

Hazeley Sixth Form

Spanish A level



EXAM BOARD: AQA

SPEC CODE: 7692

ASSESSMENTS: 2 EXAMS AND 1 SPEAKING EXAM

The Spanish specification allows students to develop a thorough understanding of the history and culture of the countries and communities where Spanish is spoken - not only through topic work but also through the study of film and literature.

In year 1 topics include aspects of current Hispanic society such as the changing role of women and the positive and negative influences of the internet. We also look at artistic culture in the Hispanic world, for example, understanding the civilisations that contributed to the cultural heritage of Spain, as well as the issue of regional identity in the 21st century.

In Year 2 there is a focus on multiculturalism with topics like immigration and racism in the modern Hispanic world and aspects of political life both past and present. Students will also study a Spanish language film (El Laberinto Del Fauno) and a novel (El otro árbol de Guernica) as well as carrying out their own individual research project on a topic of interest to them. Students will also develop confident communication skills through the study of grammar whilst enhancing their ability to understand written and spoken Spanish in a variety of contexts.

Studying a foreign language is proven to strongly improve employment potential; according to the Association for Language Learning, a Europe-wide survey carried out in 2017 stated that, despite Brexit, 67% of employers considered the knowledge of foreign languages to be important when recruiting for their companies.



Growing a vibrant community of exceptional people
by developing character, confidence, and creativity
by growing through taking part, volunteering, and getting to know ourselves and each other.

