Spanish ideas for independent learning in addition to lessons, homework and assessments:

Y7 & Y8

Do you want to improve your listening skills? You have a plethora of resources at your fingertips! Watch your favourite shows on Netflix, Youtube, AmazonPrime, etc. in Spanish with English subtitles... you don't need to understand every word, but it will help your brain become used to listening to authentic Spanish.

Actively use Quizlet to learn and revise the vocabulary – not only from your current unit, but from previous ones as well!

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Outside B26 you have QR codes that you can scan with your phone while you are waiting for your next lesson to start to catch up with the latest news in the Spanish speaking world. You will find these super challenging but remember that you don't need to understand every single word!

Outside B29 the Spanish department publishes a termly extra challenge related to culture in the Hispanic world. Complete them and send them to your teacher for extra achievement points and to expand your understanding of the Spanish-speaking world.

Y9 & Y10 & Y11

Specification and sample / past papers for Edexcel which is the exam board you are using: <u>AQA</u> <u>GCSE Spanish (2016)</u>

Listening, speaking, reading and writing support/extension: GCSE Spanish - BBC Bitesize

Missed a lesson or topic in Y9, 10 or 11 and never really felt you caught up? Try the teaching videos on Oak Academy: Spanish lessons for Key Stage 4 students - Oak National Academy (thenational.academy) — there are also teaching videos for the topics you covered in Key Stage 3 (Y7 & Y8)

To improve your <u>speaking</u> skills, then work on your <u>Speaking Booklet</u> – use the sentence builders to come up with excellent answers and practise with a class peer or a member of your family so you are ready for your weekly sessions with the language assistant.

Actively use the <u>Grammar and Translation Workbook</u> to practise the topics / grammar that you find more challenging. Here is a link to the <u>answers</u> so you can self-mark.

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