

OVERVIEW

In Year 11 students complete their GCSE course. They will prepare for and sit 4 exams for Spanish: Speaking, Listening, Reading and Writing. Each of these exams is worth 25% of their final grade. Students begin the year with the school and future plans topic which is a familiar topic from KS3. They will then move onto the environmental and social issues topics which are relatively unfamiliar. The healthy living topic revisits food and drink language as well as sports and free time language from Year 10. Students finish the year by revisiting the holiday topic, which is an excellent way to revisit languages and the three time frames before their final exams.

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Theme 3: Unit 9-12

- Revision of subject and opinion language
- Talking about facilities in the school
- Talking about problems at school
- Describing what you did yesterday at school
- Talking about school rules

Theme 2: Unit 6 and 7

- Protecting the environment
- Ecological problems
- Talking about charities
- Talking about volunteering
- Talking about homelessness
- Helping others

Assessment:

Mock speaking Exams
(October)

BIG WRITE 90-word paper
4 task on Theme 3.

Mock 1 (November)

BIG WRITE 90-word / 150-
word paper 4 task on
Theme 2: Unit 6 and 7.

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Theme 2: Unit 6

- Healthy living
- Talking about healthy and unhealthy lifestyles
- Talking about your past lifestyle
- Saying what you are going to do in the future to stay fit

Theme 2: Unit 8

- Talking about holiday accommodation
- Talking about past holidays
- Talking about future and ideal holidays

Preparation for speaking exams**Assessment:**

BIG WRITE 90-word / 150-
word paper 4 task on
healthy living.

Mock Exam 2 (March)

BIG WRITE 90-word / 150-
word paper 4 task on
Theme 2: Unit 8.

Final Speaking Exams
(Date TBC)

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Revision and preparation for final exams

- Theme 1: Family and relationships, technology in everyday life, free time, customs and traditions.
- Theme 2: Hometown and neighbourhood, Social issues, Global issues, travel and tourism.
- Theme 3: School life, future plans post-16, work.

Assessment:

External GCSE
Exams (Dates TBC)

Paper 2- Speaking
(April)

Paper 1- Listening
(May)

Paper 3- Reading
(May)

Paper 4- Writing
(June)

Useful resources for supporting your child at home:

www.wordreference.com – Online dictionary

www.quizlet.com - Online quizzing and vocab building

Homework:

Grammatical consolidation

Vocabulary learning using Knowledge Organisers

Homework using revision guides

Preparation for Big Writes

Speaking Booklet