

COURSE OUTLINE – 30 WEEKS

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Level: 2

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TOPICS AND VOCABULARY	COMMUNICATIVE OBJECTIVES	GRAMMAR
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PERSONAL INFORMATION • FAMILY 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Asking for and giving information about people: name, age, occupation, nationality, civil status and family. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Questions words: ¿Cuántos?, ¿cómo?, ¿qué?, ¿de dónde?,... • Present tense of common verbs • Verbs like gustar, encantar,...
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • STUDYING SPANISH • WISHES AND NECESSITIES 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expressing wishes • Expressing obligation and necessity 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hay + que + infinitive • Tener + que + infinitive • Necesitar + infinitive • Me gustaría + infinitive
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PLANS AND PROJECTS • CERTAINTY AND POSSIBILITIES • HOLIDAYS 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talk about the future: plans and projects • Expressing certainty • Expressing possibility • Talking about weekend activities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ir + a + infinitive • Estar seguro/a de que • Es probable/posible, puede ser, quizás
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PARTS OF THE BODY • HEALTH AND ILLNESSES • REMEDIES 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Asking about physical condition and mood • Expressing feelings and pain • Offering remedies and give suggestions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Me duele/n ... • Tengo dolor de.... • Tengo + noun • Estoy + adjective • Deber + infinitive • Adverbs: Muy/mucho/bastante/poco • Present tense • Exclamations: ¡Qué...!
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Say how often you do things 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of reflexive verbs

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DAILY ROUTINE 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe your daily routine • Describe your weekends 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of "soler"
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SHOPPING • FOOD • AT THE RESTAURANT 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shopping for food • Ordering food and drink in a restaurant • Asking for things in a restaurant • Ask for service in a restaurant 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Present tense: some irregular verbs • Algo, nada • Otro, un poco (más) de. • Countable and uncountable nouns
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • THE RECENT PAST • APOLOGIES • EXCUSES 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talking about the recent past • Apologising • Making excuses • Reassuring someone 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pretérito perfecto (Perfect tense) • Irregular past participles: visto, hecho, vuelto, escrito,... • Perdona por...Lo siento, de verdad. • Es que... • Tranquilo, hombre, no tiene importancia • ¡Bah! No te preocupes.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EXPERIENCES • OPINIONS 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talking about personal experiences in the past • Expressing opinions • Agreeing and disagreeing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pretérito perfecto • Ya - aún/todavía no • Creer /pensar que... • (No) Estar de acuerdo con...porque... • Con + personal pronoun
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SHOPPING • CLOTHES 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describing what people are wearing • Making comparisons • Shopping for clothes • Asking and giving permission 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comparatives • Object pronouns: lo, la, los, las • ¿Puedo + infinitive? Sí, claro...
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • REVIEW CLOTHES • REVIEW PHYSICAL DESCRIPTIONS 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Saying what people is doing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Estar + gerundio • Para + personal pronoun • Exclamations: ¡Qué...! • Ser /estar
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HOLIDAYS 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talking about the past: saying what you did 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pretérito indefinido: regular and irregular verb (ir, ser, estar, venir,

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LEISURE ACTIVITIES 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talking about the past: holidays, a trip 	<p>hacer)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prepositions: en, de.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PERMISSIONS AND FAVOURS 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ask for permission. Give or refuse permission • Ask for a favour and answer accordingly • Ask for things and respond accordingly • Ask for things 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ¿Puedo + infinitive? • ¿Puedes + infinitive? • ¿Se puede + infinitivo? • ¿Me das...? • ¿Me dejas...? • Affirmative imperative, singular • Affirmative imperative + object pronouns
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • INVITATIONS • LEISURE ACTIVITIES 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expressing likes and dislikes • Start a phone conversation • Talking about timetables and places • Invitations • Accept and reject invitations • Making appointments 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Querer + infinitive • Poder + infinitive • Present: irregular verbs • Verbs like gustar, encantar,...
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TRAVELLING • PLACES 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expressing preferences • Making comparisons • Ask for and give information about transport • Directions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Verbo preferir: present • Comparatives • Acabar de + infinitive • Affirmative imperative