



The Thomas Mills High School and Sixth Form Spanish curriculum aims to equip students with foundational language skills while fostering an understanding of Spanish-speaking cultures. The course covers key areas:

This includes learning core vocabulary, grammar structures, and cultural knowledge to communicate effectively in Spanish. Pupils will develop skills to understand and interpret spoken and written Spanish, alongside fostering independent language acquisition strategies. They are also constantly encouraged to reflect on their own language-learning journey, make connections to their native language and appreciate different cultures. Discussion, role-play and practical language application play a significant role in the curriculum, with a focus on building confidence in speaking and writing Spanish.

Year 11 Term	Topic	Knowledge and Skills	Useful Links
1	- Media and Technology - Environment	Knowledge: Pupils will learn to discuss social media, internet usage, and mobile phone technology, examining its impact on young people. They will also explore vocabulary and structures related to describing homes, towns, and regions. Discussions will include environmental issues and their local and global implications. Skills:	Free Homework & Revision for A Level, GCSE, KS3 & KS2 https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z8j2tfr Spanish Flashcards Quizlet https://www.languagenut.com/ https://www.thenational.academy/teachers/programmes/german-secondary-ks4-l/units Learn Spanish Language with Memrise Duolingo - The world's best way to learn a language



		Pupils will refine their ability to express opinions on technology and environmental concerns using comparative and superlative structures. They will improve their descriptive skills when talking about home and surroundings, practice forming detailed spoken responses, and strengthen their ability to use subordinate clauses.	
Assessments		Pupils will complete listening, speaking, reading, and writing assessments, testing their ability to discuss technology, describe their local environment, and express informed opinions with fluency and grammatical accuracy.	
2	Examination Preparation Identity and Relationships with others Healthy Living and Lifestyle	Knowledge: This term revisits key GCSE topics weekly, reinforcing grammar and vocabulary across all exam themes. Pupils will engage in structured writing exercises, including 50, 90-word and 150-word essays, and refine their listening and reading comprehension skills. They will analyse past exam	Free Homework & Revision for A Level, GCSE, KS3 & KS2 https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z8j2tfr Spanish Flashcards Quizlet https://www.languagenut.com/ https://www.thenational.academy/teachers/programmes/german-secondary-ks4-l/units Learn Spanish Language with Memrise



	• Education and Work • Freetime Activities • Customs, Festivals and Celebrations • Travel, Tourism and Places of Interest • Media and Technology • Environment and Where People Live	papers to familiarise themselves with the question formats and requirements. Skills: Pupils will strengthen their exam techniques, including answering oral questions confidently, structuring extended written responses, and improving translation accuracy. They will also practice summarising texts and responding to exemplar speaking questions effectively. They will explore the grammatical requirements needed to get 4-9 in the writing examination. These will include, present, past, future, imperfect, conditional and subjunctive tenses. Coordinating and subordinate clauses. Relative clause, with pronouns, possessive and personal. Modal verbs and impersonal verbs. Prepositions, quantifiers, adverbs and intensifiers.	Duolingo - The world's best way to learn a language
Assessments	Assessment will be via the 50, 90 and 150 word essays, as well as retrieval practice on vocabulary each week using the vocabulary booklets for GCSE Foundation and Higher.		



3	• Identity and Relationships with others • Healthy Living and Lifestyle • Education and Work • Freetime Activities • Customs, Festivals and Celebrations • Travel, Tourism and Places of Interest • Media and Technology • Environment and Where People Live	Knowledge: Final revision of all topics Skills: All four skills.	Free Homework & Revision for A Level, GCSE, KS3 & KS2 https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z8j2tfr Spanish Flashcards Quizlet https://www.languagenut.com/ https://www.thenational.academy/teachers/programmes/german-secondary-ks4-l/units Learn Spanish Language with Memrise Duolingo - The world's best way to learn a language
Assessment	All four skills will be practised.		



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