**I Heart Spanish Class Syllabus**

**Teachers:** Christine Velasco, Karina Garcia

**Location:** Location: Lotus Tai Chi Art & Culture Building
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**Course Description:** Students will be immersed in Spanish through music, games, conversation and fun! The topics we will cover include: Basic salutations, Count to 20+, Spanish Alphabet, Introduce Popular Spanish Songs, Cultural traditions from Mexico, Central and South America, Animal Names, Body Parts, Days of the Week, Colors, The Body, Where is…, I like/I want…, Small/Medium/Large

**Course Objectives:** For the student to grasp a foundation of conversational Spanish phrases, songs, sounds and patterns that we will build on each class and each semester.

**Materials Needed:** All materials will be provided by the teacher

**Grading and Evaluation Policy:** Grading is Pass/Fail and is based on Attendance (80%) and the Post Semester Exam (70%).

**Make-up classes:** Absences beyond the 3 approved absences can be made up in the following ways:
1. One hour’s worth of community involvement where Spanish is being spoken or where culture is being displayed/taught/learned.
2. One-hour worth of online learning (duolingo.com, rockalinga.com, etc.)
3. Other cultural/language experience pre-approved by the teacher

**End of Class Performance:** We will have an end of class performance for parents and family to watch. We will perform songs that were learned this semester.