

A Level



Spanish

NELSON & COLNE
COLLEGE

SIXTH FORM

A Level Entry Requirements

Two grade 5s and three 4s in five subject areas at GCSE, to include a minimum of a grade 4 in Mathematics and English Language.

Additional Subject Requirements

Spanish at grade 5 or above.

Course description

A Level Spanish will allow you to improve your speaking, writing and reading skills to an advanced level. You will also explore the society, culture and current affairs of Spain and Spanish-speaking countries in order to gain a deeper appreciation of the language.

You will look at the work of an author and the work of a film director, plus focus on topics such as family and relationships, youth trends, multiculturalism and the political and artistic culture of Spain and Spanish-speaking countries.

In addition to these topics, students will do an individual research project of their choice.



What next?

Did you know that people who study languages have some of the lowest unemployment rates in the country? In other words, people who can speak more than one language are in very high demand by employers!

The possession of a second language often raises your basic salary considerably, making the study of a modern foreign language very profitable. Research suggests that over 90% of careers using languages are in non-linguistic professions.

Former students of Spanish have gone on to study at some of the top universities, including the University of Aberdeen, Keele University, the University of Manchester, Newcastle University and the University of Oxford, reading language-based subjects and other challenging degrees such as International Relations and Politics, and International Business.

Did you know?

Spanish is the second most widely spoken language in the world with approximately **400 million** native speakers.