

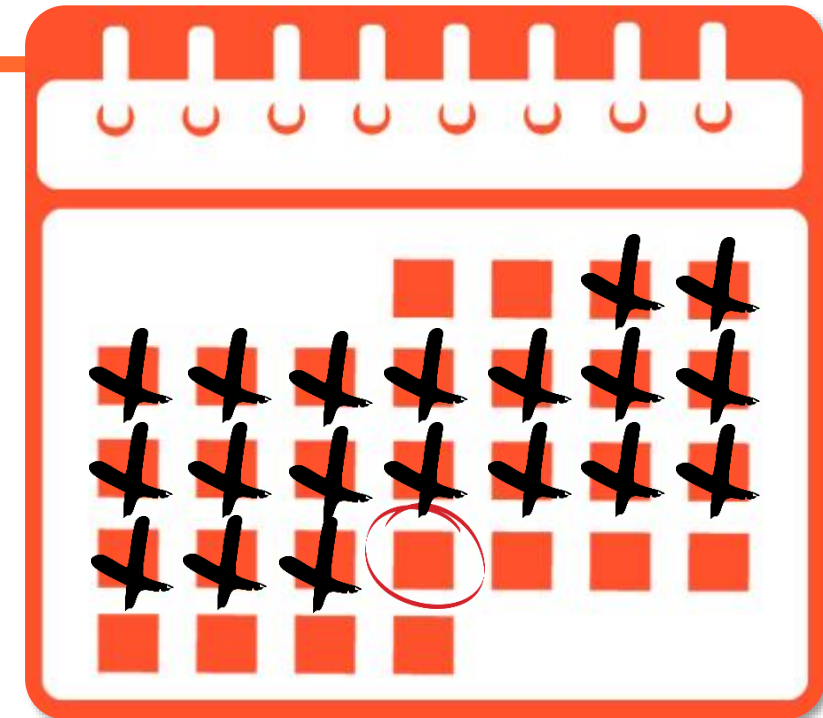


Before starting...

Plan your revision



- Learn sentences 1-2.
- Review sentences 1-2.
Learn sentences 3-4.
- Review sentences 1-4.
Learn sentences 5-6.
- Etc.





Technique #0 Repetition



- Split answer into manageable units.
- Read out / Write down each part over and over.





Technique #1 LCSC / LCWC



- Look at the first word / phrase / sentence.
- Cover it.
- Say it aloud / Write it down.
- Check.
- Look at one more word / phrase / sentence.
- Cover it from the first word.
- Say everything aloud / Write it down.
- Check.
- Repeat, adding a bit more every time.

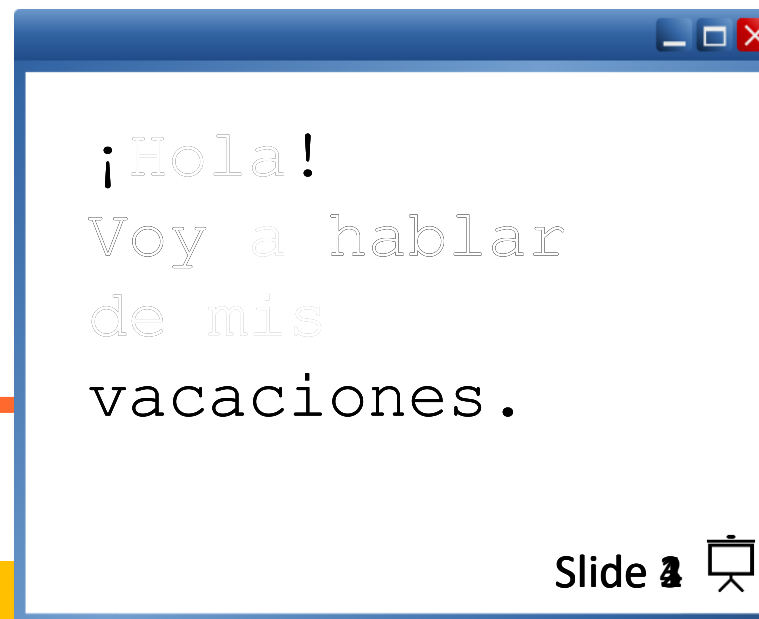




Technique #2 PowerPoint



- Type up answer in PowerPoint.
- Copy it onto slide 2 deleting a few words (colour them in white).
- Copy it onto slide 3 deleting more words.
- Repeat until you are only left with a few key words to use as a prompt.
- Play the PPT, reading the text, slide after slide, filling in the gaps when needed.





