





# HOLA

<u>Bonjour</u>



Welcome to the World Language Exploratory program at LMS! Throughout your 7<sup>th</sup> grade year, you will have the opportunity to learn a little bit about the three foreign languages offered at LMS: Spanish, French and Mandarin. You will have approximately 30 days of each language. After experiencing all three languages and cultures, you will then select the language you would most like to study during your 8<sup>th</sup> grade year.

### Below are some of the topics that may be covered in each language survey course:

Alphabet/Pinyin Names Colors /Descriptions

Basic Greetings Numbers Culture Introductions Calendar Family Members

## What you will need to bring to class (and take with you) every day:

- Your computer
- 1 inch binder with divided sections (for each language) and lined paper
- Pencil and pen (blue or black)
- Assignment book
- Any homework or assignments due
- Other materials that may be given out during the course

## <u>Grading:</u>

You will receive a grade at the completion of each language survey course. All three grades will be averaged together at the end of the year to create your final grade. Grading policies may differ slightly from class to class, but each category will be worth the same.

<ul> <li>Projects</li> </ul>	30%
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- Quizzes/Tests 30%
- Participation 20%
- Class work 10%
- Homework 10%

## Expectations:

- Arrive to class on time and with all necessary materials
- Be respectful of other students and teachers
- Be on-task at all times
- Participate in class
- Always put forth your best effort

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