



Friday 2nd February 2024

Dear Parent/Carer,

As you may already be aware, as part of our rich and varied curriculum across Key Stage 2 we deliver Spanish as our Modern Foreign Language. In Reception and Key Stage 1 we develop an awareness for languages and learn some key phrases, introductions, numbers and colours. We are always looking for ways to enhance and promote the curriculum and have recently introduced a new resource called **Languagenut**. This enables us to use more authentic Spanish speaking audios and interactive games to practice our skills.

All children can access their learning from home if they wish to, and this allows you to see some of the content we have been learning in school. Over the coming week all children will have their log in details stuck in their planner and can access it as much as they wish to. This is an optional resource to use at home, a little like we have access to purple mash from home.

To further enrich this area of the curriculum, we will also be having a **'Spanish Day' on Friday 1st March**. On this day we will delve further into Spanish culture and food, as well as practise our language skill. We are also welcoming Parkside languages department to visit our Key Stage 2 classrooms and deliver some interactive learning with a Modern Foreign Language specialist. *On this day, your child is welcome to come to school dressed in any clothes that maybe inspired by Spain or Spanish culture. They may wish to wear traditional dress, football kits, a Spanish flag, colours of the Spanish flag or think a little creatively about accessories (sensible footwear please).*

Also, on this date the kitchen will be preparing a themed Spanish lunch and will share the menu with you ahead of the day. We hope this the children will be inspired by this enrichment day, and if you have any questions (or struggle to log in to the resource) please speak to your child's class teacher.

Thank you for your continued support,

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Head of School