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| **Year 7 – Spanish-The year of the Present Tense** |
| **Curriculum intent** | We aim to offer a broad, vibrant and ambitious MFL Curriculum that will inspire and excite our students to become lifelong language learners.The opportunity to learn a foreign language is not limited to the grammar and vocabulary of Spanish, it is an experience of a different world, culture and traditions. It allows our students’ to learn something diverse from their everyday lives. Where possible we **replicate** the order by which children **naturally acquire their first language**. We therefore start in Year 7 by learning **key phonics**. The learning of these sounds is reinforced in every unit of work, when we introduce new Sentence builders/KOs. In Year 7 pupils learn the **key grammatical ideas** on which all languages are built. Students start by introducing themselves in the present tense, give opinions and talk about their **possessions**. This allows students to learn how adjectives behave, and the **importance of the genders** of nouns. Students also learn about the infinitives and how verbs **are conjugated**, including **common irregular** verbs such as 'to be' and 'to have'. This knowledge is essential in order to be able to access the Year 8 and 9 curriculum.In Spanish, students develop the four key skills of reading, writing, listening and speaking alongside building grammatical and phonetical confidence.  |
| **Term** | **Autumn Term** **Preséntate** | **Spring Term****Mi tiempo libre** | **Summer Term****Mi insti** |
| **Knowledge and Vocabulary focus** | **Mi Vida** * Alphabet and Phonics
* Talking about how you’re feeling
* Personality
* Name and age
* Family and pets
* When your birthday is
* Where you live
 | **Mi tiempo libre*** Saying what you do with your mobile
* What you do in your spare time
* Say what you like to do
* Say sports you do
 | **Mi Insti*** What subjects you study
* Your opinion about school subjects
* Describing your school uniform
* Describing what you do at break time
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| **Skills**On top of developing the key skill areas of:- Listening- Reading- Writing- SpeakingWe also develop the skill of:-Grammar-Phonics | GrammarAdjectival agreement, the verb ‘tener’Present TensePhonics focus:Spanish pronunciation and key vowel sounds.[a] [e] [i] [o] [u] [ñ]tener – 1st sgestar – 1st sgllamarse – 1st sgvivir – 1st sgConnectivesIntensifiersReflexive verbsVocabularyIntroductions and FeelingsName and ageMonthsDatesNumbersWhere you liveUse of sentence builders/Parallel Texts/EPI | GrammarOpinions using ‘me gusta + infinitive’, -AR verbs in the present tense, using ‘cuando’, The verbs ‘hacer’ and ‘jugar’.Phonics focus:Spanish pronunciation [ll] [gu] [j] silent hUse of sentence builders/Parallel Texts/EPIVocabulary jugarhacerserirencantarse – 1st/3rd sggustarse – 3rd sgodiar (1st/3rd sg)bailarcantarcocinarescucharleertocarverpensar (1st sg)Use of sentence builders/Parallel Texts/EPI | Grammar‘AR verbs and ‘we’ form, opinions with adjectival agreement, -ER and -IR verbsPhonics focus:Spanish pronunciation [e] [cu]+ vowel [ca] [ge] Use of sentence builders/Parallel Texts/EPIVocabularyestudiaraprender bailar comer y beber (escuchar hablar hacer jugar leer nadar ver encantarse (1st sg)gustarse (1st sg)preferer (1st sg)detester (1st s.)odiar (1st sg)aguantar (1st sg)pensar (1st sg)creer (1st sg)Use of sentence builders/Parallel Texts/EPI |
| **Assessments** | Fortnightly vocab quiz.Writing/Speaking assessmentReading assessment.  | Fortnightly vocab quiz.Writing/Speaking assessment | Fortnightly vocab quiz.Writing/Speaking assessmentListening and Readingassessment |
| **Enrichment** | **360 Virtual Tour of Málaga and the Costa del Sol***Extend your summer holiday virtually with a tour of Málaga and the many sights it has to offer including the beaches!*<https://360.visitacostadelsol.com>/ENGLISH/webenglish/webenglish.html | **Research a singer/ musician/ band from the Spanish speaking world.***Make a poster in the format of a Facebook profile for your music star.* | **Watch Episode 1 of Nailed It! España**https://www.netflix.com/watch/81093566?trackId=13752289&tctx=0%2C0%2Cbedd40ac65d453d5afc2f5fae4d17a05a2509221%3Abf57953b613f5d0938c1ad86e0c41022708a661b%2Cbedd40ac65d453d5afc2f5fae4d17a05a2509221%3Abf57953b613f5d0938c1ad86e0c41022708a661b%2C%2C |