

Oliveira-Spanish 3 Regents-Periods 2, 3, 6, & 7

Dear students, parents, and guardians:

I hope you and your family are doing well! While things may seem a little stressful and new, I want you to assure you that we will figure this out together. It is my goal to get you the information you need to be successful in this course and to help you navigate what our learning will look like together. Collectively, John Jay is moving forward and we are planning for this Friday, April 3 as our first day of classes.

As we begin our learning this way, I have tried to make the least number of changes to our regular routine to help you have an easier transition. Here is some important information you will need to keep handy:

- Assignments will be displayed through Google classroom as we have done throughout the year. Most of the lessons will be video recorded by using screencastify accompanied by an activity that you are expected to complete using kami in order for you to answer the questions without having to print anything. You will notice that the due dates are arranged to give you ample time to complete as you arrange your schedule to accommodate your other classes. Please use this time effectively to give yourself time to ask questions, seek help and complete the assignment so that you don't fall behind. If I see the need to hold a Google Meet class, I will let you know in advance so that you can plan accordingly. Also, please remember that in order to access your assignments and receive notifications, you must be logged off of your personal Google account and logged in to your school google account.
- The best way to reach me is by school email: louie.oliveira@wcsdny.org or you can send/post a question via Google Classroom or send me a remind notification.
- I will have **office hours ON DEMAND** between regular school hours of 7:30 am-2:30 pm but will also be available after school hours until 6:00 pm with arrangements made. This means I will be available to answer any questions you have by email, via Google Classroom or via Google Meet or remind; whichever is easier or more effective for you. You just need to send me a message via email or Google Classroom and I will direct you from there. I realize that some of you may be working on your assignments after those hours. If you need help after hours, please send me an email or a Google Classroom message. I will respond to it as soon as I am able to just as I have been doing all year long.

Our first assignment together is to do a “**test run**”-google form. This means we want to see if you have access to begin working this way and if you can check in. Please go to the assignment marked “**Welcome to Distance Learning**” in our classroom and complete it. It is short and an easy start-- so don't be overwhelmed!

When you submit it, it will record your name and I will be able to see that you were able to get the information I set up for you. Please complete this by the end of the day Friday 4/3. As I need you to complete it so we can see what we need to get you if anything. It will count as a Bonus Assignment worth 2 points.

I also hope that you've had the time to review the material that I posted for you during these past two weeks. If you haven't please take time now to do so as I will be using that material as I continue instruction. You will see that I will begin to set due dates and grades as we go forward.

There are still a lot of questions we all have, including grades, tests, and what the rest of the year might look like. Don't worry, I will share any information we get with you as soon as it becomes available. For now, be well! I miss you all very much and I miss seeing you all at school! Hasta pronto.

Sincerely,
Señor Oliveira

Communication will be through google classroom and remind! Please make sure you are connected to both.

All periods 2, 3, 6, & 7 for **Remind** is the same-text to 81010 text message @oliveirasp or the link is <https://www.remind.com/join/oliveirasp>

Google classroom codes (most of you are signed up already, but this is for your parents as well) by period:

Period 2 code is:d5yx4kf

Period 3 code is:3xikr62

Period 6 code is:tdx6bew

Period 7 code is:v4v2zvz

Distance Learning will officially begin this Friday, April 3rd! Please answer the google form in google classroom, in order to know that you are in communication with me.

Plans:

1. Check google classroom for daily updates.

2. **Assignment Two weeks ago:**I posted last week on google classroom that you should've watched Catrina episode 5 and to complete pages 41-48 in the video workbook, since you read the chapter, defined the vocabulary, and answered the review questions already(was due on March 9th). This was checked a week ago. If you did not complete those assignments, please complete them. If you would like to send me a photo of the pages of the workbook for me to check and let you know if you did it correctly, you may do so. I will check it (workbook pages 41-48) when we return.
3. **Catrina chapter 5 Vocabulary Review Sentences**-if you need a copy of the list it's on Google classroom-this was completed on March 9th. For review and practice write 25 sentences as we usually do by choosing any 5 vocabulary words in each page/section on that list pages 37, 38, 39, 40, 42.
4. **Catrina Chapter 5 Review Comic Strip:** Use your summary/notes that you wrote on chapter 5 to create a comic strip/draw (visual aid) of important scenes you felt you should remember for that chapter.
5. **Collages/Essay- Todo sobre mi evento (preterite review)**-I will be checking over your rough draft essay so that you can receive credit. You will be doing a similar assignment soon.
6. **Estudio/Quizlet-Present tense/Preterite (Past Tense) Review/Chapter 6 Tecnomundo/Technology Vocabulary/Catrina Review:** I will post on estudio.quia.com assignments for reviewing grammar, listening comprehension, reading comprehension (article on technology). Everyone should have their username and password. If you are still having trouble logging on please email me or send a remind message so I can give you that information. The review material is also on quizlet which has grammar, vocabulary for technology, and Catrina Vocabulary.
Period 2 Quizlet link- <https://quizlet.com/join/XuKj9NFxB>
Period 3 Quizlet link-<https://quizlet.com/join/usmXXhtVt>
Period 6 Quizlet link-<https://quizlet.com/join/mBvutFCNK>
Period 7 Quizlet link-<https://quizlet.com/join/jYwW579Cb>
7. Any questions or concerns please contact me. I will be giving you feedback as we go. Stay safe. We are in this together. Hasta pronto.