

Spanish Binder

Three ring 1" - 1.5" Binder with 5-tab dividers

Your Spanish binder will be a reflection of all your work this semester, therefore, it is important that you meet all the expectations. You will need a 3-ring binder with 5-tab dividers. The binder can be of any size, but I recommend 1" or 1.5". The divider tabs can be purchased very cheaply (\$1) or you could improvise your own with sticky notes, tape, or clips.

Binder Quizzes

The binder will be checked in the form of a binder quiz at least twice per term. If you follow instructions and keep your binder neat and organized every day, this is an easy grade! Binder quizzes will require you to write the question or answer to a random exercise, select terms from a set of vocabulary notes, the date in which a grammar rule was given, and so on. These quizzes will be unannounced and will be timed. If you're organized every day, you'll find the answers quickly!

The following order should be followed:

1. Title Page

- Your full name
- Name of class
- Block and Room Number
- My name

2. Class Papers

- Course Expectations and Policies
- Media Lab Form
- Class Dojo Form
- Binder page (this page)
- Header template page
- Writing rubric
- Speaking rubric
- Important Websites Page

3. Tabs Organization

Tab #1 - Calentamientos

- Daily warm-ups or bell-ringer activities will be placed here. For each warm up activity, write the date in Spanish, the name of the activity, and copy and answer the activity itself. It is expected of you to self-check these exercises as we go over them; using a different colored pen is highly recommended. Warm ups may be randomly collected.

Tab #2 - Notas

- In this section you will write all of your notes for the class. This includes all vocabulary terms, grammar rules, reading notes, textbook activities, etc. You can have your notebook or a stack of papers here.

Tab #3 - Verbos

- In addition to writing grammar rules in your notes section, we will dedicate a whole section just for collecting the verbs we will be learning throughout the semester. Each verb should include a translation, subject pronouns chart, and its conjugation in the different tenses.

Tab #4 - Cuaderno

- At the beginning of every chapter, I will provide you with a workbook packet. These packets will be either assigned as homework or done in class and will be collected here. Additional worksheets given in class, like listening activities, will also go here.

Tab #5 - Pruebas

- Any tests or quizzes handed back for you to keep will be kept here. Additionally, you should keep track of grades from online quizzes and tests in a grade log sheet as well.