

AP Summer Work Description

¡Hola! I am so excited to get back in the classroom with you for AP Spanish Language and Culture next year! In the meantime, there are a few things you can do to keep up your skills over the summer. We hit the ground running in AP and YOU NEED TO KEEP THOSE SKILLS SHARP OVER THE SUMMER! I would like you to do the following over the summer, so when we meet up in the fall, you can tell me a bit about what you have been up to! **PLEASE SEND ME AN EMAIL AND LET ME KNOW YOUR CHOICE!**

You can choose from the following list of options:

1. Keep a vlog of what you are doing over the summer. This is a great option to help build those speaking skills vital to your success on the AP test! You will be able to present this to the class when we come back in the fall. You can use flipgrid for this option. If you are interested in this option, please let me know before you start your vlog! This is a great option as the videos are very short!
2. Do some research into a country/subject in the Spanish-speaking world that interests you. I know this is a BROAD topic...it should be! YOU have lots of different interests. You can investigate different artists, musicians, aspects of culture, current events, politics, history, etc...
3. Interview someone from a Spanish-speaking country (in Spanish, of course). Ask this person about what it's like living abroad. What are the benefits? What are the disadvantages? What does he/she miss most about his/her native country? You can record the interview and present it in class as well!
4. Attend a hispanic festival (might be a little difficult during covid, but not impossible). Tell us what you did, saw, ate (that's the best part!)
5. If you like being in the kitchen, record yourself preparing a traditional recipe (no, quesadillas don't count!) from the Spanish-speaking world. Pretend you on a Spanish-speaking cooking show and you are giving the class step-by-step instructions! Be sure to record yourself!

Most of all, HAVE FUN! The best thing to do is PRACTICE...especially speaking, if you can. Find someone to practice conversing in Spanish, whether it be someone at work, at home, someone from school...just PRACTICE! Watch television, AS MUCH AS YOU CAN in Spanish. Listen to music in Spanish. Download the app Radio Garden on your phones. This will give you the ability to go to any radio station in the world and listen in real time. I look forward to seeing you in the fall! ARRIBA VILLAINS!