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# Maximize Student Success in AP SPANISH

(Grades 6-12)





A Unique One-Day Live Online Seminar Presented by

# **Diego Ojeda**

Award-Winning AP Spanish Teacher, Author, and National Presenter

**Specifically Designed for Educators Teaching AP Spanish** 

Proven ways to improve your AP Spanish students' success

Practical tips to help your students be more prepared for the AP Spanish exam

Specific strategies that help showcase students' Spanish language proficiency

Receive an extensive **AP Spanish resource digital handbook** packed with ready-to-use ideas

#### **LIVE ONLINE SEMINARS**

#### March 4

**9 AM Eastern**, 8 AM Central, 7 AM Mountain, 6 AM Pacific

#### March 13

**9 AM Central**, 8 AM Mountain, 7 AM Pacific, 10 AM Eastern

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#### **CAN'T ATTEND?**

Order the recorded version and take the seminar online at your convenience (see page 6)

This day was so valuable!

- SARA ZIELINSKI, SPANISH TEACHER

# **Ten Key Benefits of Attending**

"Informative and thorough. Great examples, and extra tidbits since Diego was a scorer of AP Spanish. Bravo!

- LEONARDO DE ANDRADE, **SPANISH TEACHER** 



#### **Who Should Attend**

Specifically Designed for **Educators Teaching AP** Spanish

#### 1. Maximize Student Learning in Your AP Spanish Classes

Get the best from your students in your AP Spanish classes ... Learn ways to foster greater student independence and responsibility for their language learning journey

#### 2. Enhance Your Students' Performance on the AP Spanish Exam

Gain valuable insights, tips and techniques that can boost your students' performance and significantly improve their success on the AP Spanish exam

#### 3. Help Your Students Achieve a Deeper Understanding of Spanish Language Nuances

Practical ways to incorporate cultural understanding into your current instructional program and motivate students to engage in a more authentic use of the Spanish language

#### 4. Advance Your Spanish Learners' Communication Skills

Receive practical tools and strategies to help your AP Spanish learners communicate more fluently, write more effectively, and comprehend more complex texts ... Enrich their Spanish communication skills!

#### 5. Help Students Overcome AP Exam Related Challenges

Discover effective AP Spanish exam strategies your students will thank you for! Leave this seminar with prove ways to help your advanced Spanish learners approach the exam with greater confidence

#### 6. Help Students Have More Meaningful and Complex Spanish Conversations

Foster greater confidence in your student's ability to speak and understand conversational Spanish ... Techniques for enabling your students to engage in more meaningful, complex conversations in Spanish

#### 7. Practical Writing Techniques for the AP Spanish Classroom

Equip your students with the writing skills they need to convey their thoughts in Spanish more effectively ... Get practical tips and techniques that you can use in your AP Spanish classes immediately

#### 8. Improve Your AP Spanish Students' Listening Comprehension

Listening to understand is highly important when learning how to communicate effectively ... Walk away with engaging exercises and activities that mirror real-world language use and improve your students listening comprehension in Spanish

#### 9. Maintain an Effective Instructional Balance in AP Spanish

Between grammar, vocabulary, cultural understanding, communication skills, and AP exam prep, how does it all fit for an effective balance of instruction? Ensure your students receive all-around language proficiency with ready-to-use ideas proven in Diego's own AP Spanish classroom

#### 10. Receive a Comprehensive AP Spanish Digital Resource Handbook

You'll leave with a digital resource handbook filled with activities, ideas, and resources you can use immediately to maximize the success of your AP Spanish students!

# **Outstanding Strategies You Can Use Immediately**

#### What You Will Learn ...

- Align your AP Spanish lessons with understandable language input
- Keys to developing the Spanish proficiency and comprehension skills necessary for the AP Spanish exam
- Best ways to help your AP Spanish students consistently build fluency and confidence in their communication skills
- Engaging activities that can be seamlessly integrated into lessons, fostering language practice and application
- Practical ways to promote more engaging student discussions, presentations, and activities
- How to leverage technology to enhance your student's language learning experience
- Access to authentic resources, interactive exercises, and language practice beyond traditional classroom material
- How to align integrated tasks and performance expectations of the AP Spanish exam
- Ways to leverage **the cultural component** of the AP Spanish exam
- Ideas that encourage and prepare students for the interpersonal communication component of the exam
- **Techniques that optimize language learning** and align with the rigorous nature of the AP Spanish curriculum
- Practical ways to excel in the speaking component of the AP Spanish exam





 $^{\circ}$ Full of ideas and strategies. Many things I can begin introducing even in earlier levels. Understanding what is ahead is Key."

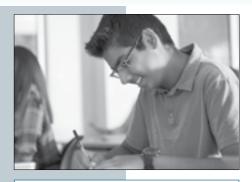
- CHANTAL CASTILLE, MIDDLE SCHOOL SPANISH TEACHER

#### **Practical Ideas and Strategies**

Designed exclusively for teachers of AP Spanish language and culture, this seminar presents dozens of easily applicable techniques and activities aimed at improving students' success in AP Spanish. Award-winning AP Spanish instructor DIEGO OJEDA has crafted an engaging one-day seminar brimming with practical ideas and strategies, offering a dynamic exploration of how your students can more actively engage with the Spanish language, and ultimately communicate more effectively in Spanish and find greater success on the AP Spanish exam. Rooted in the utilization of the Standards for Foreign Language Learning, this seminar seamlessly integrates an array of tried-and-true strategies as well as innovative new ideas to help each student to achieve success in mastering the intricacies of AP Spanish language and culture. Plan to leave this one-day seminar equipped with practical ideas, classroom tested instructional strategies, and a comprehensive digital resource handbook with dozens of tools and resources specifically for AP Spanish language and culture instruction.



