KS5 Spanish Curriculum Map

In MFL we aim to develop language skills in a variety of contexts and encourage a greater knowledge and understanding of grammar. Our courses encourage an imaginative and creative use of the foreign language and offers insight into the culture of where the language is spoken. Our MFL curriculum allows all of our pupils to achieve in the study of foreign languages. We aim to develop social skills by encouraging pupils to express opinions in a safe space.

Final Exam

Intensive and comprehensive exam preparation on all skills at A-Level Year 1 and Year 2

TERM 3

Political and Artistic Culture

Grammar
- Grammar revision
- Grammar in practice- translation

Aspects of political life in the Hispanic world: Monarchies and dictatorships
- *Franco's dictatorship*
- *Evolution of the monarchy in Spain*
- *Latin American dictators*

Aspects of political life in the Hispanic world: Popular movements
- *Efficacy of strikes and demonstrations*
- *The power of the unions*
- *Examples of social protest movements*

Grammar
- The passive
- Verbs that require different constructions
- Time constructions
- False friends
- Por vs. Para
- Number
- Mixed tense revision

Political and Artistic Culture

Aspects of political life in the Hispanic world: Young people of today, citizens of tomorrow
- *Young people and their attitude to politics: activism Vs apathy*
- *Unemployment amongst Young people*
- *Ideal society*

Social Issues and Trends

Multiculturalism in Hispanic Society: Cohabitation
- *Coexistence between cultures*
- *Education*
- *Religions*

TERM 2

Social Issues and Trends

Multiculturalism in Hispanic Society: Racism
- *Racist and Xenophonic attitudes*
- *Measures against racism*
- *Anti-racist legislation*

Grammar
- Nouns and determiners
- Adverbs, intensifiers and quantifiers
- Present tense
- Modes of address
- Ser vs estar
- Past tense
- Future tense

Grammar
- Infinitive constructions
- The subjunctive
- Constructions with 'si'
- The imperative
- Negatives

Multiculturalism in Hispanic Society: Immigration
- *Advantages and disadvantages*
- *Immigration in the Hispanic world*
- *Problems with illegal immigrants*

YEAR 13

TERM 1

Book Study- Como agua para chocolate
- *Plot*
- *Themes*
- *Characters / Characterisation*
- *Style & stylistic features*
- *Imagery*
- *Form and technique of presentation*

Year 1 exam period

Pupils to follow Academy Exam Schedule.

NB: Following completion of exam pupils are to continue working on Independent Research Project for the speaking exams. Complete presentations and detailed notes to cover question and answer section of exam.

Revision of year 1

Practice of exam-specific skills and assessment tasks in speaking, essay writing, listening, reading, summary writing and translation into and from target language.

Grammar
- Number
- Grammar in context- Translation
- Grammar revision

Grammar
- Constructions with 'si'
- Verbs that require different constructions
- The imperative
- Time constructions
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- Por vs. para

TERM 3

Independent Research project

Begin to prepare Independent Research project for the speaking exam

Induction of research skills and independent exploration of general topic. Pupils to complete initial research notes and identify specific areas of interest.

- *Plot*
- *Themes*
- *Characters / Characterisation*
- *Style & stylistic features*
- *Imagery*
- *Form and technique of presentation*

Artistic Culture

Artistic culture in the Hispanic world: Cultural Heritage
- *Tourist and prehispanic sites*
- *Art and architecture*
- *Musical culture and diversity*

Artistic culture in the Hispanic world: Regional Identity
- *Traditions and customs*
- *Gastronomy*
- *Language*

Grammar
- Ser vs. estar
- Negatives
- Past tense
- Future tense

TERM 2

Film Study- 'Maria llena eres de gracia'

Grammar
- Subjunctive
- Passive
- Infinitive constructions

Social Issues and Trends

Aspects of Hispanic Society: Cyberspace
- *The influence of the Internet*
- *Social networks: benefits and dangers*
- *Smart phones in our society*

Aspects of Hispanic Society: Equality
- *Women in the labour market*
- *Chauvinism and feminism*
- *Gay and trans rights*

Artistic culture in the Hispanic world: The influence of idols
- *Singers and musicians*
- *Stars of TV and cinema*
- *Models*

YEAR 12

TERM 1

Artistic Culture

Social Issues and Trends

Aspects of Hispanic Society: Traditional and modern values
- *Changes in family life*
- *Attitudes towards marriage and divorce*
- *The influence of the catholic church*

Grammar
- Nounds
- Adjectives and adverbs
- Prepositions
- Conjunctions
- Pronouns
- Present tense

welcome

"The limits of my language are the limits of my world." Ludwig Wittgenstein