

Learning Cycle Year 1	Knowledge and Skills	Vocabulary & Reading	Checking of understanding	Rationale
Autumn Term	Aspects of Hispanic Society: current trends	Target language theme specific vocabulary	Grammar audit Weekly vocab/verb test Kerboodle exercises in class and at home – listening/reading/writing/speaking Q&A topic recall Whiteboards checks of verb conjugation and vocab Whole class topic related discussions Exam style questions Group essay planning 1-to-1 speaking opportunities Group theme-related presentations on "pet" country	Building on GCSE content, students acquire more complex target language to expand sentences using theme-specific vocabulary. Focussing on language, society and culture, students gain transferable skills and improved confidence. Their critical thinking and research skills are also enhanced in the promotion of independent learning. The topics studied during this term address race, gender and social hierarchy which also promote reflection of British Values. Studying a film is an accessible and enjoyable activity which engages the whole group and immerses students in the target language world. It prompts lively discussion and helps generate a positive learning environment. Promoting independent research prepares students



	Independent research for "pet" country Film (Paper 2): Volver Essay writing – complex writing, critical thinking			early for this requirement within the NEA and future academic study/employment.
Spring Term	Artistic culture in the Hispanic world • Modern day idols • Spanish regional identity • Cultural heritage Grammar: Recall of previous learning Indirect and direct object pronouns Passive voice, imperatives, connectives Present and perfect subjunctive (formation and use) Skills: Using numerals Gap filling (word categories) Translation into and from Spanish Listening and reading summaries Independent research for "pet" country	Target language theme specific vocabulary	Weekly vocab test Group theme-related presentations on "pet" country Kerboodle exercises in class and at home – listening/reading/writing/speaking Q&A topic recall Whiteboards checks of verb conjugation and vocab Whole class topic related discussions Exam style questions Essay planning 1-to-1 speaking opportunities	Students continue to acquire more complex target language to expand sentences using theme-specific vocabulary. Focussing on language, society and culture, students gain transferable skills and improved confidence. Their critical thinking and research skills are also enhanced in the promotion of independent learning. The topics studied during this term address respect, tolerance and individual liberty which are also promoted within British Values. Promoting independent research prepares students for this requirement within the NEA and future academic study/employment.
Summer Term	Consolidation and recall of all 6 topics and aspects of grammar	Recall of all theme specific vocabulary	END OF YEAR ASSESSMENT	Providing students with a springboard into their own independent study and skills'

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Past paper questions	Paper 1 – listening, reading, writing and translation	refinement moving onto Year 13.
Introduction to Spanish set literature work: La casa de Bernarda Alba	Paper 2 – essay writing on set film	Our curriculum offers a transformative experience to
Independent Research Project (NEA) – enhancing research and critical thinking skills	Paper 3 - speaking	the students by giving them the opportunity to open their minds and broaden their horizons, establishing a strong platform for them to flourish post-18.



Learning Cycle Year 2	Knowledge and Skills	Vocabulary & Reading	Checking of understanding	Rationale
Autumn Term	Literature (Paper 2): La casa de Bernarda Alba Essay writing – complex writing, critical thinking Multiculturalism in Hispanic Society Immigration Racism Integration Recall of Y12 grammar, skills and topic knowledge Grammar: Present, future, conditional, imperfect, preterite, perfect, compound tenses (regular & irregular verbs) Indirect and direct object pronouns Passive voice, adverbs, gerund Comparatives and superlatives Demonstrative adjectives and pronouns Por and Para, form and use of prepositions	Target language theme specific vocabulary	Weekly vocab/verb test Kerboodle exercises in class and at home – listening/reading/writing/speaking Q&A topic recall Whiteboards checks of verb conjugation and vocab Whole class topic related discussions Exam style questions (Mocks) Essay planning 1-to-1 speaking opportunities (Paper 3 speaking cards and IRP) Group theme-related presentations on "pet" country	Building on Y12 content, students acquire more complex target language to expand sentences using theme-specific vocabulary. Focussing on language, society and culture, students gain transferable skills and improved confidence. Their critical thinking and research skills are also enhanced in the promotion of independent learning. The topics studied during this term address race, gender, respect, tolerance and individual liberty which also promote reflection of British Values. Studying a play is an accessible and enjoyable activity which engages the whole group and immerses students in the target language world. It prompts lively discussion and helps generate a positive learning environment. Promoting independent research prepares students for



	Skills: Use of target language in the classroom – building fluency and confidence whilst speaking spontaneously Skimming texts for gist Translation into and from Spanish Listening and reading summaries Independent research for "pet" country Practise NEA – presentation and discussion (Paper 3)			this requirement within the NEA and future academic study/employment.
Spring Term	Aspects of political life in the Hispanic World Today's youth, tomorrow's citizens Monarchies and dictatorships Popular movements Recall of Y12 grammar, skills and topic knowledge Grammar: Recall of previous learning Present, perfect, imperfect and pluperfect subjunctive (and "if" clauses) Imperatives, choosing the right tenses, passive voice Skills:	Target language theme specific vocabulary	Weekly vocab test Group theme-related presentations on "pet" country Kerboodle exercises in class and at home – listening/reading/writing/speaking Q&A topic recall Whiteboards checks of verb conjugation and vocab Whole class topic related discussions Exam style questions (Mocks) Essay planning 1-to-1 speaking opportunities (Paper 3 speaking cards and IRP)	Students continue to acquire more complex target language to expand sentences using theme-specific vocabulary. Focussing on language, society and culture, students gain transferable skills and improved confidence. Their critical thinking and research skills are also enhanced in the promotion of independent learning. The topics studied during this term address respect, tolerance and individual liberty which are also promoted within British Values. Promoting independent research prepares students for this requirement within the NEA

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	Intensive speaking practice for Paper 3 (cards and IRP) - building fluency and confidence whilst speaking spontaneously Gap filling (word categories) Translation into and from Spanish Listening and reading summaries Independent research for "pet" country			and future academic study/employment.
Summer Term	Consolidation and recall of all 12 topics and required grammar and language skills Past paper questions Independent Research Project (NEA) – enhancing research and critical thinking skills	Recall of all theme specific vocabulary	END OF COURSE ASSESSMENT Paper 1 – listening, reading, writing and translation Paper 2 – essay writing on set film and literature works Paper 3 – speaking (cards and IRP)	Exam preparation, consolidation and revision. Our curriculum offers a transformative experience to the students by opening their minds and broadening their horizons through the study of society and culture in Spanish-speaking countries across the globe. This establishes a strong platform for them to flourish post-18.