

# **Bienvenido a Español**

Spanish is an exciting language to learn. This learning experience begins the moment your child enters the doors at Kent School. Whether in Little School or the eighth grade, Spanish becomes an integral part of the curriculum.

Here in the Lower School, the students are introduced to Spanish vocabulary and simple grammatical structure through songs, stories, games and art projects. This initial experience at such a young age is so important to acquiring foreign language. By fourth grade, the students are able to incorporate the verbal and written elements of the foreign language. Through listening, speaking, singing and interacting with the language, these young students establish a solid foundation in Spanish.

Many topics are covered throughout the year. This fall the Lower School students studied numbers, colors, the calendar, weather, body, clothing and Christmas traditions around the world.

If you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact Betsey Hottel at [bhottel@kentschool.org](mailto:bhottel@kentschool.org)