

# Spanish

A highly respected A Level leading to a wide range of career options

Develops communication and independent study skills

Fantastic facilities and resources including a state of the art language lab

Opportunities to travel abroad to Spain

Outstanding support including lessons with friendly native speakers

## YOU WILL

- Continue to practise listening, reading, writing and speaking in Spanish, but to a higher level, with much more interesting topics focusing on the culture of Spain and Latin America
- Study a range of topics covering different aspects of Spanish society and culture
- Analyse text and films as part of the written exam
- Carry out a research project on an aspect of Hispanic culture to discuss in the speaking exam
- Attend weekly conversation classes.

## ASSESSMENTS

- Internal assessments to track your progress
- Three external examinations at the end of your second year
  - Component 1 - Speaking (30%)
  - Component 2 - Reading, Listening and Translation (50%)
  - Component 3 - Essay writing: Text (La casa de Bernarda Alba) / Film (Las 13 Rosas) (20%)

## SUPPORTING YOU

- Small group sessions with a native speaker to improve speaking skills
- Weekly tutorials to improve grammar, reading, writing and comprehension skills
- A weekly 'Stretch and Challenge' session for more able linguists
- Regular revision sessions before exams
- High Achievers+ support with applications to competitive universities.

## Imagine what you can become

Interpreter → Translator → MFL Teacher  
 International lawyer → Politics risk analyst  
 Broadcast journalist → Diplomat service  
 International marketing executive  
 → International travel consultant





Madrid Trip

# Extra-curricular

Visit Spain and immerse yourself in the language and culture

HA+ sessions on an introduction to linguistics in Spanish

Careers talks and advice from universities and former students

Guest speakers from Spain to deliver sessions on the Civil war and Spanish festivals



## 2023 RESULTS

A\*- B 73% / A\*- C 89% / Overall 100%

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## My Experience

“In Spanish I enjoy learning the language in more depth and studying the interesting topics within the course. I also enjoy learning more about the history of Spain too.

The classroom environment is always supportive, enabling me to become more independent and confident within the subject and within myself too.”



*Eliza Jayne Stevenson*

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