## Walton Academy K-3 Foreign Language: Spanish Goals and Objectives

**Instructional Techniques:** Successful language learning activities are geared to the children's interest level and motor skills. Because primary age children have a short attention span and tire quickly, instructional techniques are varied and age appropriate. They involve large muscle physical activities, such as Total Physical Response (TPR); concrete experiences; dramatic and role play; along with the use of visuals, manipulatives, songs, games, and rhymes.

- Use single words and simple, memorized phrases to express needs, preferences, and feelings.
- Understand the meaning of simple, spoken greetings, words, and phrases, when accompanied by visual clues and/or prompts, as needed.
- holidays
- weather
- days of the week
- months
- seasons
- colors
- numbers
- shapes
- nature
- foods
- emotions
- home
- daily classroom activities
- greetings
- subjects