



Spanish

A Level

A Level Spanish builds on the knowledge, understanding and skills gained at GCSE. It is an integrated study with focus on language, culture and society across the Spanish-speaking world. It fosters a range of transferable skills including communication, critical thinking, research skills and creativity which are valuable when progressing to employment or further study.

Core Overview

Unit 1: Social issues and trends

Unit 2: Political and artistic Culture

Unit 3: Grammar

Unit 4: Works (study of one film and one text)

Unit 5: Individual Research Project

How will I learn?

- 1) Develop listening, reading, speaking and writing skills through authentic spoken and written sources in Spanish
- 2) Class and independent study
- 3) Conduct individual research, analysing and summarising findings

Where can I go after the course?

Careers: Teaching; Journalism; Politics; International Law; Interpreter or Translator in business, tourism management, media and the civil service; Advertising and Marketing; Banking; Retail Management; Local Government.
Further Education: Spanish; Linguistics; Politics; International Relations; Economics.

Entry Requirements

Standard 6th Form entry requirements.
It is preferred that students have a minimum of a GCSE grade 6 in this subject or have an equivalent level of proficiency in the language.

Assessment at the end of Year 2

Paper 1: Listening, Reading and Writing (50%)

Paper 2: Writing (20%)

Paper 3: Speaking (30%)

