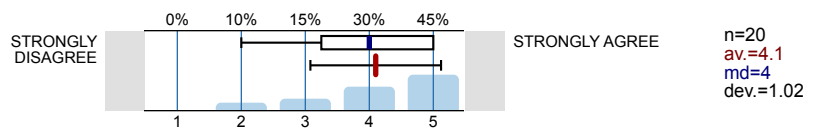
4.11) I generally did my homework?



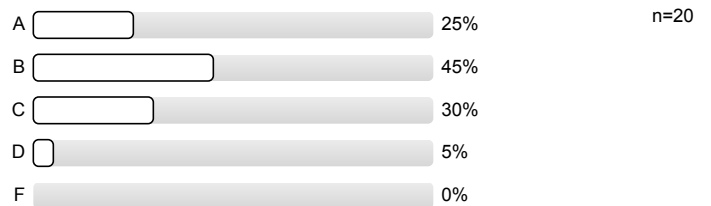
4.12) I regularly attended class?



4.13) My languages skills have improved in this course?



4.14) I expect to receive a grade of?



Profile

Subunit: A&S-ML
 Name of the instructor: MELISSA FIGUEROA
 Name of the course: Intermediate Spanish II
 (Name of the survey)

Values used in the profile line: Mean

2. Instructor Evaluation

2.1) Instructor created an environment that was conducive to learning.	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.60 md=5.00 dev.=0.75
2.2) Instructor gave clear explanations.	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.35 md=5.00 dev.=1.04
2.3) Instructor used helpful examples and illustrations.	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.35 md=5.00 dev.=0.93
2.4) Instructor consistently followed grading criteria.	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.60 md=5.00 dev.=0.75
2.5) Instructor provided useful feedback.	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.30 md=5.00 dev.=1.03
2.6) Instructor provided timely feedback.	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.65 md=5.00 dev.=0.59
2.7) Instructor made herself or himself available for assistance outside of class.	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.70 md=5.00 dev.=0.73

3. Course Evaluation

3.1) Outside class activities (readings, assignments, homework, problem sets, etc.) helped me to understand the subject.	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=3.60 md=4.00 dev.=0.94
3.2) In-class activities (lecture, discussion, handouts, group-work, etc.) contributed to my understanding of the subject.	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=3.80 md=4.00 dev.=1.28
3.3) This course challenged me intellectually.	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.30 md=4.50 dev.=0.86
3.4) Course grading criteria were communicated clearly.	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.40 md=5.00 dev.=0.88
3.5) Course objectives were met.	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.50 md=5.00 dev.=0.83

4. Language Courses 1000-3215 Levels

4.1) The instructor used class time well?	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.40 md=5.00 dev.=0.99
4.2) The instructor showed enthusiasm when teaching?	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=19	av.=4.79 md=5.00 dev.=0.71
4.3) The instructor motivated me to learn?	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.55 md=5.00 dev.=0.76
4.4) The instructor conducted class primarily in the language?	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=19	av.=4.68 md=5.00 dev.=0.75
4.5) Overall the instructor's teaching was effective?	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.40 md=5.00 dev.=0.88

4.6) The assignments helped me to learn the language?	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=3.50 md=3.00 dev.=1.00
4.7) The exams were appropriately challenging?	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=3.70 md=4.00 dev.=1.26
4.8) This course required a reasonable amount of homework?	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.20 md=4.00 dev.=0.83
4.9) This course increased my understanding of another culture?	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.05 md=4.00 dev.=0.83
4.10) Overall this was a worthwhile learning experience?	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.10 md=4.50 dev.=1.17
4.11) I generally did my homework?	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.65 md=5.00 dev.=0.75
4.12) I regularly attended class?	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.60 md=5.00 dev.=0.82
4.13) My languages skills have improved in this course?	STRONGLY DISAGREE						STRONGLY AGREE	n=20	av.=4.10 md=4.00 dev.=1.02

