

Spanish Summer Work- Instructions to students

1. Please learn the vocabulary on both vocab lists thoroughly. You will be completing a detailed vocabulary test on each of them in September.
2. Please complete as much work as possible from the grammar booklet attached. This will help your confidence with grammar points and the demands in A level.
3. Revise the vocabulary related to the topic of cinema and TV that you have covered at GCSE level.
4. Complete some specific revision on present, past and future tenses as you will complete a piece of writing in controlled conditions on the topic above and will be expected to write something in these 3 tenses. You can use any website to revise Spanish grammar such as www.languagesonline.com
5. Read/watch the news and keep up with what is happening in Spain over the summer holidays. Check newspaper websites like www.elpais.es and www.elmundo.es
6. Listen to Spanish music/podcasts and watch videos/series/films in Spanish.
7. Keep a record of new vocabulary or expressions you might have encountered over the summer.

Enjoy the holidays!

Nos vemos en septiembre.

If you have any question/doubt contact me!

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Vocabulary

*denotes a radical-changing verb

1 La familia

abuelo/a (m,f)	grandfather; grandmother	hermanos (mpl)	brother(s) and sister(s)
actividades (fpl)	extracurricular activities	hijo/a único/a (m,f)	only son/daughter
extraescolares		hijo (m) varón	male child
ama de casa (f)	housewife	hipoteca (f)	mortgage
ansiedad (f)	anxiety	hogar (m)	home
apoyo (m)	support	ingresos (mpl)	income
autocontrol (m)	self-control	jubilado	retired
baja (f) paternal	paternity leave	madre (f) primeriza	mother for the first time
barrio (m)	district	maltrato (m)	ill-treatment
bisabuelo/a (m,f)	great-grandfather; great-grandmother	matrimonio (m)	married couple
		mayores (mpl)	grown-ups
bofetada (f)	slap; punch	nacer	to be born
cachete (m)	slap	nacimiento (m)	birth
cambiar pañales (mpl)	to change nappies	nene (m); nena (f)	baby; small child
cariño (m)	affection	nieto/a (m,f)	grandson; granddaughter
casado	married	padres (mpl)	parents
casarse	to get married	pareja (f)	couple; partner
castigo (m) físico	physical punishment	parientes (mpl)	relatives
chalé (m) adosado	semi-detached house	pasear	to go for a walk
charlar	to chat	pegar	to hit, strike
chucherías (fpl)	sweets	permiso (m)	maternity leave
cocinar	to cook	de maternidad	
compartir	to share	piso (m) alquilado	rented flat
conciliar vida familiar	to reconcile work and	planificación (f)	family planning
y laboral	home	familiar	
conducta (f)	behaviour	primo/a (m,f)	cousin
corregir (i)*	to punish	progenitor (m)	father
criar	to bring up	proteger	to protect
cuento (m)	story, tale	receta (f)	recipe
cuidar de	to look after	recién nacido/a (m,f)	new-born child
culpa (f)	guilt	recurrir a	to have recourse to
discutir	to argue	relación (f)	relationship
edad (f) media	average age	reñir (i)*	to tell off; scold
embarazada	pregnant	reparto (m) de	division of responsibilities
enamorarse	to fall in love	las responsabilidades	
esposo/a (m,f)	husband; wife	residir en	to reside in
familia (f) real	royal family	reunión (f) familiar	family reunion
ganar un sueldo	to earn a salary	reunirse	to meet
gastar	to spend	salir	to go out
gastos (mpl) de casa	household expenses	separado	separated
generación (f)	generation	suegro/a (m,f)	father-in-law; mother-in-law
guardería (f)	nursery	tarea (f) doméstica	household chore/duty
heredero/a (m,f)	heir; heiress	unido	united
hermano/a (m,f)	older/younger	vecino/a (m,f)	neighbour, resident, inhabitant
mayor/menor	brother/sister	viudo/a (m,f)	widow; widower
		vivienda (f)	dwelling
		volar del nido	to fly the nest

3 La salud

aceite (m) (de oliva, de girasol)	(olive, sunflower) oil	fièvre (f) del heno	hay fever	tener (ie) * la vida por delante	to have your life ahead of you	vivienda (f)	housing
adelgazar	to slim	fumador(a) (m, f)	smoker	tener (ie) * un rollo con alguien	to have a short affair with someone	volar (ue) * del nido	to fly the nest
aderezar	to season, garnish	grasa (f)	fat	tener (ie) * vocación de tocar un instrumento	to have a vocation for to play an instrument	xenofobia (f)	xenophobia
alergia (f)	allergy	gripe (f)	'flu	trabajar a tiempo completo/partial	to work full/part time	zona (f) de barrios bajos	slum area
alimento (m)	nutritional food	hacer dieta	to stay in bed	trabajo (m) social	social work	Dios los crea y ellos se juntan	Birds of a feather flock together
arroz (m)	rice	hacer la línea	hashish	valores (mpl)	values	hogar, dulce hogar	home, sweet home
asar	to roast	hachís (m)	oven				
ataque (m) cardíaco	heart attack	horno (m)	vegetable				
augmentar de peso	to put on weight	hortaliza (f)	to go on a picnic				
ayuno (m)	fast(ing)	ir de tapao	to go out to eat tapas				
bocadillo (m)	sandwich (baguette type)	legumbre (f)	pulse				
caballo (m)	heroin	lesión (f)	injury				
caer enfermo	to fall ill	marisco (m)	seafood; shellfish				
caldor (m)	soup, broth	matar el gusanillo	to kill hunger				
carnello (m)	drug-pusher	medicamento (m)	medicine				
cáncer (m)	cancer	merienda (f)	packed meal				
cansancio (m)	tiredness	microondas (m)	microwave				
carne (f)	meat; flesh	nudo	dumb				
catarro (m)	cold	narcotraficante (m, f)	drug trafficker				
cazuela (f)	casserole	operarse	to have an operation				
ciego	blind	paciente (m, f)	patient				
cena (f)	dinner	pastel (m)	cake				
conciliar el sueño	to get to sleep	pastor (m)	pasture				
comida (f)	midday meal; food	pescado (m)	fish (dead)				
consumo (m)	consumption	pez (m)	fish (alive)				
consumidor(a) (m, f)	consumer	plátano (m)	pill				
crecer	to grow	ponerse enfermo/malo	to become ill				
cultivo (m)	crop; cultivation	porro (m)	split, joint				
daño	harmful	postre (m)	dessert, pudding				
delgado	slim	preparar	to prepare, cook				
desfallecer	to faint	probar (ue) *	to taste, try (food, etc)				
desnutrición (f)	malnutrition	receta (f)	prescription; recipe				
dieta (f) mediterránea	Mediterranean diet	regimen (m)	diet				
droga (f) de diseño	designer drug	respirar	to relax				
drogadicción (f)	drug addiction	sabor (m) *	to breathe				
drogarse	to take drugs	salud (f)	taste				
dulce	sweet	sanidad (f)	health				
enfermedad (f)	illness, disease	SIDA (m)	health (public)				
enfermizo	sickly	síntoma (m)	AIDS				
engordar	to put on weight	sobremesa (f)	symptom				
envejecer	to grow old		period after the midday meal				
estar bien de salud	to be well						
estrés (m)	stress	sordo	deaf				
estresado	stressed	tapas (fp)	bar snacks				
estupefacto (m)	drug	toxicómano/a (m, f)	drug-addict				
farmacia (f)	chemist's	tratamiento (m)	treatment				
farmacéutico/a (m, f)	chemist	verduras (fp)	green vegetables				