



St Mary's CE (VA) Primary School		Progression of MFL and Skills					
Year Group	EYFS (not compulsory)	Year 1 (not compulsory)	Year 2 (not compulsory)	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Key Areas of Study	N/A	N/A	N/A	Yo (All About Me) Canciones y juegos (Games and Songs) Vamos a celebrarlo! (Celebrations)	Retratos (Portraits) Los cuatro amigos (The 4 friends) Cultivando unas cosas (Growing things)	A bordo! (All aboard) La paga (Pocket money) Cuéntame un cuento! (Tell me a story!)	a vida deportiva! (Our sporting lives) El Carnaval de los animales (Carnival of the Animals) ¿Qué tiempo hace? (What's the weather like?)
Listening	To listen and join in songs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Be familiar with 4 basic colours linked to team points ● Be familiar with greetings: Hello Goodbye 	Understand a few familiar spoken words and phrases eg – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Reinforce: 4 basic colours linked to team points ● greetings: Hello Goodbye ● Familiar simple 	Understand a few familiar spoken words and phrases eg – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Reinforce: 4 basic colours linked to team points ● greetings: Hello Goodbye ● Simple weather words: 	Understand a few familiar spoken words and phrases – e.g. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Simple vocab introduced in KS 1 ● Numbers ● Months of the year ● Introducing yourself ● Celebrations 	Understand a range of familiar spoken phrases – e.g. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Build on/reinforce vocab already introduced ● Introduce basic phrases concerning myself, ● parts of the body 	Understand the main points from a spoken passage made up of familiar language – e.g. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● weather forecast ● Travel ● Likes and dislikes 	Understand the main points and some of the detail from a short spoken passage – e.g. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● sentences describing what people are wearing ● an announcement



		weather words: hot cold wind rain sun snow	hot cold wind rain sun snow		<ul style="list-style-type: none">● describe animals● respond to a story.		
Speaking	To join in in song with the teacher. Repeat simple words such as greetings	To respond to slow simple questions. To repeat words found in songs or new vocabulary	To respond to slow simple questions. To repeat words found in songs or instructions	Say and/or repeat a few words and short simple phrases – e.g. My name is Ask simple questions Eg What is your name ? Know how to pronounce some single letter sounds. Imitate correct pronunciation with some success.	Answer simple questions and give basic information – e.g. <ul style="list-style-type: none">● what they look like● What food they like Know how to pronounce single letter sounds. Show an awareness of sound patterns. Be clearly understood.	Ask and answer simple questions– e.g. <ul style="list-style-type: none">● weather forecast● Travel● Likes and dislikes Take part in a simple/ basic conversation. Know how to pronounce some letter strings.	Engage in conversations. Express an opinion. Know how to pronounce a range of letter strings. Begin to understand how accents change letter sounds. Can substitute items of vocabulary to vary questions or statements.



							Pronunciation is becoming more accurate and intonation is being developed. Present ideas and information orally to a range of audiences.
Reading	N/A	To recognise words used in song or flashcards used eg. – <ul style="list-style-type: none">• greetings• colours	To recognise words used in song or flashcards used eg – <ul style="list-style-type: none">• greetings• colours• weather types• numbers	Recognises and reads out a few familiar words or phrases – eg. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• From stories and rhymes• Labels on familiar objects• Months of the year Use visual clues to help with reading.	Understands some familiar written phrases – eg. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• My name is ...• Responding to a story by pointing to parts of the body when they see it in the text eg Head, mouth ...	Understands the main points(s) from a short written text – eg. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Simple weather forecast or greetings card Match sound to print by reading aloud familiar words and phrases. Use a book or glossary to find out the meaning of new words.	Understand the main points and some of the detail from a short written text. Begin to read independently a simple text. Use bilingual dictionary to look up new words.



