

Year 11 Spanish | Term 2

Termly Overview: How do I discuss societal and global issues in Spanish?

Topic Overview: This term, students will talk about issues such as poverty, the environment and current societal issues.

	Lesson Exploration	Lesson Experience(s)	Knowledge & Skills	Key Words
Week 1: Lesson 1	What global issues are people most concerned about?	Students will experience watching clips about different global issues in order to learn how to discuss what they feel most concerned about.	SK1: identify and use tenses or other structures which convey the present, past, and	Adjectives Adjectival agreement
Week 1: Lesson 2	How can I describe weather and natural disasters in Spanish?	Students will experience listening to podcasts about natural disasters in order to learn how to explain the consequences on people and the environment.	studied SK2: use and manipulate a variety of key grammatical structures and patterns, including	Near future Conditional Perfect tense Imperfect tense
Week 2: Lesson 1	How can I describe what I do to protect the environment?	Students will experience reading green blogs dealing with the protection of the environment in order to learn how to describe what they do to protect the planet.	voices and moods, as appropriate KN1: develop and use a wide-ranging and deepening vocabulary that goes beyond their immediate needs and interests, allowing them	Idioms Preterit Subjunctive mood Negative
Week 2: Lesson 2	How can I express my opinion on fair trade?	Students will experience reading news articles about fair trade in order to learn how to describe their stance on ethical shopping.	to give and justify opinions and take part in discussion about wider issues SK4: use accurate grammar, spelling and punctuation. SK5: listen to a variety of forms of spoken language to obtain information and respond appropriately SK6: transcribe words and short sentences that they hear with increasing accuracy	Imperative mood Comparative Superlative
Week 3: Lesson 1	How do I describe what I do to help others and the community?	Students will experience reading texts and listening to people talking about volunteering in order to describe their plans for helping others.		
Week 3: Lesson 2	What are the positives and negatives of big events?	Students will experience reading texts and listening to people talking about events such as sports or music events in order to discuss their impact on people and the environment.		

Week 4: Lesson 1	How do I use Spanish idioms to impress my audience?	Students will experience writing a short speech to learn a range of Spanish idioms.	SK8: express and develop ideas clearly and with increasing accuracy, both orally and in writing	
Week 4: Lesson 2	What does a solid piece of writing look like?	Students will experience marking a 20 mark question using specific marking criteria.	SK9: speak coherently and confidently, with increasingly accurate pronunciation and intonation	
Week 5: Lesson 1	Assessment part 1	Assessment		
Week 5: Lesson 2	Assessment part 2	Assessment		
Week 6: Lesson 1	Try now	Students will experience individual Try Now activities to close the gaps identified in the Week 5 assessment.		
Week 6: Lesson 2	What does a solid conversion task look like?	Students will experience preparing a GCSE conversation task.		

Literacy Links	Numeracy Links
Students will develop a better understanding of grammar concepts such as conjugation, tenses and moods. Students will also be required to used appropriate punctuation when writing extended questions in Spanish. Students will have to use inference skills when answering reading comprehension questions based on literary texts in Spanish.	Students will use percentages whilst analysing data on the environment and other global issues.

Content Social issues

Spanish	English
acostarse	to go to bed
activo	active
borracho	drunk
caer(se)	to fall down
cansado	tired, tiring
cansar(se)	to get tired
cigarrillo, el	cigarette
contribuir	to contribute
corazón, el	heart
cuerpo, el	body
despertarse	to wake up

doler	to hurt
dolor, el	pain, ache
dormir(se)	to sleep; to fall asleep
droga (blanda/dura), la	(soft/hard) drug
drogarse	to take drugs
ejercicio (físico), el	(physical) exercise
emborracharse	to get drunk
encontrarse bien/mal	to feel well/ill
enfermedad, la	illness
enfermo	ill
entrenamiento, el	training
entrenar(se)	to train

equilibrado	balanced
estar bien / mal	to be well/ill
estar en forma	to be fit
estrés, el	stress
estresante	stressing, stressful
evitar	to avoid
formar parte	to be part of
fumador (pasivo), el	(passive) smoker
fumar	to smoke
humo, el	smoke
levantarse	to get up
malsano	unhealthy

mantenerse en forma	to keep fit/in shape
mejorar(se)	to get better
morir	to die
muerto	dead
necesidad, la	need
obra benéfica, la	charity
oler	to smell
olor, el	smell
organización benéfica, la	charitable organisation
organizar	to organise
participación, la	participation, taking part
poco sano	not healthy

posibilidad, la	possibility
propósito, el	aim, purpose, objective
pulmones, los	lungs
residencia (para ancianos), la	old people's home
respirar	to breathe
salud, la	health
saludable	healthy
sano	healthy, wholesome
sida, el	AIDS
tener dolor (de)	to have a pain (in)
tener sueño	to feel sleepy
tentación, la	temptation

tienda con fines benéficos, la	charity shop
tienda solidaria, la	charity shop
vida, la	life
vivo	alive
voluntario	voluntary
voluntario, el	volunteer

Global issues

Spanish	English
aumentar	to increase
basura, la	rubbish, garbage
belleza, la	beauty
beneficiar	to benefit

climate change
campaign
cardboard
fuel
container
fault, blame, guilt
to till, to grow, to cultivate
crop
to harm, to damage
harm, damage
rights
to disappear

desarrollo, el	development
ducharse	to have a shower
encender	to turn on (lights, TV etc)
encuesta, la	poll, survey
escaso	scarce, meagre
extranjero, el	foreigner
falta, la	lack
faltar	to be missing
fuego, el	fire
gobierno, el	government
grave	serious
injusto	unjust, unfair

inquietante	worrying, disturbing
inquietar(se)	to worry, to upset oneself
justo	just, fair
ladrón, el	thief
ley, la	law
libertad, la	liberty, freedom
luchar	to fight, to struggle
malgastar	to waste, to misuse, to squander
matar	to kill
medio ambiente, el	environment
medioambiental	environmental
mundial	global, world-wide

mundo, el	world
naturaleza, la	nature
necesitados, los	needy people
pájaro, el	bird
peligro, el	danger
peligroso	dangerous
petróleo, el	oil
pila, la	battery
pobre	poor
pobreza, la	poverty
preocupación, la	worry, anxiety
preocupado	worried, anxious

preocupante	worrying
productos químicos, los	chemicals
proteger	to protect
químico (adj)	chemical
recargable	rechargeable
reciclaje, el	recycling
reciclar	to recycle
recoger	to collect, to gather, to pick up
recurso, el	resource
renovable	renewable
reutilizar	to reuse
robar	to steal
recurso, el renovable reutilizar	resource renewable to reuse

robo, el	theft, burglary
salvar	to save
solucionar	to solve, to resolve
sucio	dirty
Tierra, la	Earth
tirar	to throw (away)
utilizar	to use
ventaja, la	advantage
violencia, la	violence