# A Message From Seminar Leader, Diego Ojeda



#### **Uniquely Qualified** Instructor

**DIEGO OJEDA** is an experienced and passionate AP Spanish teacher, a recognized comprehensible poetry author, as well as a seasoned national world language presenter. He is an award-winning world language teacher, acknowledged for his outstanding and innovative teaching style that he brings every day to his AP Spanish Classes. Diego is co-founder of the international, well-known world language professional learning network LangChat and the popular personal learning network CharlaEle1 for Spanish teachers. Diego brings a refreshing, culturally aware, innovative perspective to the teaching of the Spanish language. Diego's instructional strategies are ideal for educators meet the needs of advanced placement Spanish students. In addition, Diego is the author of Maximize Student Success in AP SPANISH, the comprehensive digital resource handbook each participant will receive at the seminar.

#### Dear Colleague:

In our rapidly evolving world, marked by technological advancements, global connectivity, and increased travel opportunities, the significance of learning Spanish and engaging in AP Spanish Language and Culture classes has never been more pronounced. Beyond mere vacation phrasebooks, today's students are recognizing the imperative to communicate proficiently in languages beyond English. Particularly in the United States, the role of the Spanish language holds a unique prominence, woven into the fabric of our multicultural society. In our AP Spanish classrooms, we hold the power to equip our students for a future that necessitates cross-cultural competence.

With over three decades experience teaching Spanish in my native Colombia and in the United States, across middle, high school, and college levels, I bring a wealth of insights to share with you at this one-day seminar. I understand the nuanced challenges we face, and I am committed to helping you navigate them effectively and with ease. The techniques and resources I've honed over the years are at your disposal, and readily available to you in the comprehensive digital resource handbook you'll receive at the seminar. As educators, the more we collaborate and share, the more profoundly we impact our students' learning journeys. Plan to leave this interactive day of learning with dozens of actionable strategies and practical applications you can use immediately in your AP Spanish classroom.

I extend a sincere invitation for you to join me and your AP Spanish colleagues at this seminar. It promises to be a valuable experience for AP Spanish teachers, offering practical tools, inspirational strategies, and a supportive network of like-minded AP Spanish educators. Together, we can empower our students not only to excel in Spanish language and cultures, but also to thrive beyond the classroom as global citizens in our interconnected world!

Sincerely,

Drego Ogeda Diego Ojeda

I know your time is valuable. This seminar will emphasize practical strategies that you can immediately implement with your AP Spanish students!

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# What Your Colleagues Say About Diego Ojeda

"Amazing! Diego is an excellent presenter and generous, sharing many resources."

- Giselle Clouatre, Teacher of Spanish II, IV and AP

"This was **the best workshop I have attended! Sr Ojeda is insightful, experienced, knowledgeable, and very helpful.** I appreciate all the activities, documents, and stories that he has shared with us. I plan on using his suggestions in class, starting tomorrow. Thanks again!"

- Rosa Przetak, Spanish Teacher

"Diego is an **INVALUABLE** source of information for not only the exam, but the advancement of language acquisition (CI, etc). The materials he shares are excellent. He **takes the fear out of the exam not only for teachers, but more importantly for our students."** 

- Kathleen Flanagan, Teacher in Charge of World Languages

"Full of ideas and well-organized. I always feel more confident after watching Diego's webinar trainings! One of my favorite presenters!"

- Louis Oliviera, Spanish Teacher







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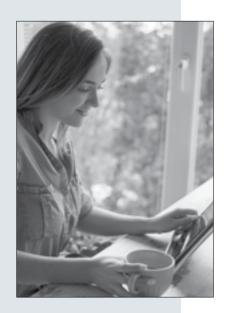
#### **Highly Interactive**

You'll be able to ask questions, consult with the instructor, and share ideas with other participants.

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As we have for 48 years, we guarantee the high quality of our programs. If you are not satisfied, we'll give you a 100% refund.

# **Special Benefits of Attending**



Estoy muy agradecida por todo de hoy. Aprendí un montón de cosas y conocí a una persona hermosa y generosa en Diego. Gracias otra vez."

> - BROOKE NICHOLAS, **SPANISH TEACHER**

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#### **Extensive Digital Resource Handbook**

Each participant will receive an extensive digital resource handbook giving you access to countless strategies. The handbook includes:

- Unique tips and trips to maximize the success of AP Spanish students
- Effective tools and resources to help your students be more successful on the AP Spanish exam
- · Practical templates and ideas you can use immediately in your AP Spanish classes
- Ready to use visuals and resources to support your AP Spanish instruction

#### **Share Ideas with Other Educators**

This seminar provides a wonderful opportunity for participants to share ideas with other educators interested in enhancing their AP Spanish program.

#### **Consultation Available**

Diego Ojeda will be available for consultation regarding your questions and the unique needs of your own program.

#### **Meet Inservice Requirements / Earn State CEUs**

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A related On-Demand Video-Based Online Learning course, Enhancing Spanish Language Instruction: Practical Activities to Strengthen Your Students' Proficiency in Spanish, for Grades 6-12, is available for immediate registration. To enroll, visit www.ber.org/online

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#### Fee

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