



Subject intent: Our Spanish curriculum, delivered through Languageangels, aims to foster a love of language learning while developing pupils’ confidence, curiosity and cultural awareness. Through engaging and progressive lessons, children acquire the skills to understand and communicate in Spanish, both orally and in writing. They explore authentic vocabulary, grammar and phonics in meaningful contexts, enabling them to express ideas, opinions and emotions. The curriculum promotes resilience, active listening and memory skills, while deepening understanding of global citizenship and the diverse cultures of the Spanish-speaking world. Pupils make cross-curricular links with subjects such as geography, history, music and literacy, enriching their learning and broadening their horizons.

If you were to walk into a Spanish lesson at Esher Church School you would see: Each pupil actively engaged in developing their language skills through interactive and structured activities aligned with the National Curriculum for languages. Through exciting and engaging lessons, pupils build confidence in listening, speaking, reading and writing in Spanish. You will see children singing songs, playing vocabulary games, practising pronunciation, and holding simple conversations with peers. Lessons often include colourful visuals, interactive whiteboard activities, and opportunities to explore Spanish culture and traditions. Pupils may be creating mini-dialogues, translating short texts, or using sentence builders to express opinions and describe people, places and things.

<p>Successes in 2024-2025</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children have been thoroughly enjoying their Spanish lessons, often sharing that it's their favourite subject. Their enthusiasm continues beyond the classroom, as they've been heard singing songs and recalling vocabulary and phrases with friends in the playground. • Clearly sequenced curriculum – Spanish lessons delivered through Language Angels are carefully structured to build on pupils’ prior knowledge, enabling them to know more, remember more and confidently apply their language skills in new contexts. 	<p>Pupil Premium, British Values, challenge and SEND (implementation)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collaboration in Spanish lessons encourages children to listen actively to one another, practise speaking together, and support each other in developing language skills. • Children are also respectful and show tolerance when exploring designs from other cultures and sharing their thoughts. • During paired and group activities, children work democratically to complete tasks such as role plays, games and dialogues, valuing each other's contributions and celebrating progress. 	<p>Priorities for 2025-2026</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Track and review the modules taught across each year group to ensure accurate curriculum coverage and effective planning for the following academic year. • Oversee the rollout of new CUSP modules and strategically assign corresponding Spanish modules to year groups where strong cross-curricular links are identified. • Gather feedback from each year group regarding any challenges in delivering all modules within the allocated timeframe and timetable constraints. • Introduce a vocabulary record book for the children. • Ensure teachers are using the correct method for assessments, pupil self-assessment sheet and end of unit tests that cover the four key skills of speaking, listening, reading and writing.
<p>Parental engagement (implementation)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parents are actively supporting language learning at home by using Spanish apps like Duolingo, reinforcing classroom teaching and encouraging continued practice beyond the school day. 	<p>Monitoring, observation and validation, including pupil voice considering progression (impact)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regularly gather pupil voice to monitor engagement and enjoyment in Spanish lessons • Conduct drop-ins with teachers to ensure planned activities are being delivered effectively 	<p>Professional development opportunities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Observe high-quality Spanish lessons delivered through Language Angels to gain insight into effective teaching strategies and build confidence in using the structured PowerPoint resources to support lesson delivery.

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Parents may enhance their children's Spanish learning by travelling to Spanish-speaking countries, offering real-life opportunities to practise the language and experience the culture first hand. in a fun, memorable way.	<p>and that the intended skills and progression are consistently implemented.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ensure that worksheets are consistently completed by pupils and stored appropriately for reference and assessment purposes.	
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