Overview: Unit Theme-Time with Friends (United States)

Students in Level 1A will cover unit standards such as; communication, cultures, connections, comparisons and communities. Within the unit standards for communication students will demonstrate ability to communicate in the target language through discussing activities they do, communicating likes and dislikes of activities and things, describing self and others, giving information about where they are from and be able to identify people and things.

Within the unit standards linked to culture students will explore Los Premios Juventud, Art of Xavier Cartada, the favorite activities of Florida teenagers, Mexican and Tex-Mex food in the United States and Los Cascarones.

Students will make connections through geography: learning of cities old and new, mathematics: calculating distances, English Language Arts by discovering places in the U.S. with Spanish names, and through exposure to Tex-Mex music.

Comparisons will be made about places of interest teenagers like to visit, places students go in their free time, famous performers and athletes, restaurants with foods from other countries, family traditions and discussion of cultural likes and differences for young people. Linguistically, students will compare the Spanish p, t, and ñ, the English p, t, and /ny/ sound.

Through discussion of cultural family traditions and restaurants with food from Spanish- speaking countries, students will link culture and language to community.

This instruction must include science, social studies and technology, as well as College and Career readiness, by utilizing the NJ Student Learning Standards as mandated by the New Jersey Department of Education. Technology is integrated into instruction in meaningful ways. Students and teachers use digital tools and information to solve problems individually and collaboratively to create and communicate knowledge. Resources and activities found on the Technology Resource Page provide a variety of differentiated learning opportunities to meet the needs of individual students. Activities range in levels outside of grade level to meet the academic needs and learning styles of all students.

All lessons are differentiated to accommodate classified, ESL, and advanced students. Accommodations/modifications as per IEP and 504 Plans will be implemented. Enrichment activities designed to challenge the more advanced students include independent study and project-based learning through active

Overview	Standards for World Language Content	Unit Focus	Essential Questions
Unit Uno: En Los Estados Unidos-Pasar Un Rato Con Los Amigos	 7.1.NM.IPRET.1 7.1.NM.IPERS.4 7.1.NM.IPERS.5 7.1.NM.PRSNT.4 7.1.NM.PRSNT.5 WIDA 1, 2 The struct 	 Students will practice and recall vocabulary to be able to describe themselves and others, including personal preferences. Students will create descriptive sentences with the use of the verb SER and adjectives in the target language. Students will be able to demonstrate knowledge of adjective agreement and use of definite and indefinite articles in written communication. Students will describe activities and foods they like to eat using the verb GUSTAR. Students will identify people and say where they are from using conjugations of the verb SER. 	 How does knowing how to describe myself and help me form new friendships? How does knowing how to communicate my preferences about what I like to do, help strengthen new friendships?

				Pacing	
Curriculum Preliminary Unit	Standards		Days	Unit Days	
	7.1.NM.IPRET.1	Identify familiar spoken and written words, phrases, and simple sentences contained in culturally authentic materials and other resources related to targeted themes.	8		
	7.1.NM.IPERS.4	Give and follow simple oral and written directions, commands, and requests when participating in classroom and cultural activities	9	45	
	7.1.NM.IPERS.5	Imitate gestures and intonation of the target culture(s) native speakers when greeting others, during leave-takings, and in daily interactions.	8		
	7.1.NM.PRSNT.4	Copy/write words, phrases, or simple guided texts on familiar topics.	8		
	7.1.NM.PRSNT.5	Present information from age- and level- appropriate, culturally authentic materials orally or in writing.	7		
	Asses	ssment, Re-teach and Extension	5		

Unit 1- Grade 7				
Core Idea	Indicator #	Performance Standards		
Learning a language involves interpreting meaning	FORN	Identify familiar spoken and written words,		
from listening, viewing, and reading culturally	7.1.NM.IPRET.1	phrases, and simple sentences contained in		
authentic materials in the target language.		culturally authentic materials and other		
		resources related to targeted themes.		
Interpersonal communication is the exchange of	FORN	Give and follow simple oral and written		
information and the negotiation of meaning between	7.1.NM.IPERS.4	directions, commands, and requests when		
and among individuals.		participating in classroom and cultural activities.		
Interpersonal communication is the exchange of	FORN	Imitate gestures and intonation of the target		
information and the negotiation of meaning between	7.1.NM.IPERS.5	culture(s) native speakers when greeting others,		
and among individuals.		during leave-takings, and in daily interactions.		
Presentational communication mode involves	FORN	Copy/write words, phrases, or simple guided		
presenting information, concepts, and ideas to an	7.1.NM.PRSNT.4	texts on familiar topics.		
audience of listeners or readers on a variety of topics.				
Presentational communication mode involves	FORN	Present information from age- and level-		
presenting information, concepts, and ideas to an	7.1.NM.PRSNT.5	appropriate, culturally authentic materials orally		
audience of listeners or readers on a variety of topics.		or in writing.		
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Spanish 1A-7th Grade

