

Curriculum Summary Document

Year 11 – French/Spanish

Module/Unit of Learning	Taught During	What will students learn?	How does this prepare students for success at KS4?	Links to other Subjects
The world of work	Autumn 1	Reinforcing understanding of phonics Vocabulary related to: the importance of learning a language, work experience, job applications, future plans and careers Grammar rules: the different uses of the past tenses- describing versus finished actions, the future tenses	This is the final topic to be taught from the Edexcel themes. Students saw this briefly in year 9, but it is now much more relevant to them.	English Careers
Exam skills	Autumn 2	All about the exams Effective exam technique for the reading, listening, speaking and writing exams Revision of all topics taught to date	Students complete a full round of PPE exams to have the full GCSE experience, these are used to identify current areas for development in preparation for the real exams	English
Revision and exam skills	Spring 1	Vocabulary related to: environmental concerns, healthy living as well as cross-topic revision when applying exam skills Exam skills: this term focuses on the key skills required in the writing and speaking exams	All lessons include a range of activities to ensure effective revision of key grammar and vocabulary as well as a wide range of exam style questions. This is supported by a home-learning revision timetable.	English Geography
Revision and exam skills	Spring 2	Vocabulary related to: Cross-topic revision Exam skills: while we practice elements of all the GCSE exams throughout the term, our main focus is on the speaking exam as these take place immediately after the Easter holidays	Effective exam technique is modelled by the teacher and elicited for the students to ensure that everyone is fully prepared for the GCSE exam and knows exactly how to approach each of the tasks they will face.	English
Revision and exam skills	Summer 1	Vocabulary related to: Cross-topic revision Exam skills: having completed the speaking exams, we focus on the skills required to be successful in the reading, listening and writing exams.		English Careers Geography