

A-LEVEL SPANISH

INDEPENDENT LEARNING TASKS

What's the point?

- To deepen your knowledge and understanding of the different topics studied.
- To strengthen your grammar and writing skills.
- To deepen your cultural knowledge.
- To improve assessment scores.

What should I do?

- Work independently through the:
 - Grammar booklets
 - Topic workbooks
 - Speaking questions booklet
- Read articles to keep up to date on what's happening in the Spanish speaking world.
 - elmundo.es (general news)
 - elpais.es (general news)
 - marca.com (sports news)
 - hola.es (celebrity/fashion news)
- Listen to Duolingo podcasts
 - available on Spotify or podcast.duolingo.com
 - transcripts can be downloaded so you can read what they're saying
- Duolingo
- Research possible IRP topics
- Do past papers from other exam boards. Although some question styles may be different, it's still excellent reading, listening and translation practice.
- Watch Spanish TV and films.
 - Netflix and Amazon prime
 - Disney + has loads of programmes and films that can have their language changed to Spanish.
- Listen to Spanish music. Search YouTube or Spotify for Spanish music playlists.
- Read through the relevant sections in "Palabra por Palabra" and look, cover, write, check

Read articles or sentences or reading tasks aloud to yourself to practice pronunciation!

Print an article, read through and highlight words you don't know. Then use word reference to look them up!

You should be doing something every day! Don't waste your fees!
Make yourself an independent learning timetable and stick to it.

| | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
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| Lesson 1 | | | | | | | |
| Lesson 2 | | | | | | | |
| Lesson 3 | | | | | | | |
| Lesson 4 | | | | | | | |
| Lesson 5 | | | | | | | |
| After school | | | | | | | |