

Departmental Overview

Spanish is taught in two specialist classrooms which have an interactive whiteboard. The department is fully resourced with textbooks and other resources, such as reading books, for student use. The department makes use of a number of interactive resources for students to use at home, such as Español Extra. Homework is often a mix vocabulary learning and written work.

Departmental Staff

Mrs C Gilson Faculty Leader, Progress Leader years 9 and 10.

Mr P Jones Assistant Head teacher.

Year 7 Spanish

Examination/Specification
National curriculum
Curriculum Overview
LC1 Personal details LC2 My Family LC3 Descriptions LC4 My house LC5 School
Examination/Key Assessments
Pupils sit a test in week 5 of every learning cycle. The test includes a listening, reading and writing test.
Homework
Homework is usually set once a week and will include either a learning task or a written task.
How parents can help
Test pupils on vocabulary Allow pupils to access Spanish online resources.

Year 8 Spanish

Examination/Specification
National Curriculum
Curriculum Overview
LC1 My city LC2 Hobbies (likes and dislikes) LC3 Free time (present tense) LC4 Food LC5 Daily routine
Examination/Key Assessments
Pupils sit a test in week 5 of every learning cycle. The test includes a listening, reading and writing test.
Homework
Homework is usually set once a week and will include either a learning task or a written task.
How parents can help
Test pupils on vocabulary Allow pupils to access Spanish online resources.

Year 9 Spanish

Examination/Specification
National Curriculum
Curriculum Overview
LC1 Healthy lifestyles LC2 Holidays (future tense) LC3 Chores and spending money LC4 Last weekend (past tense) LC5 Holidays (past tense)
Examination/Key Assessments
Pupils sit a test in week 5 of every learning cycle. The test includes a listening, reading and writing test.
Homework
Homework is usually set once a week and will include either a learning task or a written task.
How parents can help
Test pupils on vocabulary Allow pupils to access Spanish online resources.

Year 10/11 Spanish

Examination/Specification
AQA GCSE
Curriculum Overview
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Identity and Culture</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">-Me, family and friends- Free time activities• <u>Local, National and International Areas of Interest</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">-Environment and social issues-Travel and Tourism• <u>Current and Future Studies and Employment</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">-School life-Further education-Ambitions
Examination/Key Assessments
<p>Pupils sit a test in week 5 of every learning cycle. The test includes a listening, reading and writing test. All formal assessment comes at the end of year 11. There is an examination in each of the 4 skill areas, listening, speaking, reading and writing.</p>
Homework
Homework is usually set once a week and will consist of a reading or a written task.
How parents can help
<p>Test pupils on vocabulary Allow pupils to access Spanish online resources. Make sure all homework is complete.</p>