

EYFS: Building the foundations for Spanish	
Nursery	
In order for children to progress and develop the skills needed to be successful in Spanish , they build important communication and language skills through Communication and Language development, Personal, Social and Emotional development and building their essential skills and knowledge in Literacy .	
Speaking & Listening	Reading
Can start a conversation with an adult or friend and continue it for many turns. Listen with increased attention to sounds.	Enjoy listening to longer stories and remember much of what happens.

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Reception	
In the study of Modern Foreign Languages in reception, the focus is on practical communication and enjoyment. Children are taught to:-	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Listen attentively to spoken language and show understanding by joining in and responding ● Explore the patterns and sounds of language through songs and rhymes ● Engage in conversations; ask and answer questions ● Speak in simple sentences and broaden vocabulary ● Develop accurate pronunciation ● Enjoy songs, stories, poems and rhymes ● Start to understand basic grammar ● Start to understand similarities and differences in language 	
Speaking & Listening	Reading
Listen and understand some key nouns Listen and respond using actions Communication using simple words and modelled phrases Start to understand basic phonics sounds Start to copy pronunciation	Start to recognise basic nouns Start to spot similarities with English Start to use text types and visual clues