

Spanish

Qualification: GCSE Spanish

Exam Board: Edexcel

Level of Achievement: GCSE Grades 9 - 1

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What will I learn?

The new GCSE course in MFL has been created to be engaging, fun and linked to the real life use of languages. There is no coursework for MFL, the course focuses on reading, listening, speaking and writing whilst also learning about the Spanish speaking world and cultures. You will study the following topics:

- My personal world
- Lifestyle and wellbeing
- My neighbourhood
- Media and technology
- Studying and my future
- Travel and tourism

family	friends	relationships	equality
physical well-being	mental well-being	food and drink	sports
places in town	shopping	transport	the natural world
environmental issues	social media and gaming	future opportunities (e.g. work, travel)	school
music	TV and film	accommodation	tourist attractions

How will I be assessed?

There is a set list of vocabulary that you will need to learn for this course, and you will only be assessed on words from that list. You will be assessed in 4 different skills:

Speaking exam (25%) Reading exam (25%) Listening exam (25%) Writing exam (25%)

Speaking, Listening, Reading & Writing. All the assessments will take place in year 11. Speaking exams take place in April/May, before the rest of GCSEs start. Each skill area will account for 25% of your final grade.

Future opportunities

A Level Spanish leading to either a Spanish degree or a combined degree (many combinations are possible).

Directly linked to interpreter or translator jobs. Also beneficial for Journalist, Marketing, Sales, Tour Manager, and overseas work.

