To exempt Spanish 101

SPA 101

➢ You should be able to demonstrate an understanding of and be able to use:

A) Grammar topics:
Nouns (gender and number and the definite/indefinite article), pronouns (subject, object, demonstrative), adjectives (demonstrative, descriptive, possessive, quantity), adverbs, present tense of “ser” and “estar”, verbs (present tense of regular and irregular, stem-changing, present progressive), the verb “hay”, expressions with the verb “tener”, uses of the verb “ir”, negative and affirmative expressions, ordinal numbers, the personal “a”, the verb “gustar”, “saber” and “conocer”

B) Vocabulary topics:
Greetings and salutations, expressions of courtesy, school, family, places around the city and town, calendar, rooms of the house and chores, pastimes and sports, and music and theater vocabulary

On the exemption exam, there are grammar sections, short answer questions, multiple choice questions, a reading section, and a listening part.

To exempt Spanish 102

SPA 102

➢ You should be able to demonstrate an understanding of and be able to use:

A) Grammar topics:
Preterit tense verbs (regular and irregular), imperfect tense verbs, Preterit vs. imperfect tenses, commands (formal and informal), comparisons and superlatives, present subjunctive, object pronouns, “por vs. para”, hace + time, verbs likes “gustar”, prepositional phrases, qué vs. cuánto, reflexive verbs, long form possessives, use of the infinitive

B) Vocabulary topics:
Foods and meals, clothing and shopping, health and body parts, travel and vacations, the environment and politics

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To exempt Spanish 201

SPA 201

➢ You should be able to demonstrate an understanding of and be able to use:

A) Grammar topics:

- The present indicative tense
- *Ser* and *estar*
- The preterite
- The imperfect
- The preterite vs. the imperfect
- Hace + time expressions
- Reflexive verbs and reciprocals
- *Gustar* and similar verbs
- Using the infinitive after prepositions
- Use of the article
- Using the participle w/ “estar”
- *Por* and *para*
- Object pronouns - direct, indirect, reflexive, together
- The subjunctive (in noun/indefinite clauses; doubt/denial; emotions; suggestions, etc.)
- Commands (formal and informal; direct and indirect; positive and negative; placement of pronouns)
- The Present Perfect tense
- The Past Perfect tense
- The Present Perfect Subjunctive
- The Relative Pronouns “que” and “quien”

B) Vocabulary topics:

- Personal and physical description
- Physical/emotional states
- The Family
- Sports and Leisure activities
- The home / furnishings / rooms in the house
- Celebrations and party vocabulary
- Food and kitchen terms
- Travel and vacations / modes of transport
- Technology
- Environment and nature/ecology
- Relevant cultural activities (readings, handouts, videos) as chosen by Instructor

On the exemption exam, there are grammar sections, short answer questions, multiple choice questions, a reading section, a listening part, and a speaking component.
To exempt Spanish 202

SPA 202

➢ You should be able to demonstrate an understanding of and be able to use:

B) Grammar topics:

- The subjunctive in adverbial clauses
- The subjunctive in adjective clauses
- The past (imperfect) subjunctive
- The past (pluperfect) subjunctive
- Comparisons
- The Future tense
- The Conditional tense
- The Future Perfect tense
- The Conditional Perfect tense
- Uses of the infinitive
- Uses of se: accidental, passive voice, and reciprocal
- Si clauses
- Summary of the indicative and the subjunctive - knowing when to use each

B) Vocabulary topics:

- Stores
- Places in the City
- Jewelry and personal items
- Professions
- Business Concepts
- Work at the office
- Visual Art
- Music and Theatre
- Television and Cinema
- The Environment
- Animals
- Geographic terms
- The Human Body
- The Doctor’s office
- Symptoms, Illnesses, and Conditions

On the exemption exam, there are grammar sections, short answer questions, multiple choice questions, a reading section, a listening part, and a speaking component.