

## Spanish Picture Study

This course allows students to gain exposure to the Spanish language through picture study. Starting at a young age with hearing and seeing the language in action is an excellent building block for learning the desired language and enjoying it. Charlotte Mason believed that children should hear the language spoken first; it's then that they can enjoy seeing the words in print truly. So, just as an infant learns to speak his or her first language, by listening and seeing words spoken, the same holds true for learning a second language. This course is just that, a picture study using the language of Spanish.

This course will be online through the Canvas platform, where any assignments and additional communication will be posted. We will be meeting live using Zoom as our means of seeing, hearing, and speaking Spanish as a class. We will be using the Alveary Picture Study Lessons for Form 2 (Grades 4-6) and supplementary items. It is a 36-week class that will meet twice a week. Homework will be very minimal because most assignments will be completed within the class time, however, occasionally if a child is interested additional supplements can be done if a child is particularly interested in the subject outside of class time. Exams will be given and graded for each term.

The canvas platform will be used for communication and is free. Each student will need an email account to register. You can register using a parent's email account, but they will need it to access the course. If registering with more than two children there will need to be two email accounts one for each student.

## Supplies needed:

- Canvas account (information to be sent out)
- Documents printed (provided by Charlotte's Web)
- Modern Language Notebook (Class Printable Documents on Canvas)
- Calling the Doves/El canto de las palomas by Juan Felipe Herrera
- Print the Spanish Grades 4-6 Packet (Alveary)

Pre-requisites: Needs to be in grades four or higher.

Live meetings- Will be held weekly on Tuesday & Thursday from 3:30 pm-4:00 pm EST

Cost: \$300 for the year per student

Course enrollment min/max: 4/10

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