

## Spanish GCSE revision tips for success

- 1) Practise vocabulary little and often. Categorise vocabulary from each topic into three categories – think of a suitable title for each.

### *Vocabulary revision sites:*

Quizlet - <https://quizlet.com/>

Memrise - <https://www.memrise.com/>

- 2) Prioritise what you need to revise – start with the topics you find most challenging (or least memorable) and then move onto more familiar ones.
- 3) Make a mind map for each topic with the key words, phrases and facts.

### *Topic-based revision sites:*

BBC Bitesize - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z4dqxn>

Seneca Learning - <https://senecalearning.com/en-GB/>

Oye! - <https://oye.languageskills.co.uk/year/10-and-11>

BBC Languages - <http://www.bbc.co.uk/languages/spanish/>

- 4) Rank the information for each topic by importance (from most to least).

Spanishresources.com - <https://spanish-resources.com/channel/gcse-36>

Spanishrevision.co.uk - [http://www.spanishrevision.co.uk/gcse/gcse\\_index.htm](http://www.spanishrevision.co.uk/gcse/gcse_index.htm)

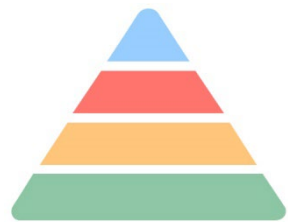
Get Revising -

[https://getrevising.co.uk/resources?q=&level\\_id%5B%5D=gcse&subject\\_id%5B%5D=spanish&kind%5B%5D=flash\\_cards&kind%5B%5D=cardset](https://getrevising.co.uk/resources?q=&level_id%5B%5D=gcse&subject_id%5B%5D=spanish&kind%5B%5D=flash_cards&kind%5B%5D=cardset)

Languages Online - <https://www.languagesonline.org.uk/Hotpotatoes/spanishindex.html>

- 5) Teach someone else – if you can explain it, you know it!
- 6) Practice makes perfect! If you find a structure or skill particularly challenging, focus your revision time on revising and improving it.

### *Grammar-based resources:*



Grammar Exercises for Spanish and French - <https://ndjarv.wixsite.com/website/spanish>

Revision World - <https://revisionworld.com/gcse-revision/spanish/grammar>

Lingolex - <http://www.lingolex.com/spanish.htm>

- 7) Practise your listening skills by finding Hispanic artists you like. Reading the lyrics at the same time is a great way to hone your skills.

*Music sites:*

Radioooo (The Musical Time Machine) - <https://radiooooo.com/>

Radio Garden - <http://radio.garden/>

Lyrics Training - <https://lyricstraining.com/>

Drive and listen - <https://driveandlisten.herokuapp.com/>

*Podcasts and TV:*

Notes in Spanish - <https://www.notesinspanish.com/category/beginners-podcast/>

Slow News in Spanish - <https://www.newsinslowspanish.com/>

Netflix Series in Spanish - <https://secondaryspanishspace.com/the-ultimate-list-of-movies-to-show-in/>

- 8) Make sure you have a variety of adjectives and structures in your speaking and writing. Don't just fall back on the same 3 things – impress the examiners with your range!

*Dictionaries:*

WordReference - [www.wordreference.com](http://www.wordreference.com)

SpanishDict - [www.spanishdict.com](http://www.spanishdict.com)

- 9) Finally, make a revision timetable (be realistic and chunk down what you need to know into manageable tasks). Revise little and often and remember to plan for breaks as well.

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