Comments Report

5. Open Ended

5.1) The instructor (please comment on questions 4.1-4.5 above)

- Great. She's awesome
- I thought Melissa was a fantastic teacher! She showed much enthusiasm while teaching and spoke using a lot of hand gestures and emotion which made it much easier to interpret what she was saying. She used up every minute of class to teach us. She made herself extremely available by extending her office hours so more people could attend (she didn't have to do that, but she did). Because of this course and how much Melissa believed in me it convinced me that I should minor in Spanish. I will declaring the minor in the spring.
- In my opinion, Melissa did a very good job as the instructor of this course. She was always very enthusiastic about the language and activities that we did, even when the class wasn't always at the same energy level. Her lesson plans broke things down so that it was easier to understand and she always asked to make sure everyone understood before moving on. She spoke mainly in Spanish, but would occasionally revert to english in order to explain particularly complex concepts.
- Melissa was a great instructor. She was always willing to help in any way that we needed her.
- Melissa was by far my favorite Spanish professor that I've ever had and she's one of my favorite professors. She wants everyone to do the best they possibly can and is willing to help as much as she can. I would/will recommend her to everyone I know taking Spanish. Excellent professor.
- Profe was great. Always showed enthusiasm (which we needed so early in the morning), had a plan and had us laughing/engaged
- Review more of the material that we are actually going to be tested over
- She is a great professor, if she sees someone struggling she will do all she can to help them understand and improve. She always reminds us to go to office hours and her office hours are very helpful. She helps you step by step understand something if you don't get the topic.
- She was very energetic about sharing her first language with us and it made it easier to want to participate in the class.
- The instructor was enthusiastic and spoke in Spanish 95% of the time. She also made herself available for extra office hours and provided guides that she was not required to.
- The instructor was great, she really wanted everyone to do well so she always made herself available to us. If we didn't do well in an exam she would tell us to come see her during office hours to figure out how we can improve. I do wish that we spent less time doing group work and more time learning grammar
- Was awesome! She helped me learn so much and genuinely cared about everyone's success in this course
- Was extremely enthusiastic about teaching the subject and did everything in her power to help each student in any way possible. Highly recommend her!
- Was very helpful and enthusiastic about the class. I had difficulty with her fast speaking and her exercises at first but as the semester progressed I caught on and realized I had learned a lot.
- challenged me to learn Spanish in a new way and broadened the horizons of what I thought I would learn in this course.
- was fantastic. I would recommend taking this class solely for the sole purpose of having her. She was lively, passionate, and made us want to participate in class. She was also very understanding that everyone was at different levels in their Spanish skills and she made sure to accommodate for everyone.

5.2) The course and the materials (please comment on questions 4.6-4.10 above)

