

Spanish Curriculum Overview (KS2)

Following the National Curriculum & Delivered Using Language Angels

At our school, all Key Stage 2 pupils (Years 3–6) receive a weekly Spanish lesson, using the fully compliant and structured **Language Angels** scheme of work. This engaging, progressive programme supports pupils in developing skills in listening, speaking, reading, and writing in Spanish. It aligns with the **National Curriculum for Languages** and enables all children to make sustained progress.

Intent

We aim to foster a love of languages and promote cultural awareness. Our curriculum ensures that all pupils:

- Understand and respond to spoken and written Spanish from various authentic sources.
- Speak with confidence and accuracy using appropriate vocabulary and pronunciation.
- Write at varying lengths for different purposes and audiences.
- Appreciate Spanish stories, poems, and songs, while building the foundation for further language learning.

Implementation

Spanish is taught through the **Language Angels** platform, which offers:

- A **step-by-step approach** integrating phonics, grammar, and vocabulary.
- Differentiated resources to suit beginner, intermediate, and advanced learners.
- Clear progression from word- and phrase-level work in lower KS2 to sentence and paragraph construction in upper KS2.
- Regular revisiting and consolidation of previous learning.
- Cross-curricular and cultural enrichment activities.

Progression Overview

Children will:

Year 3–4 (Lower KS2)

- Learn to listen attentively and join in with songs and rhymes.
- Begin to understand and use familiar vocabulary and simple phrases.
- Engage in basic conversations and present simple information.
- Develop accurate pronunciation and start reading and writing short sentences.

Year 5–6 (Upper KS2)

- Speak and write using a broader range of vocabulary and structures.
- Ask and answer more complex questions, express opinions, and describe people and places.
- Read and understand longer texts and adapt phrases to write their own.
- Deepen grammar understanding (e.g. verb conjugation, gender agreement).

Impact

By the end of KS2, pupils will be able to:

- Communicate effectively in Spanish for practical purposes.
- Demonstrate understanding of basic grammar rules.

- Show curiosity about Spanish-speaking cultures.
- Feel confident and prepared for language learning at KS3.

Why Language Angels?

- Fully curriculum-compliant, covering all 12 DfE attainment targets.
- Designed by experienced linguists and educators.
- Ensures teacher confidence with ready-made, structured lesson plans.
- Supports inclusion, progression, and cross-curricular links.

For more about the Language Angels scheme, visit: [Language Angels Website](https://www.languageangels.co.uk/)

