## STUDY GUIDE

## SPANISH COURSE



**Advanced** 

## **Study Guide Introduction**

Welcome to this study guide, specially designed to help you get the most out of your online Spanish classes. Learning a language virtually has multiple advantages, such as flexible schedules and the possibility of accessing multimedia resources and interactive activities from anywhere. However, it also requires good organization, perseverance and an active approach to move forward effectively.

In this guide you will find tools and tips that will help you improve in key areas of learning Spanish: listening comprehension, speaking, reading and writing. In addition, we offer you strategies to maintain motivation, manage your study time and optimize interaction with your teachers and classmates in the virtual environment.

Use this guide to support you on your path to mastering Spanish, making the most of the digital resources at your disposal and developing your linguistic skills step by step. Let's get started!



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	imperfect. Exercises to narrate and describe past events.
	03 Future and Conditional.
	Differences in use between the preterite and the
	imperfect. Exercises to narrate and describe past events.
	04 Direct and indirect object pronouns.
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	os, los/las) and indirect object pronouns (me, te, le, nos,
	os, les).
Block 1: Grammar and	05 The compound times.
Structure	Formation and use of compound tenses: present
	perfect, pluperfect and future perfect.
	06 Comparisons and superlatives.
	Rules for comparing objects, people or ideas. Use of
	expressions of equality, inferiority and superiority.
	07 The subjunctive: present and past.
	Introduction to the subjunctive in present and past.
	Situations of use in subordinate clauses.
	08 Reflective and reciprocal constructions.
	Use of reflexive and reciprocal verbs to express personal
	or mutual actions.
	09 The verbal periphrases.
	Constructions such as "have to + infinitive", "go to +
	infinitive" and their use to express intention, obligation
	and possibility.



	01 Family and personal relationships.
	Vocabulary about kinship and personal relationships.
	Practice how to describe family members.
	02 The food and drink.
	Vocabulary to talk about foods, drinks, recipes and
	eating customs from different Spanish-speaking countries.
	03 The city and addresses.
	Useful vocabulary and expressions to describe places in
	a city and ask or give directions.
	04 Work and professions.
	Vocabulary related to the world of work, professions,
	skills and the work environment.
Block 2:	05 Health and well-being.
Vocabulary and Expression	Vocabulary about the human body, symptoms, diseases
	and visits to the doctor. Expressions related to health.
	06 Climate and environment.
	Terms related to weather and climate. Expressions to
	describe natural phenomena and environmental
	problems.
	07 Technology and communication.
	Basic vocabulary about technology, electronic devices
	and forms of communication.
	08 Leisure and free time.
	Expressions and vocabulary about leisure activities,
	hobbies and sports.
	09 Emotions and moods.
	Vocabulary to describe emotions, feelings and
	expressions of moods in different contexts.

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	01 Listening comprehension: everyday conversations.
	Listening comprehension exercises with informal
	dialogues and everyday situations.
	02 Personal presentation.
	How to talk about yourself, describe tastes, interests, and
	short and long-term plans.
	03 Describing places and people.
	Exercises to practice describing places, people and
	objects in detail.
	04 Conversations in practical situations.
	Practice dialogues for situations such as asking for
	information in a hotel, shopping, or going to a restaurant.
Block 3: Oral	05 Debates on current topics.
Comprehension and Expression	Express opinions on topics of general interest. Practice
	expressions of agreement and disagreement.
	06 Storytelling in the past tense.
	Storytelling exercises in which students tell personal
	experiences or fictional stories.
	07 Ask and answer questions.
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	conversation.
	08 Idiomatic and colloquial expressions.
	Introduction to some common expressions in Spanish and
	their context of use.
	09 Make recommendations and suggestions.
	Use of expressions to advise, recommend and suggest in
	different contexts.

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	01 Write formal and informal emails.
	Structure and differences between formal and informal
	emails.
	02 Writing descriptions.
	Exercises to describe objects, places or people in detail
	in written texts.
	03 Write stories in the past.
	Writing stories in the past and imperfect. Event
	narration exercises.
	04 Write opinions and arguments.
	Express and defend opinions in writing on general
	topics.
Block 4: Comprehension	05 Request and complaint letters.
and Written	Writing formal letters to request information or express
Expression	a complaint.
	06 Write instructions and advice.
	Writing step-by-step instructions or advice on various
	topics.
	07 Develop a biography.
	Write the biography of a famous or personal person in
	different tenses.
	08 Text summaries.
	Exercises to summarize texts, articles or stories, focusing
	on main ideas.
	09 Express emotions in personal texts.
	Exercises in writing personal texts (diaries, letters) that
	reflect emotions and feelings.

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