A. COURSE DESCRIPTION
   Credits: 4
   Lecture Hours/Week: *.*
   Lab Hours/Week: *.*
   OJT Hours/Week: *.*
   Prerequisites: None
   Corequisites: None
   MnTC Goals: Goal 08 - Global Perspective
   Study and practice of the four basic skills: listening, speaking, reading, and writing. Stress on pronunciation, basic grammatical forms, and language patterns. Special emphasis on the Hispanic culture and civilization. Liberal Education Goal Area 8.

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 08/22/1997 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS
   1. Basic listening skills
   2. Basic reading skills
   3. Basic speaking skills
   4. Basic writing skills
   5. Correct pronunciation
   6. Grammatical forms
   7. Language patterns
   8. Hispanic culture and civilization

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)
   1. practice self-expression on personal, cultural, and current topics with limits of linguistic ability.
   2. read level appropriate material.
   3. communicate in the language using appropriate protocol.
   4. write short compositions on familiar topics.
   5. understand the spoken language at an elementary level.

E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies
   Goal 08 - Global Perspective
   1. Describe and analyze political, economic, and cultural elements which influence relations of states and societies in their historical and contemporary dimensions.
   2. Demonstrate knowledge of cultural, social, religious and linguistic differences.
   3. Understand the role of a world citizen and the responsibility world citizens share for their common global future.

F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT
   As noted on course syllabus
G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted