

Knowledge Mat: Spanish year 10

Term 1: Talking about holidays and booking accommodation (Theme 2)

- Revisiting present tense and irregular verbs
- Contrasting the preterite vs imperfect tense
- Expressing positive/negative opinions
- Tu vs usted verb forms

Term 2: Talking about School (Theme 3) and Social Activities (Theme 1)

- Using adjectives and agreements
- Using Comparatives and superlatives
- Using 'negatives'
- Using Object pronouns
- Using phrases +infinitive
- Using the 'present continuous' tense
- To be : ser vs estar
- Revisiting the 'near future' tense

Term 3: Free Time and Entertainment (Th 1)

- Using stem-changing verbs
- User 'soler' plus the infinitive
- Using the 'Perfect' Tense
- Using *algunos/ciertos/otros/muchos/demasiados/todos*

Wider Experiences / Try To Do...

Trips abroad

Watch a Spanish film/listen to youtube (with Spanish lyrics

Visit to SDL Translation Company (post option choices)

Mary Glasgow magazines

Summer 'Spanish buddy' week

The big questions:

- Which tense and what endings do I need?
- Who am I talking to?
- What is my sentence about and how do I use adjectives correctly?
- To be or not to be?
- Which past tense exactly and why?

Vocabulary

Infinitive: a verb that has not been conjugated (put into a tense). The verb form found in the dictionary (-ar, -er, ir)

Tense: A time frame telling us when the action takes place and which changes the verb.

Present: What you are doing now or usually do, e.g. vivo = I live/I am living

Present Continuous: Saying what you are doing at the moment, e.g. estoy bebiendo - I am drinking (right now)

Near future: saying what is going to happen. E.g. voy a visitar = I am going to visit

Preterite Tense: used to say what you did (completed action), e.g. viajé a - I travelled to..)

Imperfect Tense: used to say what you *used to* do or for describing things in the past, e.g. el hotel era.. - the hotel was..

Perfect Tense: used to talk about what you *have done* e.g. he jugado - I have played...

Object pronouns - replace the noun which has just been mentioned, it agrees with the noun it replaces (lo/la/los/las)