

KS3 Spanish

Approximate available lessons based on 2 lessons per week over a 37 week year; assuming approximately 8 lessons missed for holidays/other subject activities/PSHE/exams. Exact curriculum timings are approximate due to holidays/ other subject trips and activities / PSHE / internal examinations.

All topics across KS3 will have ongoing formative assessment including:

- Questioning techniques
- Peer/self-marking and assessments
- Written exercises
- Presentations
- Class activities and role plays

All topics will have some form of summative assessment to test the knowledge and skills covered within the topic. These will take the forms of:

- End of topic tests
- Creative projects
- Speaking challenges

All topics will include real-world contextualisation to ensure that the links between classroom content and practical application are encouraged and emphasised.

Year 7 includes learning much linguistic terminology to aid and accelerate future language acquisition.

	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9
Topic and Content	Term 1 Unit 1: Mi vida - My life	Unit 1: Mis vacaciones - My holidays - Talking about a past holiday - Saying where you went and how you travelled - Describing activities in the past - Giving opinions in the past Unit 2: Todo sobre mi vida - All about my life - Saying how you use your phone - Saying what type of music you like - Talking about TV - Saying what you did yesterday	Unit 1: Somos así - This is us! - Talking about things you like and dislike - Talking about your weekly activities - Talking about films - Birthday celebrations and plans - Life as a celebrity Unit 2: Oriéntate - Get ready for work! - What you have to do at work - Saying what job you'd like to do - Talking about your future - Describing a typical day at work
	spare time - Talking about the weather - Saying sports you do and play Term 3 Unit 3: Mi insti - My school - Saying what subjects you study - Giving opinions about school subjects - Describing your school - Talking about breaktime Term 3 Unit 4: Mi familia y mis amigos - My family and friends - Describing your family	Unit 3: ¡A comer! - Let's eat! - Giving opinions about food - Describing mealtimes - Ordering a meal - Discussing what to buy for a party Unit 4: ¿Qué hacemos? - What shall we do? - Arranging to go out - Making excuses - Discussing how you get ready to go out - Talking about clothes	Unit 3: En forma - In shape - Diet and eating habits - An active lifestyle - Daily routine - Getting fit Unit 4: Jóvenes en acción - Young people take action - Children's rights - Life for migrants and children in Latin America - Caring for the environment - Comparing life and environment in the past and present; saying how a city has changed

	 Describing hair and eyes Saying what others look like Describing where you live Term 4 Unit 5: Mi ciudad - My city Describing your town or village Telling the time Saying what you're going to do at the weekend 	Unit 5: Operación Verano - Operation Summer - Describing a holiday home - Describing holiday activities - Giving directions - Recommending activities in Spanish speaking destinations	Unit 5: Introduction to the IGCSE course - I introduce myself - My home: describing where you live, your home, rooms and what you normally do at home - My school: talking about school subjects, the school day, school life and differences and similarities with Spanish speaking countries
Grammar	Unit 1- Definite articles (<i>el</i> , <i>la</i> , <i>los</i> , <i>las</i>), masculine, feminine, singular, plural nouns, -o/-a adjective agreement, saying I am (using <i>ser</i>) and I have (<i>tener</i>), numbers 1-31. Unit 2- Using <i>me gusta</i> + infinitive, conjugating regular -ar verbs in the present tense, using <i>hacer</i> and <i>jugar</i> (stem changing verbs) Unit 3- Conjugation of -ar verbs with <i>nosotros</i> (we), using <i>me gusta(n)</i> + <i>el/la/los/las</i> , using the correct word for <i>a</i> , <i>some</i> , and <i>the</i> , using -ir and -er verbs in the present tense, using <i>hay</i> Unit 4- Possessive adjectives, <i>ser</i> and <i>tener</i> , using <i>estar</i> for location Unit 5- <i>ir</i> (to go), the near future tense,	Unit 1- the preterite tense of <i>ir</i> (to go), -ar, -er, and -ir verbs, and <i>ser</i> (to be); using multiple tenses together. Unit 2- different types of opinion, the comparative, using the present and preterite tense together. Unit 3- formation of negatives, use of <i>usted/ustedes</i> (formal/informal register), the near future tense, using three tenses together. Unit 4- Using <i>me gustaría</i> to say what you'd like to do, using <i>querer</i> (to want) and <i>poder</i> (to be able to), stem-changing verbs, reflexive verbs, saying <i>this/these</i> . Unit 5- Other types of comparative, the superlative, the imperative.	Unit 1- Irregular and irregular verbs in the present tense, the near future tense, the preterite tense, using three tenses together when talking about yourself and others Unit 2- Using tener que + infinitive to express obligation, ways of talking about the future, adjective agreement, using three tenses together Unit 3- Using direct object pronouns, stem-changing verbs, reflexive verbs, using se debe/no se debe (impersonal structures) to express what you should and shouldn't do Unit 4- Using poder (to be able to), ways to express a point of view, using se debería (the conditional) to talk about

using a, some and many in Spanish.

what you should do, the imperfect

tense

			Unit 5- Review of: articles, masculine, feminine and plural nouns and articles, adjective agreement, regular and irregular verbs in the present and preterite, prepositions, types of pronoun, contractions, <i>gustar</i> type verbs, stem changing verbs
Skills assessed	AO1: Understanding of spoken texts in target language, AO2: Understanding of written texts in target language. AO3: Producing target language verbally and in writing. AO4: Understanding and application of grammatical knowledge.	AO1: Understanding of spoken texts in target language, AO2: Understanding of written texts in target language. AO3: Producing target language verbally and in writing. AO4: Understanding and application of grammatical knowledge.	AO1: Understanding of spoken texts in target language, AO2: Understanding of written texts in target language. AO3: Producing target language verbally and in writing. AO4: Understanding and application of grammatical knowledge.
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