

WORK AND BUSINESS:

Focus on vocabulary and language skills needed for professional settings, job interviews, writing emails, and conducting business in Spanish.

LITERATURE AND ARTS:

Explore famous Spanish and Latin American literature, authors, and literary works. Discuss art, music, and cinema from Spanish-speaking countries.

ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS:

Learn vocabulary related to the environment, climate change, sustainable practices, and conservation efforts in Spanish-speaking countries.

SPANISH FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES:

Programme tailored at times and if needed to specific fields such as medical, legal, or educational Spanish, providing learners with vocabulary and language skills relevant to their professional interests.

HISTORY AND CIVILIZATION:

Dive into the history, civilizations, and significant historical events of Spanish-speaking countries.

SOCIAL ISSUES:

Discuss current social issues, such as gender equality, immigration, poverty, and human rights, in the context of Spanish-speaking countries.

Two different-level language programmes to choose from:

"ESTILO DE VIDA" – LINGUISTIC COMPETENCY AT LEVEL A1 OF THE COMMON EUROPEAN FRAMEWORK FOR LANGUAGES



Here are some important aspects to focus on:

VOCABULARY:

Introduce vocabulary related to food and cooking, teach learners how to order food in a restaurant, and explore the rich culinary traditions of Spanish-speaking countries.

GRAMMAR:

Begin with fundamental grammar concepts, such as noun and adjective agreement, verb conjugation in the present tense, basic sentence structure, and the use of pronouns. Gradually introduce more complex grammar rules and tenses as learners progress.

PRONUNCIATION:

Pay attention to correct pronunciation from the beginning. Practice sounds that may be different from those in English and work on mastering the pronunciation of vowels, consonants, and accentuation patterns.

LISTENING COMPREHENSION:

Practice listening to spoken Spanish, starting with simple phrases and gradually progressing to longer conversations. Focus on understanding basic instructions, greetings, and common expressions.

SPEAKING:

Be encouraged to actively practice speaking Spanish, even at the beginner level. You'll have opportunities for role-playing, dialogues, and discussions to develop fluency and confidence in using the language.

READING:

Reading materials appropriate for beginners, such as short texts, children's books, or simplified articles may be introduced. Focus on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and understanding basic grammatical structures.

WRITING:

Start with simple writing exercises, such as forming sentences, describing objects, or writing short paragraphs. Emphasize accuracy in grammar and vocabulary usage while gradually building writing skills.

CULTURAL AWARENESS:

You'll be introduced to the culture, customs, and traditions of Spanish-speaking countries. This includes aspects such as greetings, social etiquette, holidays, and celebrations.

PRACTICE AND IMMERSION:

You'll be encouraged to practice Spanish outside the classroom setting. This can include watching Spanish-language media, listening to Spanish music, engaging in language exchanges with native speakers, or participating in language learning communities.

PROGRESSIVE LEARNING:

We'll design the curriculum to build on previously learned material and introduce new concepts gradually. Use a variety of resources, including textbooks, online platforms, videos, and interactive activities, to provide a well-rounded learning experience.

We're here to create an inclusive and supportive learning environment where you'll feel comfortable making mistakes and practising your skills. We aim to provide ample opportunities for practice, feedback, and reinforcement of learned concepts in a relaxed and supportive atmosphere.