Writing	N/A	N/A	N/A	<p>Write or copy simple words and/or symbols correctly – e.g.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● personal information such as age● numbers● colours● objects <p>Select appropriate words to complete short phrases or sentences.</p>	<p>Write one or two short sentences with support e.g.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● description of hair colour, eye colour....● holiday greetings by email/postcard <p>Begin to spell some commonly used words correctly.</p>	<p>Write a few short sentences with support using already learnt – e.g.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● postcard● simple note or message● likes/dislikes <p>Spell words that are readily understandable.</p>	<p>Write a short paragraph on a familiar topic, adapting language already learnt.</p> <p>Spell commonly used words correctly.</p>
Cultural Understanding	A basic understanding that other countries may speak another language and that there are different cultures.	To understand some differences and similarities of living in a different country .	To understand some differences and similarities of living in a different country – compare with Spain at major celebrations.	Understand and respect that there are people and places in the world around me that are different to where I live and play. Understand that some people speak a different language to my own.	Identify similarities and differences in my culture to that of another. Talk about celebrations in other cultures and know about aspects of daily life in other countries that are different to my own.	Respect and understand cultural diversity. Understand how symbols, objects and pictures can represent a country.	Talk about, discuss and present information about a particular country's culture. Show similarities between Spain and UK as well as differences.



Topic/theme	Functions/notions	Grammar	Core language	Phonic focus
Unit 1 Yo (All about me)				
• Greetings • Introducing yourself	• Simple greetings • Making simple statements (about name and age) • Asking simple questions (about name and age) • Numbers 1–10	• <i>llamarse</i> : yo and tú forms (yo) me llamo, (tú) te llamas • Possessive adjective: mi	• ¡Buenos días! ¡Buenas tardes! • ¡Hola! • ¿Qué tal? • Bien/Mal. ¿Y tú? • ¡Adiós! • señor/señora • Sí/No • (Yo) me llamo ... • ¿Cómo te llamas? • Éste/Ésta es ... • uno, dos, tres, cuatro, cinco, seis, siete, ocho, nueve, diez • ¿Cuántos años tienes? • Tengo siete/ocho años	• j • ll • silent h • ñ • e
Unit 2 Canciones y juegos (Songs and games)				
• Responding to a song in Spanish • Understanding simple instructions • Making a game	• Numbers 11–20 • Simple instructions • Expressing preference	• Singular and plural nouns	• once, doce, trece, catorce, quince, dieciséis, diecisiete, dieciocho, diecinueve, veinte • ¿Cuántos? • (Yo) prefiero ...	• r • c (e/i) • z • v • u • revision of ll and ñ
Unit 3 ¡Vamos a celebrarlo! (Celebrations)				
• Saying what you can do well • Celebrating achievements and special occasions	Making simple statements (about activities) • Expressing praise • Months of the year • Writing an invitation • Asking permission	• Regular -ar and -er verbs: yo form • Simple adverbs • Position of simple adverbs • poder: ¿(Yo) puedo? (asking permission)	• (Yo) nado bien • (Yo) leo/bailo/canto bien • (Yo) juego bien al fútbol • ¡bravo/estupendo/fenomenal/guau! • ¡Soy/Eres un campeón/ una campeona!	• d making the sound th, as in 'although' • consolidation of j, ll, ñ, v and z



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• saber: (yo) sé + infinitive• ser: (yo) soy, (tú) eres• en + month	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• ¡Feliz cumpleaños!• enero, febrero, marzo, abril, mayo, junio, julio, agosto, septiembre, octubre, noviembre, diciembre• (Yo) sé• ¿(Yo) puedo?• (Yo) quiero	
Unit 4 Retratos (Portraits)				
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Parts of the body• Colours• Descriptions of people	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Making simple statements (about appearance)• Giving a simple description (of a person)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Adjectives: agreement and position• tener: él/ella tiene• ser: él/ella es	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• los colores• rojo, negro, blanco, amarillo, violeta, naranja, rosa, marrón, azul, verde • (Yo) tengo ...• (Él/Ella) tiene ...• el pelo azul/rojo/verde/amarillo/rubio• la boca azul/roja/verde/amarilla• los ojos azules/rojos/verdes/amarillos• (Él/Ella) es ...• alto/alta• bajo/baja	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• difference between the sounds z and d (th as in 'although')• revision of j and ll
Unit 5 Los cuatro amigos (The four friends)				
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Responding to a story• Understanding simple instructions• Descriptions of animals	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Giving a simple description (of an animal)• Making simple statements (about movement)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Negatives (no ...)• Regular -er and -ar verbs: él/ella form• ser: es	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• el caballo• la oveja• el conejo• el ratón• ... galopa• ... corre• Es ...• gris	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• i• revision of ll, j and z



