

Where to Next in Spanish in Years 7, 8 and 9

Language opportunities

- Choose any modern foreign language.
- Develop breadth and competence in listening, speaking, reading and writing based on the sound foundation of core grammar and vocabulary.
- Communicate personal and factual information that goes beyond immediate needs and interests.
- Develop and justify points of view in speech and writing.

Grammar and vocabulary

- Identify and use tenses or other structures which convey the present, past and future.
- Use a variety of key grammatical structures and patterns, including voices and moods.
- Develop and use a wide-ranging and deepening vocabulary.
- Use accurate grammar, spelling and punctuation.

Linguistic competence

- Listen to a variety of forms of spoken language.
- Transcribe words and short sentences.
- Initiate and develop conversations.
- Use important social conventions such as formal modes of address.
- Express and develop ideas clearly and with increasing accuracy, both orally and in writing.
- Speak coherently and confidently, with accurate pronunciation.
- Read and show comprehension of written materials.
- Read literary texts.
- Write prose using an increasingly wide range of grammar and vocabulary.
- Write creatively to express ideas and opinions.
- Translate short written texts accurately into the foreign language.