

Year 8 Spanish Curriculum Plan

	Key questions	Overview of the Module	Assessment	Cross Curricular Skills	Suggested reading material and websites:
Module 1	Where did you go on	Students will learn how to	At the end of the half-term	Literacy:	www.linguascope.com
Mis vacaciones	holiday? What did you see and do? How did you travel? What was it like?	describe a past holiday, saying what they did, what they saw, how they travelled and what it was like.	students will be assessed on: Big Idea 3: Reading	Students will develop their understanding of the past tense, using the pretirite of -ir, -ar and - er verbs and the verb 'ser.'	www.wordreference.co.uk www.pearsonactivelearn.com
		Honours thinking: students could include the present tense	Students read texts in Spanish and answer questions in English.	Numeracy: Students will spot patterns in past tense grammar.	www.newsinslowspanish.com
		in their work, comparing this trip with what they normally do.	Big Idea 4: Writing Students translate	Thinking Skills: Students will take part in a range of paired and group-work	Memrise Duolingo Yellow vocabulary booklet,
		Students will continue to develop the four key language skills of reading, listening, writing and speaking. They will also develop more advanced skills such as dictation, translation and spontaneous talk.	sentences into Spanish and produce a piece of extended writing in Spanish.	activities to develop their team- work skills. They will also be encouraged to infer the meaning of new vocabulary and deduce patterns in grammar.	Module 1.
Module 2	What do you do on your phone?	Students will learn about to talk about their interests, saying	At the end of the half-term students will be assessed	Literacy: Students will revisit the present	www.linguascope.com
Todo sobre mi vida	What music do you like? What do you watch on	what they watch on TV, what films and books they like and	on:	tense of some important verbs seen in Year 7. They will also	www.wordreference.co.uk
	TV? What did you do yesterday?	why and participating in a debate about whether reading or watching films is better. They will also be introduced to the past tense for the first time, describing what they did last night.	Big Idea 1: Listening Students listen to audio in Spanish and answer questions in English.	consolidate their understanding of using the preterite.	www.pearsonactivelearn.com www.newsinslowspanish.com
				Numeracy: Students will talk about what time different programmes are on TV	<u>Apps</u> Memrise Duolingo



		Honours thinking: students could use the present and past tenses together. Students will continue to develop the four key language skills of reading, listening, writing and speaking. They will also develop more advanced skills such as dictation, translation and spontaneous talk.	Big Idea 2: Speaking Students have a short conversation with their teacher in Spanish. Grammar assessment: Students will sit a grammar assessment, completing a verb ending gap fill. They will also be expected to know the full conjugation of common verbs.	Thinking Skills: Students will take part in a range of paired and group-work activities to develop their team- work skills. They will also be encouraged to infer the meaning of new vocabulary and deduce patterns in grammar.	Yellow vocabulary booklet, Module 2.
Module 3 A comer	What food do you like? What are your mealtimes like? What would you like to eat? What are you going to buy for the party? What was the party like?	Students will learn how to describe what they eat and drink, giving opinions of different types of food. They will learn how to describe different meals, how to order food and drink and to describe a party. Thonours thinking: students could use 3 tenses together. Students will continue to develop the four key language skills of reading, listening, writing and speaking. They will also develop more advanced skills such as dictation,	At the end of the half-term students will be assessed on: Big Idea 3: Reading Students read texts in Spanish and answer questions in English. Big Idea 4: Writing Students translate sentences into Spanish and produce a piece of extended writing in Spanish.	Literacy: Students will learn how to use the conditional tense, saying what they would like to eat and drink. Numeracy: Students will revisit numbers, talking about prices when shopping for food. Thinking Skills: Students will take part in a range of paired and group-work activities to develop their team- work skills. They will also be encouraged to infer the meaning of new vocabulary and deduce	www.linguascope.com www.wordreference.co.uk www.pearsonactivelearn.com www.newsinslowspanish.com Apps Memrise Duolingo Yellow vocabulary booklet, Module 3.



