## **WORLD LANGUAGES**

## Spanish I - 11412X0 1 CREDIT French I - 11012X0 1 CREDIT

The Level 1 Modern Languages course is the first in a multi-course sequence of communicative, proficiency-based courses. In Level 1, students learn the foundations of the language's vocabulary and structures in order to communicate in simple sentences on simple topics related to basic, necessary skills in the target language. Classes are conducted primarily in the target language with a strong focus on comprehensible input at a level appropriate for novice learners. Activities focus on students' abilities to perform in the interpersonal, interpretive, and presentational modes with a strong focus on target culture literacy. As in all courses in modern languages sequence, the goal is that students will be able to use what they have learned now and in the future. Students who successfully complete the course will demonstrate Novice Mid proficiency or above. Typical topics in level one courses include personal identity, family, and activities in the community.

## **Spanish 2- 11422X0 1 CREDIT French 2 - 11022X0 1 CREDIT**

The Level 2 Modern Languages course is the second in a multi-course sequence of communicative, proficiency-based courses. In Level 2, students build on the linguistic foundations which they studied in Level 1. Students continue building on the foundation from Level 1, communicating in increasingly more complex situations and with greater depth. Classes are conducted primarily in the target language with a strong focus on comprehensible input at an appropriate level for novice learners, with added complexity compared to Level 1. Activities focus on students' abilities to perform in the interpersonal, interpretive, and presentational modes with a strong focus on target culture literacy. Students who successfully complete the course will demonstrate Novice High proficiency or above. Typical topics in level two courses include travel survival skills, entertainment, childhood, and daily life around the world.

## Spanish 3 Honors - 11435X0 1 CREDIT French 3 Honors - 11035X0 1 CREDIT

The Level 3 Modern Languages course is the third in a multi-course sequence of communicative, proficiency-based courses. The Level 3 course builds upon the many ideas, themes, and structures learned in Levels 1 and 2 for students to communicate in complex, higher-level sentences on a variety of topics, both familiar and new. Classes are conducted primarily in the target language with a strong focus on comprehensible input at an appropriate level for intermediate learners, with added complexity and elaboration compared to Levels 1 and 2. Activities focus on students' abilities to perform in the interpersonal, interpretive, and presentational modes with a strong focus on target culture literacy. Students who successfully complete the course will demonstrate Intermediate Low proficiency or above. Topics in Level 3 will vary, but leverage increasing language skills to examine the world on a global scale with themes that lay the foundation for courses such as AP/IB.