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| **Year 9 - Spanish** |
| **Curriculum intent** | **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 French or Spanish, it is an experience of a different world, culture and traditions. It allows students to learn something diverse from their everyday lives. Learning another language teaches students more about their native language, provides them with excellent communication skills, increases confidence in speaking and allows a curious mind via a range of broad themes and topics through both classroom and extra-curricular opportunities. Students will value the importance of language learning through gaining knowledge and understanding of another language, as well as the culture of the French and Spanish speaking world. In French and Spanish, students will develop the four key skills of reading, writing, listening and speaking alongside building grammatical and phonetical confidence.  |
| **Term** | **Topic 1** | **Topic 2** | **Topic 3** | **Topic 4** | **Topic 5** |
| **Knowledge and Vocabulary focus** | **Weather and free-time activities**-What free-time activities you do in different types of weather-Where you do them and who with.-Words for places in town | **Daily routine**- What you do every day- At what time you do it-Sequencing events and actions (eg using ‘then’, ‘finally’) | **My house and where it is located – saying what I like and dislike**- Where your house is located-What your favourite room in the house is-What you like to do in each room | **My school**-Describing your school-Describing what facilities your school has-Talking about your teachers-Comparing your school subjects-Giving opinions about teachers and school subjects. | **Future plans for holidays**-What you intend to do on future holidays-Where you are going to go-Where you are going to stay-Modes of transport  |
| **Skills**On top of developing the key skill areas of:- Listening- Reading- Writing- SpeakingWe also develop the skill of:-Grammar-Phonics | Grammar-Weather phrases using HACER-The verbs HACER, IR and JUGAR in the present indicativePhonics focus:Spanish pronunciation and key vowel sounds.[a] [e] [i] [o] [u] [ñ] | Grammar-Revisit the full conjugation of the verb IR. - Full conjugation of JUGAR and HACER.-Sequencer words and phrases.Phonics focus:Spanish pronunciation [ll] [gu] [j] silent h | Grammar-The present indicative of key reflexive -AR verbs -Adjectival agreement-Frequency markersPhonics focus:Spanish pronunciation [e] [cu]+ vowel [ca] [ge]  | Grammar-HABER in the 3rd person (hay=there is)-Opinion phrases and justifications-Comparatives-The full conjugation of the verb SERPhonics focus:Spanish pronunciation [l] [ll]two vowel dipthongs [ue] [ua][ie] | Grammar-The formation of the near future tense-Full conjugation of the verb IR-The verb SER in the simple future tense-Adjectival agreementPhonics focus:Spanish pronunciation [ll] [z][v] [eu] [que]  |
| **Assessments** | Fortnightly vocab quiz.Reading assessment | Fortnightly vocab quiz.Listening assessment | Fortnightly vocab quiz.Writing/Speaking assessment | Fortnightly vocab quiz.Reading assessment | Fortnightly vocab quiz.Listening assessmentFortnightly vocab quiz.Writing assessment |
| **Curiosity** | **Watch episode 3 of *Extra***https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SJHsaX6D6zk  | **Listen to a beginner Spanish podcast of your choice.** **To maximize your learning if you are a novice or intermediate listener, look for podcasts that provide transcripts. You will get way more out of the listening experience if you have the chance to read it first.** | **Santiago Bernabéu Stadium Tour***Take a virtual tour around the Real Madrid football stadium.*https://www.realmadrid.com/en/santiago-bernabeu-stadium/virtual-tour-3d  | **Amigos de la Tierra***Browse the Amigos de la Tierra website, a Spanish eco charity. Read up about events and activities ran and explore their version for a greener society!*https://www.tierra.org/ | **Las Ventas Bullring Tour***Take a virtual tour of the famous bullring Las Ventas in Madrid. Click on the little circles as you go around to watch clips/ read about what is on display.*https://lasventastour.com/en/the-visits/virtual-tour/ |