



# LEVELS OF SPANISH

## A1, A2, B1, B2, C1, C2

### EXPLAINED



# LEVELS OF SPANISH: BEGINNER TO FLUENT

**C2**

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**C1**

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**B2**

**UPPER INTERMEDIATE**

**B1**

**INTERMEDIATE**

**A2**

**ELEMENTARY**

**A1**

**BEGINNER**

# SPANISH LEVEL A1: BEGINNER

## Basic rules of Spanish gender



La casa blanca es muy bonita.  
The white house is very pretty.

## Express nationality



Carlos es italiano.  
Carlos is Italian.

## Numbers in Spanish



Treinta y tres.  
Thirty-three.

## -AR, -ER, -IR Verbs



Cantar, poner, vivir.  
To sing, to put, to live.

## Definite & indefinite articles



No me gustó el pastel.  
I didn't like the cake.

## Subject pronouns



Ellos hablan inglés.  
They speak English.

# SPANISH LEVEL A1: BEGINNER

## Present Indicative Tense



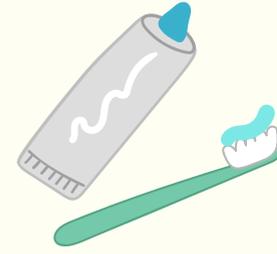
Tenemos examen mañana.  
We have an exam tomorrow.

## Basic Prepositions



Soy de México.  
I'm from Mexico.

## Reflexive Verbs



Yo me cepillo los dientes.  
I brush my teeth.

## Days of the Week



Los lunes trabajo hasta las 8.  
On Mondays, I work until 8.

## Common Verbs



Tuve que limpiar mi cuarto.  
I had to clean my room.

## Order Food in a Restaurant



Para mí, va a ser un pozole.  
I'll have a pozole.

# SPANISH LEVEL A2: UPPER BEGINNER

## Describe feelings & Symptoms



Sam está enfermo.

Sam is sick.

## Talk about Routines



Los sábados íbamos a visitar a mis papás.

Saturdays we went to visit my parents.

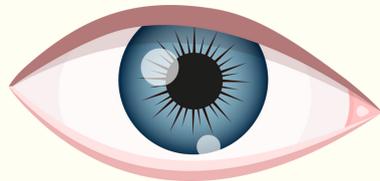
## Express Duration



No he visto a Carol desde 2010.

I haven't seen Carol since 2010.

## Body parts



Sus ojos son azules.

Her eyes are blue.

## Preterite Tense



Los chicos llegaron tarde.

The boys arrived late.

## Time Markers for the Past



Hoy no fuimos a la oficina.

We didn't go to the office today.

# SPANISH LEVEL A2: UPPER BEGINNER

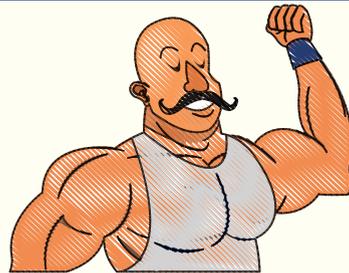
## Express Politeness



¿Nos **darías** unos minutos más?

**Would you give** us a few more minutes?

## Adjectives to Describe People



Saúl es **pequeño** y **musculoso**.

Saul is **short** and **muscular**.

## Talk about Likes and Dislikes



**Me gustan** mucho las fresas.

**I like** strawberries very much.

## Direct Object Pronouns



Dámela, por favor.

Give **it** to me, please.

## Past (Imperfect) Habits & Routines



Jackie y yo **jugábamos** todos los días.

Jackie and I **played** every day.

## Present Progressive Tense



¿Qué **estás comiendo**?

What **are** you **eating**?

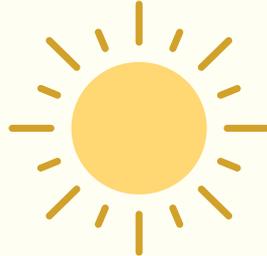
# SPANISH LEVEL B1: INTERMEDIATE

## Spanish Past Tenses



Ayer estuvo lloviendo todo el día.  
Yesterday it was raining all day.

## Form Impersonal Expressions



Hoy hace mucho calor.  
Today is very hot.

## Capitalization Rules



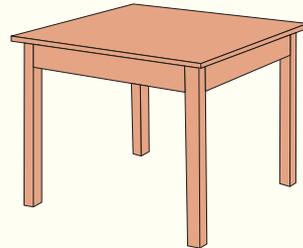
La tienda no abre los lunes.  
The store doesn't open on Mondays.

