

PCHS Curriculum Information Year 12 Spanish 2023-24

Course Title: A Level Spanish	Exam Board: AQA	Specification Code: 7652
<p>How will students be assessed? Students will complete three external exams at the end of year 13. There is no coursework.</p> <p>The first examination is Listening, Reading and Writing, it lasts 2 hours 30 and is worth 100 marks. Listening and reading passages will be drawn from a range of contexts and sources, covering different registers and types, contemporary and historical material and will cover non-fiction and literary fiction. Students will translate a passage of at least 100 words from Spanish into English. The content of the passages will be based on the themes and sub-themes from this 2 year course.</p> <p>The second examination is Writing, a 2 hour exam worth 80 marks and during which students will write two essays in Spanish on the film and piece of literature studied over the course.</p> <p>The third examination is Speaking and lasts 21–23 minutes (including 5 minutes supervised preparation time); with a total mark of 60. The test will be in two parts. Part 1 will be the discussion of one sub-theme from those in this 2 year course, lasting 5–6 minutes, and Part 2 will be the presentation and discussion of the student’s individual research project from Year 13.</p> <p>There will be internal assessments and mock examinations during the 2 year course.</p>		

KEY CONTENT	
<p>Half Term 1 - CLW Modern and Traditional Hispanic Values Families in the past and at present Catholic Religion and Festivals Marriage and Divorce Family types</p>	<p>Half Term 1 - JRD Cyberspace Uses of Internet Has new technology improved our life for the better or worse? Use of Smartphones</p> <p>The influence of Idols The influences of musical idols The influence of sport heroes The new culture of fame</p>
<p>Half Term 2 - CLW Complete Modern and Traditional Hispanic Values Equality of Rights The fight for equality of women Women in today’s society The rights of LGBT The role of women in the Hispanic world</p>	<p>Half Term 2 - JRD Complete The Influence of Idols Regional Identity in Spain ‘Semana Santa’ in Spain Bullfighting Gastronomy in Spain The official languages of Spain</p>

<p>Half Term 3 - CLW Complete Equality of Rights</p>	<p>Half Term 3 - JRD Complete Regional Identity in Spain</p> <p>Revision for mock examinations</p>
<p>Half Term 4 - CLW</p> <p>Cultural Heritage Peru Mexican Art The Moor Architecture in Andalusia Musical Heritage</p>	<p>Half Term 4 - JRD Racism Racism and Xenophobia in Spain National and Local methods to combat racism Anti-racist legislation in the Hispanic world</p>
<p>Half Term 5 - CLW</p> <p>Complete Cultural Heritage</p> <p>Study of film ‘ Volver’ Pedro Almodóvar Historical Context of film Themes Cinematic Techniques Locations Characters</p>	<p>Half Term 5 - JRD The youth of today, tomorrow’s citizens Young People and Politics Youth unemployment Is an ideal society a fantasy?</p>
<p>Half Term 6 - CLW</p> <p>Complete Volver</p> <p>Preparation for Mock Examination/IRP preparation</p>	<p>Half Term 6 - JRD Complete The youth of today, tomorrow’s citizens</p> <p>Preparation for Mock Examination/IRP preparation</p>