

Spanish @ Mereside Primary Academy

Intent: Pupils at Mereside Primary have the opportunity to learn Spanish to gain an insight into other cultures in order to foster curiosity and deepen their understanding of the world around them. We want our children to be able to express their thoughts and ideas in another language than their own, through both speech and in writing in order to prepare them for a future in a diverse world.

At Mereside, we follow a progressive scheme of work which takes children from basic vocabulary in year 3 to structured sentences in year 6 which will be adapted to a range of scenarios. Children learn Spanish grammar and vocabulary through a variety of platforms such as songs, games, ICT programs and cultural experiences which allow for the engagement and enjoyment of all learners. Speaking, writing, listening and reading opportunities are provided within each unit of work to enable pupils to make development in all areas of language learning. All pupils, regardless of gender or ability are able to access the Spanish curriculum through this diverse learning environment. Extra-curricular activities are rife within school to enable children to be exposed to the cultural element of learning another language and expose them to language outside of their MFL lessons. For any other information, please contact teacher@mereside.fcat.org.uk



Spanish in KS2

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 3	Spanish phonics, greetings, numbers 1-10.	Pencil case items and the verb 'tener'	Classroom instructions, animals and articles of nouns.	Noun plurals and colours.	The Hungry Caterpillar – days of the week and fruit.	Ordering at a café! Use of the verb 'querer'
Year 4	Numbers 11-31 Saying the date	Parties and Christmas in Spain.	Shapes and prepositions of place.	Describing body parts.	Asking and answering about families, learning to spell.	Describing family members by their features.
Year 5	Question words and telling the time.	Daily routines – verb conjugations.	Hobbies and leisure activities.	Conjugating verbs to produce hobby and leisure sentences.	Musical instruments and likes/ dislikes.	Using adjectives to give reasons for likes/ dislikes.
Year 6	Weather and countries	Describing cities.	Describing Spanish festivals.	Asking and answering questions about Spanish festivals.	Reading, writing, speaking and listening projects about organizing a holiday!	