

“As unique individuals, we do our best at work and play for the love of God and others.”



MFL - One Page Profile

Non negotiables

Spanish is compulsory in KS2 at St Benedict's. Lessons are 30 minutes, weekly and there should be written work in the books most weeks. Lessons comprise speaking, writing, reading and listening activities.

Marking

All Spanish work should be recorded in the children's Spanish books. Live feedback will be given to pupils during the lesson and a review of books will take place after the lesson with significant issues being dealt with at the earliest possible opportunity (see feedback policy for more information).

Scheme

Each class should follow the Language Angels scheme of work, but other schemes of work may be dipped into to allow for even more differentiation.

In addition to following the lessons provided in the Language Angels scheme of work and resources, teachers are encouraged to also do some of the following:

Cookery sessions of traditional foods from the country of the language being studied.

School celebrations of Spanish/Spanish speaking countries national feast days being to improve cultural awareness.

Once every three years, during the autumn term, we will hold a Spanish themed week.

Assessment

Key words should be emphasised and planned in to the topic (as directed by the scheme) and should be evident in the assessments.

Children should complete a mind map at the beginning of the topic and add to it in a different colour at the end. This will indicate progression over the course of the topic.

When collating the assessments, moderation will take place in a staff meeting. Evidence for 3 children will be collected.

Display

One whole school display to be updated by the MFL coordinator. In classes, where there is space, key vocabulary should be displayed and changed with the topic.

Monitoring

Book scrutinies will be carried out half termly by the MFL coordinator.