

## Spanish 202 - Course Concepts

( Prior to beginning this course students are expected to know all the Spanish 101, Spanish 102, and Spanish 201 concepts and vocabulary.

*See Spanish 101, 102, 201 - Course Concepts and Vocabulary for details.)*

Spanish 202 concentrates on applying learned grammar to reading, writing and speaking. Students will review difficult grammar concepts and learn more advanced and subtle points of grammar. Reading and speaking are important components of this course. Students are required to read intermediate level narratives, cultural information, and literary short stories for comprehension, class discussion and written analysis. Emphasis is also placed on listening comprehension. Students will have the opportunity to watch Spanish speaking movies for comprehension and class discussion. The course is conducted entirely in Spanish. Students are expected to speak exclusively in Spanish while in class.

By the end of Spanish 202, students should be more comfortable using all verb tenses, orally and in writing. Students are expected to be able to express themselves using the preterit and imperfect, the subjunctive, the perfect tenses and use grammar such as relative pronouns, direct and indirect object pronouns and gustar and reflexive verbs with more confidence. Students will be introduced to Spanish literature and culture via selected readings from Spanish and Latin American authors.

For more information, please contact the Spanish Department at 231-777-0445.