

April 30, 2008

To current and future Spanish Students,

Learning Spanish can be difficult, especially if you have never studied foreign language before or are unfamiliar with St. Pius's language program and text. Take advantage of the two summer review courses that St. Pius is offering for rising 9th grade Spanish students.

Students who will be in Spanish 1 in the fall of 2008 will have the opportunity to meet future classmates and practice basic Spanish vocabulary and grammar in the *Spanish Fundamentals Course* offered this summer. The focus of the course is to strengthen the student's second language foundation and to build confidence in speaking and writing Spanish. The grammar topics we will cover include subject/verb agreement, possessive adjectives, present tense verb conjugations, interrogatives, and vocabulary fundamentals.

Students who will be in Spanish 2 in the fall of 2008 will have the opportunity practice intermediate Spanish vocabulary and grammar in the *Spanish Enrichment and Conversation Course*. This course is designed for students who need a refresher on the topics taught in Spanish 1, those that come from a feeder-school or public-school Spanish program, and those that simply cannot practice speaking Spanish over the three-month summer break. The focus of this course is to prepare students for intermediate Spanish classes by reviewing essential Spanish grammar and practicing oral production of the language. The grammar topics we will cover include: present-tense verb conjugations, past tense verb conjugations, direct and indirect object pronouns, and the formation of commands.

Both classes are eight-hour tutorials consisting of four classes, two hours each day, at a cost of \$110.00. The courses will be held at St. Pius and taught by Ms. Jennifer Bafundo.

SPANISH FUNDAMENTALS:

Tuesday, July 15 – Friday, July 18

10:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.

SPANISH ENRICHMENT & CONVERSATION:

Tuesday, July 15 – Friday, July 18

1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Attached is a registration form for your convenience. Registration forms are also available on my website. Since only a limited number of spaces are available in each course, students will be accepted on a first come first serve basis. Mark your course preference on the registration form. A \$55.00 deposit is required at the time of registration with the balance of \$55.00 due on the first day of class.

Make checks payable to St. Pius X Catholic High School and include the student's name and the course name on the check. Please send your check and completed registration form by Friday, June 27th, to St. Pius **Attention: Jennifer Bafundo**, and write the course name on the envelope. If you should have to cancel your registration please let me know immediately. A full refund will be given if you cancel BEFORE the deadline, June 27th. However, if you cancel AFTER the deadline, the \$55.00 deposit will NOT be refunded. For more information, please email me at jbafundo@spx.org.

Sincerely,

Jennifer A. Bafundo

Spanish Course Registration, Summer 2008

REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS FRIDAY, JUNE 27th

Name: _____

Place: St. Pius X Catholic High School (Room 214)

Dress: Casual

Cost: \$110.00

Q I will attend the Spanish Fundamentals Course. (10:45am – 12:45 pm)

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Q I will attend the Spanish Enrichment and Conversation Course. (1:00pm – 3:00 pm)

This course is for students who will be in Spanish 2 in the fall of 2008. This course is designed for students who need a refresher on the topics taught in Spanish 1, those that come from a feeder-school or public-school Spanish 1 program, and those that simply cannot practice speaking Spanish over the three-month summer break. The focus of this course is to prepare students for intermediate Spanish classes by reviewing essential Spanish grammar and practicing oral production of the language. The grammar topics we will cover include: present-tense verb conjugations, past tense verb conjugations, direct and indirect object pronouns, and the formation of commands.

Please check the box for one of the following payment options.

Q Enclosed is a check _____ for the deposit of \$55.00.
Print check number

I understand that the remaining balance is due on the first day of class, Tues. 7/15.

Q Enclosed is a check _____ for \$110.00 (payment in full)
Print check number

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Contact information: (Please Print)

Parent Name	
Home #	
Cell #	
Work #	
Email	

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____