Technique #3 Black marker



- Write down answer.
- **Similar to LCSC:** Read out the first word / phrase / sentence and when you know it, cross it with a black marker. Continue until you have covered all words.
- **Similar to PowerPoint:** Read out a paragraph, then cross out some words you know. Repeat, crossing out more words. Continue until you are left with only a few key words.





Technique #4 Flashcards



- Write pieces of the answer on cards, with their translation at the back.
- Turn 1/2/... cards face down.
- Say/write the whole sentence in Spanish/French, filling in the gaps of the cards turned down.
- Repeat turning more and more cards.

I am
going

to talk

about

my

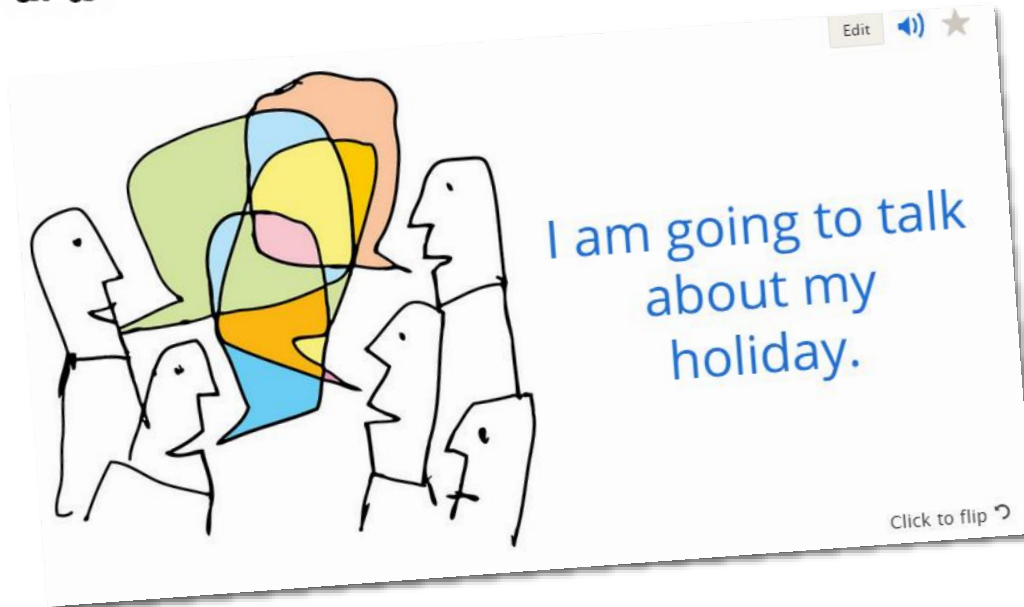
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Technique #4 Flashcards



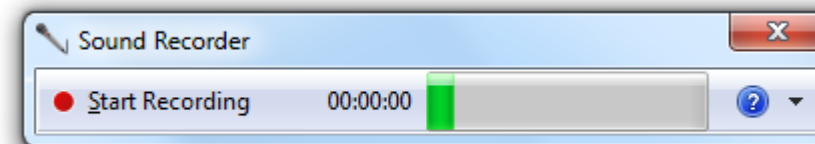
- Create a Quizlet study set





Technique #5 Recording

- Record answer on computer / smartphone / dictaphone / ...
- Record it as a whole, to listen in the background (on the bus, exercising...)
- Record it as separate paragraphs and loop them for more focus.
- Record it with a gap after each sentence to allow you to repeat it.

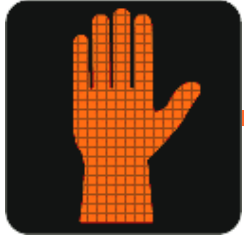




Technique #6 The Roman Room

- Write answer on several post-it notes (1 word / phrase / sentence / paragraph per post-it)
- Stick the post-it notes on different objects of a room, following a certain path (you could have 1 room per paragraph)
- Walk round that room following the path and reading out each post-it note (touching the objects might help)
- Progressively stop reading them but still say the words.
- Finally only visualise yourself walking through the room and saying the words.





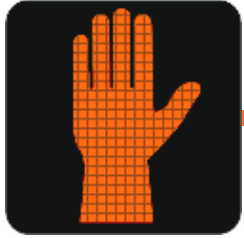
More advice

For students

- Keep your answers organised
- Seek help from the teacher
- Work in a quiet, comfortable environment, with all resources at hand
- Time yourself
- Don't panic!



**Independent
Learning**



More advice

Role of the parents/carers

- Help split up the draft into learnable paragraphs
- Help set up a revision timetable
- Monitor that revision takes place
- Ensure students have a quiet, well-lit working environment with no distraction (computers, mobile phones, etc.)
- Listen to/time/test/proofread
- Reassure