Unidad Uno: En Los Estados Unidos-Pasar Un Rato Con Amigos

Unit 1 Grade 7				
Assessment Plan				
 Quizzes on basic vocabulary and simple grammar points. Class Participation Class Discussion Graded Listening Activities Writing Activities Warm-up Activities Teacher Observation Cumulative Benchmark Assessment on Unit 	Alternative Assessments: • Project: "¿Quién Soy Yo?-All About Me" Google Slide Presentation • Graded Writing: "Mi Opuesto-My Opposite" • One on One Speaking Test			
Resources	Activities			
 Avancemos 1A Workbook/Textbook End of Unit Vocabulary Lists Authentic documents and material Teacher created materials Multimedia Resources 	 Students will create descriptive statements thematic to unit by writing sentences about the students in the pictures including: what they look like, personality traits and activities they may enjoy. Students will create a document or slide show describing themselves using adjectives to describe themselves and activities they enjoy. Students will practice conjugation of the verb SER by changing it to fit pronouns they are presented with. Students will create simple sentences that demonstrate their knowledge of the verb SER, GUSTAR, in hand with vocabulary thematic to spending time with friends. The students will identify the appropriate definite and indefinite articles for the specific nouns according to person and gender. The students will translate sentences from English to Spanish using the correct adjective and noun agreement and comparing the differences used with both person and gender. Students will ask peers whether they like certain foods and beverages. Students will create sentences that reflect the activities they and others like to do and foods they eat throughout the day. Students will identify various Spanish speaking countries on a map and state their origins. Students will create and utilize a verb chart showing the conjugations of the verb SER and its translations. 			

Instructional Best Practices and Exemplars				
1. Identifying similarities and differences	6. Cooperative learning			
2. Summarizing and note taking	7. Setting objectives and providing feedback			
3. Reinforcing effort and providing recognition	8. Generating and testing hypotheses			
4. Homework and practice	9. Cues, questions, and advance organizers			
5. Nonlinguistic representations	10. Manage response rates			

9.1 Personal Financial Literacy, 9.2 Career Awareness, Exploration, Preparation and Training & 9.4 Life Literacies and Key Skills

9.1.8.CR.2: Compare various ways to give back through strengths, passions, goals, and other personal factors.

9.1.8.PB.5: Identify factors that affect one's goals, including peers, culture, location, and past experiences.

9.2.8.CAP.12: Assess personal strengths, talents, values, and interests to appropriate jobs and careers to maximize career potential.

9.4.8.CT.1: Evaluate diverse solutions proposed by a variety of individuals, organizations, and/or agencies to a local or global problem, such as climate change, and use critical thinking skills to predict which one(s) are likely to be effective (e.g., MS-ETS1-2).

9.4.8.IML.7: Use information from a variety of sources, contexts, disciplines, and cultures for a specific purpose (e.g., 1.2.8.C2a, 1.4.8.CR2a, 2.1.8.CHSS/IV.8.AI.1, W.5.8, 6.1.8.GeoSV.3.a, 6.1.8.CivicsDP.4.b, 7.1.NH. IPRET.8).

9.4.8.TL.2: Gather data and digitally represent information to communicate a real-world problem (e.g., MS-ESS3-4, 6.1.8.EconET.1, 6.1.8.CivicsPR.4).

9.4.8.TL.3: Select appropriate tools to organize and present information digitally.

The implementation of the 21st Century skills and standards for students of the Winslow Township District is infused in an interdisciplinary format in a variety of curriculum areas that include, English language Arts, Mathematics, School Guidance, Social Studies, Technology, Visual and Performing Arts, Science,

Physical Education and Health, and World Language.

