

## What is the course about?

This short, non-accredited course is designed for beginners who have completed the Getting Started with Spanish course and are ready to build on their existing knowledge of the language.

As with all language learning, regular practice outside the classroom is important. You'll receive weekly handouts to support your learning, although no structured homework is set.

## Why should I choose the course?

This course focuses on the vocabulary and grammar needed to feel more confident in everyday situations within a Spanish-speaking environment. It builds on your understanding of the language while also introducing aspects of Spanish culture. The course emphasises key speaking skills such as pronunciation, intonation, and confidence, while also supporting the development of writing, reading, and listening through practical techniques and activities.

## What will I learn?

During the course, you will:

- Practise speaking in Spanish to express your likes and dislikes and take part in conversations with classmates.
- Listen to spoken Spanish from your tutor and classmates to understand questions and responses related to likes and dislikes.
- Read simple Spanish texts on the topic of likes and dislikes to build your vocabulary and comprehension.
- Write sentences and short paragraphs in Spanish to describe your own preferences.
- Explore cultural differences in likes and dislikes across Spanish-speaking countries.

You will be informally assessed by the tutor, and you will also self-assess your weekly progress using an individual learning plan.

## What will the course lead on to?

The non-accredited beginners' courses begin with Getting Started, followed by Build on Your Spanish, and then Spanish for Everyday Use. If you wish to continue your learning journey, you can move on to Enhancing Your Spanish to the Next Level, which is designed to help you practise speaking, reading, and writing skills developed in the previous three courses.



## What support is available?

We have a team of staff dedicated to providing learning support if it is required and a Wellbeing Team that are on hand to offer guidance, support and help when needed.

Additionally, eligible students can access a wide range of finance and funding support to help them during their time at college. For personalised advice on funding, please contact our Learner Services Team on 01925 494 400 or email [learner.services@wvr.ac.uk](mailto:learner.services@wvr.ac.uk).

## Why should I choose to study the course at Warrington & Vale Royal College?

Warrington & Vale Royal College offers a welcoming learning environment with modern facilities, ample on-site parking, and expert tuition from knowledgeable and supportive staff. Whether you're just starting out or looking to develop new skills, we're here to help you succeed.

## What are the entry requirements?

This is a basic course designed for beginners to continue their learning after they have completed the Getting Started with Spanish course. The course is for adults aged 19+.

## What are my funding options?

For more information about financial support, please visit: <https://wvr.ac.uk/college-life/financial-support>

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## Are there any additional costs associated with the course?

There are no additional costs but please bring a pen and notebook along to the sessions.



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