

Spanish Basic Language Program Evaluation Criteria for Participation

5 points

All of the following: logs in a few minutes before the class officially starts, is prepared for class, attends entire class period, actively participates by responding to questions either in chat or orally or both, answers polls, voluntarily and regularly raises hand to contribute, **speaks exclusively in Spanish** to the class, the instructor, and in small groups. Works well with others, has a positive and respectful attitude. Instructor is very aware of the student presence and engagement.

4 points

Any two of the following: logs in when the class is about to start, limited preparation for class, leaves early (no more than five minutes) or leaves the class for a short period of time, sometimes does not participate in activities as instructed, **sometimes speaks in English** to the class, the instructor, and/or in small groups. Instructor can notice that the student is present in the virtual room and engaged.

3 points

Any three of the following: logs in no more than five minutes late, limited preparation for class, is present but not actively engaged, leaves early or leaves the class for a short period of time, does not participate in activities as instructed, **often speaks in English** to the class, the instructor, and/or in small groups. Instructor cannot always tell whether the student is present in the virtual room and engaged.

2 points

Any four of the following: logs in late, limited preparation for class, is present but not actively engaged, leaves early or leaves the class for a short period of time, does not participate in activities as instructed, **speaks mostly in English** to the class, the instructor, and/or in small groups, does not work well with others. It is hard for the instructor to tell if the student is present in the virtual room and engaged.

1 point

Any five of the following: logs in late, limited preparation for class, is present but not actively engaged, leaves early or leaves the class for a short period of time, does not participate in activities as instructed, doesn't try to communicate in Spanish to the class, the instructor, and/or in small groups, does not work well with others. It is very hard for the instructor to tell if the student is present in the virtual room and engaged.

0 points

More than five of anything listed in the 1-point description above and/or any one of the following: logs in more than twenty minutes late, does not answer instructor's questions, is disruptive, has a negative attitude and/or shows disrespectful behavior, is passive during group activities. Instructor does not notice the presence of the student in the virtual room. Student was absent from class with no valid excuse or has used all of their unexcused absences for the semester; no basis for evaluation.