



Exam Board:



Components:

Social Issues and Trends

- AS: family, cyber-society, equal rights
- A2: immigration, racism, integration

Political and artistic culture

- AS: modern day idols, regional identity, cultural heritage
- A2: youth and citizenship, monarchies and dictatorships, popular movements

Assessment:

Paper 1: Listening,

Reading & Writing

- 2h30
- 100 marks (x2)
- 50% of A-level

Paper 2: Writing

- 2h
- 80 marks
- 20% of A-level

Paper 3: Speaking

- 21-23 min
- 60 marks (x2)
- 30% of A-level

Spanish

With languages, you are at home anywhere.



Summary

The AQA Spanish A-level course includes stimulating content to enable students to develop their linguistic skills alongside their understanding of the culture and society of countries where Spanish is spoken.

Students study technological and social change, looking at diversity and the benefits it brings. They will study highlights of Spanish-speaking artistic culture, including Hispanic music and cinema, and learn about political engagement and who wields political power in the Spanish-speaking world.

Students also explore the influence of the past on present-day Spanish-speaking communities. Throughout their studies, they will learn the language in the context of Spanish-speaking countries and the issues and influences which have shaped them. Students will study texts and film and have the opportunity to carry out independent research on an area of their choice.

Looking Ahead

This course will serve as an excellent preparation for students wishing to proceed to Higher Education.

Students who have the ability to offer potential employers the capability to speak a fluent level of Spanish with a high degree of accuracy possess an extremely marketable and sought-after skill. With the rapid development of international communications and trade, the relevance and value of the foreign language has never been more obvious.

Link Subjects

Spanish is versatile and can be studied later as a full degree or combined with a variety of subjects such as law, journalism, history, English, art and even music!

Key Skills Developed

Literacy, listening skills, public speaking, tolerance of

Student View

"I feel really supported in my learning of Spanish. The teachers are so helpful and the lessons are very cultural."

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