

Tarea de Verano 2007-2008

**Español I
Español II-Pre AP
Español III-Pre-AP,
Español IV-Regular
Español IV- AP**

Español V-H

Objective: To make connections to the Hispanic world/culture which will initiate the weaving of a large tapestry of collective works.

Choose one of the following options: This assignment should be done entirely in Spanish.

Spanish I students may do their assignment in English.

This is due on: The first week of school!

Here are some helpful URLs!

Latin American Countries www.lanic.utexas.edu

Hispanic Heritage www.neisd.net/read/hispanic_heritage/hispanic_history.htm

Language www.ethnologue.com

Tutorial www.studyspanish.com

Tutorial www.teachspanish.com

1) Research a Hispanic poet or author.

- ⌚ Choose a poem or piece of literature. Please bring the literary piece to class.
- ⌚ Prepare a power point presentation (5-7) slides to be presented orally in class, explaining what you believe the author is trying to convey. Express your opinion. Include the author and title of the work in your presentation.
- ⌚ Instead of a Power Point you may use a collage, a film or another avenue to present.
- ⌚ Give a brief biography of the author in your presentation.
- ⌚ Use bullet format for each slide and use **YOUR OWN** words to succinctly expand your thoughts. **DO NOT** just download information from the computer and use it. This will NOT be accepted and you will have to do the assignment correctly. Use **large front** for **adequate** viewing of presentation in class.

2) Research a Hispanic artists (visual artist) or entertainer (musician, singer, actor, etc.)

- ⌚ Choose a piece of art (painting, drawing, sculpture, etc.) or entertainer's work

(film, song, etc.)

- ⌚ Prepare a power point presentation (5-7 slides) to be presented orally in class, explaining what you believe the artist or entertainer is trying to convey. Describe what you perceive from the piece. Include the artist/entertainer and title of the work in your presentation.
- ⌚ Instead of a Power Point you may use a collage, a film or another avenue to present.
- ⌚ Give a brief biography of the artist/entertainer in your presentation.
- ⌚ Use bullet format for each slide and write **YOUR OWN** succinct sentences. **DO NOT** just download information and present it. This will not be accepted and you will have to redo the assignment correctly.

3) Make your own alphabet book! (This option is for Spanish I and II only!)

- ⌚ **Each letter must be represented with a picture.**
- ⌚ **Write the word in Spanish that correlates with the picture and letter.**
- ⌚ **Be creative and make sure your work is neat and well de**