

# SPANISH LANGUAGE HERITAGE SPEAKER (CERT)

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## CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

This certificate prepares bilingual students to acquire an understanding of Hispanic cultures and literature to attain fluency in the Spanish language in all areas: speaking, reading and comprehension, and writing. In addition, students will enhance their critical thinking skills, and will be introduced to a variety of Latinx authors. Likewise, it will prepare students to face various professional opportunities that require the Spanish language in the workplace.

This certificate is a steppingstone that brings students closer to transfer to a four-year university as it provides the required core for the AA-T in Spanish. Therefore, students who successfully complete the certificate will be able to communicate competence at an advanced conversational and writing level.

## Program Student Learning Outcomes

- Students speak fluent Spanish in professional, educational, and informal settings
- Students identify the important writers of the literary and philosophical Hispanic tradition.
- Students recognize the various elements of Hispanic culture
- Students comprehend philosophical, historical, and fictional works in Spanish

## Program Requirements

Code Number	Course Title	Units
<b>Required Courses</b>		
SPAN 111	Elementary Spanish for Spanish Speakers	5.0
SPAN 112	Elementary Spanish for Spanish Speakers	5.0
SPAN 201	Intermediate Spanish	5.0
SPAN 202	Intermediate Spanish	4.0
<b>Total Units</b>		<b>19</b>