



Sparkenthusiasm Newsletter February Edition

Hello, Colleagues! Here is the long-anticipated newsletter that we plan to send monthly to all who are interested. We plan to include new ideas, games, video links, news about what we are doing in our classrooms, and other resources in each newsletter. Please email us at sparkenthusiasm@gmail.com if you have ideas or resources to share.



We are planning for our annual Spanish Immersion Day with other area high school Spanish students and many phenomenal Spanish Teachers on Saturday, March 17th. The pertinent forms and information are attached to this email for any of you who would like to attend or invite your Spanish students.



Link to photos, video, and games & activities we played at previous Immersion Days: http://www.sparkenthusiasm.com/spanish_immersion_day.html

Link to how to plan an immersion day for your students:

http://www.sparkenthusiasm.com/how_to_plan_an_immersion_day.html



Valentine's Day is this week, so if you need teaching materials, bulletin boards, vocabulary activities, Valentine writing activities, Power Points, or other ideas, please visit these links:

<http://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Complete-Spanish-Valentines-Day-Unit-El-Dia-de-San-Valentin>

<http://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Valentines-Day-Power-Point-in-Spanish-El-Dia-de-San-Valentin>



For upper level classes, here is a link for a video that offers a fun way to review informal commands while learning the do's and don'ts for a first date. There are also many other instructional videos on this site that can be used to reinforce vocabulary topics for upper level students.

<http://relaciones.practicopedia.com/citas/que-hacer-en-la-primera-cita-834>



We also plan to upload new videos and resources to our Facebook page, so please consider becoming our friend on Facebook! Check out some new items that we just uploaded on our Facebook wall.

All the best to you in your teaching endeavors!



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