

Spanish Basic – MidTerm Study Guide

Topics covered:

- Greetings/Goodbyes
- Introductions (yourself, someone else)
- Saying where you are from
- Telling the date, day, and time
- Giving your phone number and email address
- Descriptions – describing people and things using adjectives (alto, rubio, delicioso, malo, etc)
- What you like and don't like (me gusta, te gusta, etc)
- The verb *ser* (Yo soy, tú eres, etc)
- The verb *Tener* (Yo tengo, tú tienes, etc)
- Telling your age and birthday
- Agreement – checking to see if nouns/verbs/adjectives agree in gender and number
- Articles – The definite articles meaning “the” (el, la, los, las)
- The preposition “de” meaning “of/from” and the forms (de, del, de la, de los, de las)

Speaking Test: 25%

For the speaking test you will be asked questions in **Spanish** and need to answer in complete sentences in **Spanish**. You may get any of the following questions. Use the blanks to fill in the answers in SPANISH.

- What is your name? - ¿Cómo te llamas? _____
- Where are you from? - ¿De dónde eres? _____
- How are you? - ¿Cómo estás? _____
- What is your phone number? - ¿Cuál es tu número? _____
- What day is today? - ¿Qué día es hoy? _____
- What is the date? - ¿Qué fecha es hoy? _____
- What time is it? - ¿Qué hora es? _____
- Who is your best friend? - ¿Quién es tu mejor amigo? _____
- What are you like (How are you)? - ¿Cómo eres? _____
- What do you like? ¿Qué te gusta? _____
- Are you tall or short? ¿Eres alto o bajo? _____
- Are you blonde, brownhaired, or redhaired? ¿Eres rubio, moreno, o pelirrojo?

- How old are you? ¿Cuántos años tienes? _____
- What food do you like? ¿Qué comida te gusta? _____
- Do you like ... sports/animals/cars/books/movies? ¿Te gustan
deportes/animales/carros/libros/películas? _____
- What books/movies/music do you have/like? ¿Qué libros/películas/música tienes/te gustan?

Listening Test: 25%

You will hear conversations and questions using the vocabulary and grammar from this chapter. Make sure you have looked over your vocabulary and notes. Similar to what we have practiced in class.

Reading Test: 25%

You will have to read short paragraphs or conversations and answer questions about them. You can practice readings by looking through the examples in the book.

You will also have to match sentences or do multiple choice to show you understand what things mean.

For example:

¿Qué hora es? a. Me llamo Susana b. Soy de Puerto Rico c. Son las siete

Writing Test: 25%

You will need to write a short paragraph describing yourself or a friend. You will have to describe yourself/friend physically and what their personality is like. You need to give ages and birthdays. You need to be able to talk about likes and dislikes and what items you have or don't have. The topics will follow the chapter topics and will be similar to the speaking.

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