		translation and spontaneous talk.		patterns in grammar.	
Module 4 Qué hacemos?	Would you like to go out? Why can't you come out? What do you do to get ready? What do you wear? What events do you go to?	Students will learn how to arrange to go out, making invitations and giving excuses. They will talk about getting ready to go out, describing their routines and what they wear. Thonours thinking: students could use 3 tenses together. Students will continue to develop the four key language skills of reading, listening, writing and speaking. They will also develop more advanced skills such as dictation, translation and spontaneous talk.	At the end of the half-term students will be assessed on: Big Idea 1: Listening Students listen to audio in Spanish and answer questions in English. Big Idea 2: Speaking Students have a short conversation with their teacher in Spanish. Grammar assessment: Students will sit a grammar assessment, completing a verb ending gap fill. They will also be	Literacy: Students will revisit the conditional tense and will be introduced to the verbs 'querer' and 'poder.' Numeracy: Students will be encouraged to spot patterns in grammar. Thinking Skills: Students will take part in a range of paired and group-work activities to develop their team- work skills. They will also be encouraged to infer the meaning of new vocabulary and deduce patterns in grammar.	www.linguascope.com www.wordreference.co.uk www.pearsonactivelearn.com www.newsinslowspanish.com <u>Apps</u> Memrise Duolingo Yellow vocabulary booklet, Module 4.



			expected to know the full conjugation of common verbs.		
Module 5 Revisiting vocabulary with complexity	What did you do on holiday? What do you do in your free time? What do you like to eat and drink? Where would you like to go out?	Students will spend time revisiting Units 1-4, looking at the same topics, with added complexity – with a focus on cross-context learning and using two tenses together to stretch and challenge. Thonours thinking: students will be encouraged to use 3 tenses together. Students will continue to develop the four key language skills of reading, listening, writing and speaking. They will also develop more advanced skills such as dictation, translation and spontaneous talk.	At the end of the half-term students will sit an end of year exam, covering all of the vocabulary and grammar they have learnt this year. The end of year exam will assess all of the big ideas: reading, listening and writing.	Literacy: Students will revisit and consolidate all of the grammar points covered to date. Numeracy: Students will practice time and numbers, these are topics which students often find challenging and will require consolidation. Thinking Skills: Students will take part in a range of paired and group-work activities to develop their team- work skills. They will also be encouraged to infer the meaning of new vocabulary and deduce patterns in grammar.	www.linguascope.com www.wordreference.co.uk www.pearsonactivelearn.com www.newsinslowspanish.com Apps Memrise Duolingo Yellow vocabulary booklet, Units 1-4.



Module 6	What job would you like?	Having completed the Year 8	Big Idea 2:	Literacy:	www.linguascope.com
	What are your future	course students will spend this		Students will be exposed to	
	plans?	half-term being introduced to	Speaking	advanced levels of grammar,	www.wordreference.co.uk
GCSE taster	What are your resolutions	some of the key topics to be	Students have a short	including direct object pronouns	
topic	for being fit and healthy?	covered in the GCSE foundation	conversation with their	and the conditional tense. They	www.pearsonactivelearn.com
	What are you allowed /	year.	teacher in French.	will learn more sophisticated	
	not allowed to do?			vocabulary and complex	www.newsinslowspanish.com
			Grammar	structures.	
		The students thinking: students	Grammar		Apps
		could use a range of tenses	assessment:	Numeracy:	Memrise
		together.	Students will sit a	Students will be encouraged to	Duolingo
			grammar assessment,	deduce the meaning of	
		Students will continue to	completing a verb ending	unfamiliar vocabulary and	
		develop the four key language skills of reading, listening,	gap fill. They will also be	grammar by spotting patterns.	
		writing and speaking. They will	expected to know the full	Thinking Skills:	
		also develop more advanced	conjugation of common	Students will take part in a range	
		skills such as dictation,	verbs.	of paired and group-work	
		translation and spontaneous		activities to develop their team-	
		talk.		work skills. They will also be	
				encouraged to infer the meaning	
				of new vocabulary and deduce	
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