

SPANISH

Purpose: To encourage research on the Hispanic culture and to keep up to date with languages skills (Reading/Writing/Listening/Speaking).

We expect you to do some research into Hispanic language and culture over the summer. Fill in the learning log with details of what you have done each week to keep up your Spanish language skills.

1. Listen to Spanish-speaking radio / Spanish-speaking music charts to discover some Spanish-speaking groups / singers: <http://www.rtve.es/radio/radio3/> <http://www.cadenadigital.com/> <http://www.discomusicradio.com/>

Watch a series/film in Spanish – if you have Netflix, perfect 😊

2. Summer headlines - have a look at some of the following newspaper and TV sites and pick out **3 articles** that you find interesting or funny. <https://www.bbc.com/mundo> <https://www.20minutos.es/>. Bring these 3 articles to your first lesson. Pick out and look up at least 10 **new words** per article – write a vocab list.

3. Research the **Spanish Civil War**: e.g. brief causes, the opposing sides, and the aftermath (what life was like). Write approx. 100 words in English summarising what you have found out.

Also, **Research** *Federico Garcia Lorca*, *Guillermo del Toro* and *Francisco Franco* and find out at least 10 facts about each person. **Write** approx. 100 words in Spanish about each person – I would rather basic information than words which are not your own!!!

4. Improve your vocabulary by doing a little bit each day on **Quizlet** (search for AQA A Level Spanish).

<https://quizlet.com/246864749/aqa-a-level-spanish-flash-cards/>

<https://quizlet.com/gb/273215228/aqa-a-level-spanish-verbs-flash-cards/>

<https://quizlet.com/gb/273214732/aqa-a-level-spanish-essay-terminology-flash-cards/>

5. Practise your tenses: it is a **MUST!**

<https://studyspanish.com/verbs>

Vocab Express is also a good option to practise your tenses 😊

General grammar too:

<https://www.spanishdict.com/guide>

Return the completed learning log (you can make the boxes bigger to fit in more 😊😊) and submit in your first lesson 😊.