## Basic Si Clauses



Si quieres, te llamo más tarde.  
If you want, I can call you later.

## Express Prohibition & Obligation



Hay que limpiar la mesa.  
The table needs to be cleaned.

## Future Simple Tense



El próximo jueves iré al aeropuerto.  
I will go to the airport next Thursday.

# SPANISH LEVEL B1: INTERMEDIATE

## Connecting Words



Llegué tarde debido al tráfico.  
I'm late due to the traffic.

## Express Agreement & Disagreement



Tampoco queremos ir.  
We don't want to go either.

## Present subjunctive



Es muy probable que hoy haga calor.  
It will likely be hot today.

## Uses of Indirect Object Pronouns



Joe les enseña.  
Joe teaches them.

## Placing Reflexive & Object Pronouns



Dámela la, por favor.  
Give it to me, please.

# SPANISH LEVEL B2: UPPER INTERMEDIATE

## Passive voice



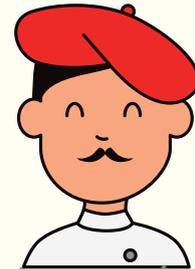
La pizza es preparada por el chef.  
The pizza is prepared by the chef.

## Uses of the Present Subjunctive



Espero que tengas un buen día.  
I hope you have a good day.

## Uses of the Conditional



Nos gustaría ir a París el próximo año.  
We would like to go to Paris next year.

## Se Impersonal



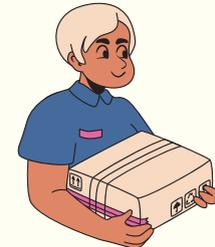
La carne se cocina así.  
The meat is cooked this way.

## Conditionals & Hypotheticals



Si hubieras ido, te habrías divertido.  
If you had gone, you would have had fun.

## Imperfect subjunctive



Les pedí que tuvieran cuidado.  
I asked you to be careful.

# SPANISH LEVEL B2: UPPER INTERMEDIATE

## Give Advice



Les recomendé que vieran una película.  
I recommended them to watch a movie.

## Uses of Por & Para



La entrega es para el lunes.  
The delivery is for Monday.

## Relative Clauses



Los chicos con los que trabajamos son muy amables.  
The guys with whom we work are very nice.

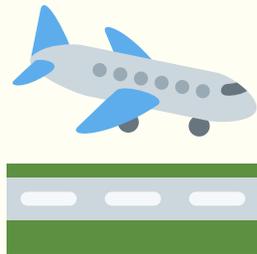
# SPANISH LEVEL C1: ADVANCED

## Use Indirect Speech



Alba dijo que lavarlas y doblaras la ropa.  
Alba said to wash and fold the clothes.

## Use and Form the Future Perfect



En dos horas, habremos llegado.  
We will have arrived in two hours.

## Express Wishes & Hypotheses in the Past



Tim y Luke esperaban que pudiéramos ayudarlos.  
Tim and Luke hoped that we could help them.

## Form Subordinate Clauses



Mi amiga, quien es doctora, es muy amable.  
My friend, who is a doctor, is very nice.

# SPANISH LEVEL C1: ADVANCED

## Combine Past Tenses



Ya se habían ido cuando llegué.  
They were gone when I arrived.

## Past Perfect Subjunctive



¡Ojalá te hubiera dicho lo que siento!  
I wish I had told you what I feel!

## Use Interjections & Expressions to Narrate



¡Ay! No es para tanto.  
Jeez! It's not a big deal.

# LEVELS OF SPANISH PROFICIENCY: A1-C2

## Level A1

- Gender, Numbers & Articles
- Express nationality
- Common -AR, -ER, -IR verbs
- Basic pronouns & prepositions
- Present indicative tense
- Reflexive verbs
- Months & Weekdays

## Level B2

- Se impersonal & Passive voice
- Uses of por and para
- Relative clauses
- Present & Imperfect subjunctive
- Conditional & hypotheticals

## Level A2

- Talk about Routines & Habits, Likes & Dislikes
- Describing People, Duration, Feelings, Symptoms & Body parts
- Preterite & Imperfect (past) tenses
- Direct object pronouns

## Level C1

- Reported speech
- Combining past tenses
- More Perfect (compound) tenses
- Form subordinate clauses
- Past wishes & hypotheses

## Level B1

- Past & Future tenses
- Impersonal expressions
- Express agreement, disagreement & obligation
- Indirect object pronouns
- Pronoun placement
- Present subjunctive

## Level C2

- Mastery of the language.
- Fully fluent and precise use of the Spanish.

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