Additional opportunities to address 9.1, 9.2 & 9.4:

Philadelphia Mint

https://www.usmint.gov/learn/kids/resources/educational-standards

Different ways to teach Financial Literacy.

https://www.makeuseof.com/tag/10-interactive-financial-websites-teach-kids-money-management-skills/

Modifications for Special Education/504 Accommodations

Students with special needs: The students' needs will be addressed on an individual and grade level using a variety of modalities. Accommodations will be made for those students who need extra time to complete assignment. Teacher will be available to aid students related to IEP specifications. 504 accommodations will also be attended to by all instructional leaders. Expectations and modifications, alternative assessments, and scaffolding strategies will be used to support this learning. The use of Universal Design for Learning (UDL) will be considered for all students as teaching strategies are considered. Students will be provided with accommodations and modifications that may include:

*Small group instruction * Read directions aloud * Extended time as needed *Provide shortened assignments *Repeat directions as needed *Sentence Starters *Pictures, photographs *Word Wall *Project Based Learning

*Modeling and guided practice

- *Repeat, rephrase and clarify directions
- * Break down assignments into smaller units
- *Modify testing format
- *Graphic organizers
- *Manipulatives

Modifications for At-Risk Students

Formative and summative data will be used to monitor student success. At first signs of failure, student work will be reviewed to determine support. This may include parent consultation, basic skills review and differentiation strategies. With considerations to UDL, time may be a factor in overcoming developmental considerations. More time will be made available with a certified instructor to aid students in reaching the standards.

- Audio books and Text-to-speech platforms
- Leveled texts/Vocabulary Readers
- Leveled informational texts via online
- Extended time as needed
- Read directions aloud
- Assist with organization
- Use of computer
- Emphasize/highlight key concepts
- Recognize success
- Provide timelines for work completion
- Break down multi-step tasks into smaller chunks
- Provide copy of class notes and graphic organizer

English Language Learners	Modifications for Gifted Students
All WIDA Can Do Descriptors can be found at this link: https://wida.wisc.edu/teach/can-do/descriptors Grades 7-8 WIDA Can Do Descriptors: Listening Speaking Reading Writing Oral Language Students will be provided with accommodations and modifications that may include: Graphic short stories Extended time as needed Read directions aloud Assist with organization Use of computer Emphasize/highlight key concepts Recognize success Provide timelines for work completion Break down multi-step tasks into smaller chunks Provide copy of class notes Graphic organizer Sentence Starters Manipulatives Pictures, photographs Word Wall Project Based Learning	 Students excelling in mastery of standards will be challenged with complex, high level challenges related to the topic. Raise levels of intellectual demands Require higher order thinking, communication, and leadership skills Differentiate content, process, or product according to student's readiness, interests, and/or learning styles Provide higher level texts Expand use of open-ended, abstract questions Critical and creative thinking activities that provide an emphasis on research and in-depth study Enrichment Activities/Project-Based Learning/ Independent Study Additional Strategies may be located at the links: Gifted Programming Standards Webb's Depth of Knowledge Levels and/or Revised Bloom's Taxonomy REVISED Bloom's Taxonomy Action Verbs

Interdisciplinary Connections

*<u>ELA</u>:

A.W4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

A.W5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach.

A.W6. Use technology, including the Internet, to produce and publish writing and to interact and collaborate with others.

RI.7.4. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the impact of a specific word choice on meaning and tone.

L.7.5.B Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings. Use the relationship between particular words (e.g., synonym/antonym, analogy) to better understand each of the words. Distinguish among the connotations (associations) of words with similar denotations (definitions)

*Mathematics:

7.NS.A.1 Apply and extend previous understandings of operations with fractions to add, subtract, multiply, and divide rational numbers. Apply and extend previous understandings of addition and subtraction to add and subtract rational numbers; represent addition and subtraction on a horizontal or vertical number line diagram.

7.RP.A.2 Analyze proportional relationships and use them to solve real-world and mathematical problems. Recognize and represent proportional relationships between quantities.

*Social Studies:

6.1.8.GeoSV.4.a: Map territorial expansion and settlement, highlighting the locations of conflicts with and resettlement of Native Americans. **6.1.8.HistoryCC.4.d:** Analyze the push-pull factors that led to increase in immigration and explain why ethnic and cultural conflicts resulted.

Integration of Computer Science and Design Thinking NJSLS 8

8.1.8.CS.1: Recommend improvements to computing devices in order to improve the ways users interact with the devices.

8.1.8.IC.1: Compare the trade-offs associated with computing technologies that affect individual's everyday activities and career options.

8.1.8.DA.3: Identify the appropriate tool to access data based on its file format.

8.1.8.DA.1: Organize and transform data collected using computational tools to make it usable for a specific purpose.

8.1.8.AP.6: Refine a solution that meets users' needs by incorporating feedback from team members and users.