			<ul style="list-style-type: none">• No, el conejo no galopa, etc	
Unit 6 Cultivando unas cosas (Growing things)				
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Responding to a story• Buying things• Ordering in a restaurant	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Expressing likes and dislikes (about food)• Saying what you would like	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Questions: with ¿Qué?• gustar: me/te gusta, me/te gustan• gustar: negative no me gusta / no me gustan• querer: (usted) quiere (polite form)• ir: (yo) voy	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• ¿Te gusta(n) ...?• Me gusta(n) ... (mucho)• No me gusta(n) ... (mucho)• ¿Qué quiere usted?• Aquí tiene• Gracias	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• g (e/i)• revision of j, ll and d (th)
Unit 7 ¡A bordo! (All aboard)				
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Travel• Weather	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Making statements (about travel)• Describing the weather• Days of the week	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• en/a + transport• a + place• ir: (yo) voy, (tú) vas• Question with ¿A dónde?• hacer: hace	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• (Yo) voy al colegio• en autobús/coche/bicicleta• a pie• ¿A dónde vas?• (Yo) voy ... a México/España• Hace calor / mal tiempo / buen tiempo / viento / frío / sol• Llueve• lunes, martes, miércoles, jueves, viernes, sábado, domingo	<p>au</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• revision of vowel sounds• z and j
Unit 8 La paga (Pocket money)				
Expressing opinions about likes and dislikes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Expressing likes and dislikes (about food and toys)• Justification of opinions• Numbers 21–39• Simple prices	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• eso/esa• tener: negative no tengo	<ul style="list-style-type: none">eso/esa• Me encanta ...• No me gusta nada ...• veintiuno, veintidós, veinitrés, veinticuatro, veinticinco, veintiséis, veintisiete, veintiocho, veintinueve, treinta• ¿Cuánto es?• un euro	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• eu• ei



			<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Es genial, magnífico• No tengo ...	
Unit 9 ¡Cuéntame un cuento! (Tell me a story!)				
• Responding to a story	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Instructions• Numbers in multiples of 10 up to 100	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Imperatives: tú form• Adjectives: masculine and feminine singular agreement• estar: está	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• cuarenta, cincuenta, sesenta, setenta, ochenta, noventa, cien• alto/alta, bajo/baja• verdadero/falso	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• revision of r and d (th)• synthesising familiar words
Unit 10 La vida deportiva (Sporting life)				
• Healthy food and drinks	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Making simple statements (about activities and diet)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Questions: with ¿Qué? (revision)• hacer: (yo) hago, (tú) haces	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• ¿Qué haces el (lunes)?• (Yo) juego al tenis / al cricket / al baloncesto• (Yo) monto en bici• (Yo) patino/bailo• (Yo) hago gimnasia / natación• cero• el zumo de naranja• el pescado• el chocolate• el yogurt• la coca• los caramelos (m)• las patatas fritas (f)• las zanahorias (f)• una manzana• Es bueno/buena/malo/mala para la salud• Son buenos/buenas/malos/malas para la salud	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• qu• synthesising words from individual phonemes
Unit 11 El Carnaval de los animales ('Carnival of the Animals')				



• Animals and their habitats	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Giving a simple description (of animals and habitats)• Telling the time on the hour• Asking and answering simple questions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Adjectives: masculine and feminine agreements and invariable• Adverbs	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• ¿Dónde vives?• Vivo en ...• rápido/rápida• lento/lenta• pequeño/pequeña• grande• rápidamente• lentamente• fuerte• suave• ¿Qué hora es?• la una, las dos, las tres, las cuatro, las cinco, las seis, las siete, las ocho, las nueve, las diez, las once, las doce	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• consolidation of phoneme-grapheme correspondence identifying key phonemes• synthesising words
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Unit 12 ¿Qué tiempo hace? (What's the weather like?)

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Weather• Clothing	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Describing the weather• Revision of numbers to 40• Saying the temperature (plus and minus)• Saying the date	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Complex sentences starting with a subordinate clause using Cuando ...• Ilevar: (yo) llevo, (tú) llevas	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Nieva• Hielo• Cuando ... llevas ...• (Yo) llevo• bajo cero• lunes, 5 de junio, etc• el 5 de junio, etc	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• oi/oy• revision of key phonemes, especially v• consolidation of phoneme-grapheme correspondence• breaking words into individual phonemes• synthesising phonemes to build words
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