

Overview Document
2026/27

Curriculum Area: Spanish / ACE

Year Group: 8

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Cycle	Topic/Unit Title – Big Question	Content Coverage	Skill development and links to other areas of this subject's curriculum
1	¿Eres adicto/a a la tecnología? Are you addicted to technology?	Technology: Types of technology, what we use it for. Opinions: giving opinions about technology, looking at advantages and disadvantages.	Grammatical knowledge: giving simple opinions in Spanish, using different tenses (present and future). Language skills: writing, reading, listening, speaking.
2	¿Adónde vas de vacaciones? Where do you go on holiday?	Holidays: countries, activities, transport, accommodation, weather. Cultural knowledge: popular holiday destinations in Spanish speaking countries.	Grammatical knowledge: Using past, present and future tenses to talk about holidays. Language skills: writing, reading, listening, speaking.
3	¿Te llevas bien con tu familia? Do you get on well with your family?	Family: family members, relationships, opinions and reasons. General vocabulary: pocket money, chores, daily routine. Cultural knowledge: families in Spain.	Links to previous cycles: Year 7, family vocabulary. Grammatical knowledge: using all 3 tenses. Using the third person to describe other people. Using the first person plural to describe what we do together. Language skills: writing, reading, listening, speaking.
4	¿Qué puedes recordar? What can you remember?	General vocabulary: re-cap of all three previous cycles.	Links to previous cycles: all vocabulary content from previous cycles (1-3). Grammatical knowledge: answering simple questions in Spanish, forming simple sentences in Spanish, describing things in Spanish, giving opinions in Spanish, using all three tenses.



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