- Exams aren't fair, instructor should be able to make the exams or at least see them a week before hand so we have a chance to review the actual information on the exams to have a better chance of succeeding. If you struggle at all you fail the exams.
- I thought the book wasn't great with exposing or giving examples. And connect was a little too difficult, sometimes I didn't even know what answer it was looking for
- I wish that there was more direct instruction in class rather than just partner exercises. It is difficult to learn a language independently out of a book.
- I've never been a fan of Connect because it grades the answers to harshly and I feel like I'm not always learning from that. I learn the best from homework in the book or from Melissa explaining it in class.
- Overall the assignments did help broaden my understanding of the language, however, occasionally there were sections on Connect that only succeeded in being frustrating. The main reason for this was that you only had three attempts to get things right, and if you couldn't figure it out you would simply be stuck and have no further understanding because Connect couldn't explain why you were wrong and why one answer is correct. Overall though I think everything was appropriately challenging and that it was a reasonable amount of work.
- She has no say in the course/materials but the online connect exercises suck and so does the textbook. They give horrible explanations and the connect is pretty hard especially when you're trying to teach it to yourself because the homework is due before we discuss each topic in class.
- Since I am a freshmen, I didn't get to experience the 2110 level, but even though I missed all of that material, I understood everything in 2120. I developed so many skills and I thought connect was helpful. I liked going over subjunctive so in depth because that was one of the more difficult topics we had to learn. We did have homework almost every night, but there is no other way to learn a language, you need to practice practice practice. The exams were very fair and I believe Melissa prepared us for them extremely well.
- The course is very difficult. I understand things in class, but when it comes to exams, it is very challenging. Also, the stories we read are very difficult, and I would like if we spent more in-class time on them.
- The course set up is extremely odd. The connect homework is very difficult, to say the least, and quizzes are given at random times so students don't have adequate time to prepare. Also, I have a hard time understanding why the instructor is not allowed to see the exam beforehand and tell the students what is going to be on it. The exams being a mystery to both the instructor and students until the day they are given doesn't seem right.
- The course was challenging but it wasn't horrible. I've learned a lot this semester
- The course was difficult and I felt some of the materials were unnecessary
- The course was ok. It is hard to learn a language in a class that is only 3 days a week
- Was challenging, but I learned a lot.
- Your book sucks. Get a more affordable workbook and do everything in class. My high school teachers taught Spanish better. Why? Because they have their own custom materials that are better than a course book. It'd be nice to create a departmental bank of teaching materials for each class. Saves us money and increases quality
- was very thorough. I learned quite a bit about the subjunctive, grammar, and vocab. I also got opportunities to write and speak in the language, which helped my Spanish develop so much more.
- were at times difficult, but ultimately proved to be an invaluable asset in the learning process. But the book needs to be waaaaayyyy cheaper.

5.3) Self-Evaluation (please comment on questions 4.11-4.13 above)

- I am not the best at Spanish, but I learned a lot from Melissa this semester. She made me more confident in my Spanish speaking.
- I believe I did fairly well in this class. I attended every session. I never missed an assignment. I studied outside of class. And more importantly, the professor encouraged and inspired me to use the language outside of class. All aspects of my Spanish: reading, writing, speaking, and listening, have tripled in skill ever since taking this class. With that being said, I am hoping to receive an A.
- I did every homework assignment and never missed a class. I did everything I could do to the best of my ability and I think my grade will reflect that.
- I did reasonably well, but the amount of out-of-class work I do for my major and job made it hard to give everything I could to the course.
- I enjoyed the professor, she was fantastic but it doesn't matter who teaches me I am not a Spanish speaker, this was definitely a difficult class for me
- I forgot a few assignments and probably didn't do my absolute best on the connect exercises, but I attribute that to my disgruntlement with how unclear these exercises are in their descriptions of what they want.
- I think I've done a fairly good job in this course; I made a point to always turn in my assignments and to attend each class unless I had a former scholastic obligation. I do think my language skills have improved because I have a better understanding of certain conjugations and an expanded vocabulary.
- I think I managed pretty well in this class. It was a good experience and I will continue Spanish next semester
- I think my Spanish skills have definitely improved over this course. My speaking skills of the language have seen the biggest improvement from the great deal of speaking we do every day in class. My grammar and comprehension skills of the language have also made great strides.
- I worked extremely hard throughout this course because what you get out of it is what you put into it. I honestly can see that my Spanish skills have improved drastically. I always did my homework, except for a few assignments at the beginning because I didn't get my book shipment in, so I couldn't log onto connect. I attended almost every class, but I did miss maybe two. Going off of the effort I put in, I expect to earn somewhere between an A- and a B+.
- Overall, I learned not only about the Spanish language and culture, but also about putting in a sufficient amount of work as a college student. This class is a lot of balance.
- Should have attended a little more but have IBS which affects my morning time routine more than I want
- This course was challenging for me. However, I think I learned quite a bit and hopefully I will not have to retake it. However, if I do, I wouldn't want to take it with anyone but Melissa
- This semester is the best I've done in Spanish in college and I owe a lot of it to Melissa for being an excellent professor.