SPANISH, SUBJECT MATTER PREPARATION

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Requirements

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Code	Title	Hours
Lower Division Required Courses (0-3 units) 1		
SPA 110	Beginning Spanish I 1	3
SPA 111	Beginning Spanish II ¹	3
SPA 220	Intermediate Spanish I ¹	3
SPA 221	Intermediate Spanish II ¹	3
SPA 280	Grammar for Spanish Composition ²	3
Upper Division Required Common Core Courses		
SPA 306	Advanced Composition, Syntax and Stylistics II	3
SPA 311	Structure Of Spanish	3
SPA 330	Interpreting Hispanic Literature	3
SPA 340	Practical Spanish for Interpreters and Translator	s 3
or SPA 341	Advanced Conversation	
SPA 350	Contemporary Culture of Spain	3
SPA 351	Contemporary Culture of Spanish-Speaking America	3
SPA 400	Teaching School Subject Matter in Spanish	3
SPA 414	Spanish Phonology	3
SPA 430	Spanish Morphology	3
SPA 440	Spanish Syntax	3
SPA 450	History of the Spanish Language	3
SPA 453	Literature Of Spain	3
SPA 454	Cervantes: Don Quijote	3
SPA 456	Literature of Spanish America	3
SPA 461	Lecturas Mexicanas y Chicanas	3

- Students take beginning and intermediate Spanish courses as needed; those who have completed two, three or four years of high-school Spanish or any community college Spanish will be placed in the appropriate semester of college Spanish in consultation with a departmental advisor. Students may get credit for some of these courses through the Advanced Placement Examination in either Language or Literature, by challenging them (but never in descending order), and/or by transferring equivalent courses from other institutions.
- ² All Single Subject Students must take this course at CSUDH.
- ³ UNV 300 Early Field Experience is optional.