

## Course Description and Outline

<b>Course Title</b>	Spanish Conversation Advanced Part 1		
<b>Level of Course</b>	Advanced	<b>Course Code</b>	Y1293
<b>Duration in Weeks</b>	10		
<b>Brief Description of Course What will the course cover?</b>	The aim of this course is on improving your oral communication skills through discussion, reading articles, watching videos and news from Latina America and Spain. You will have the opportunity to practice your spoken Spanish in small groups with other students of similar ability. The teacher will guide students with stimulating speaking activities that will help you to speak Spanish confidently and naturally. During each session, you will receive feedback on your pronunciation and use of vocabulary.		
<b>Entry Requirements</b>	You will need to have completed Spanish Intermediate or have studied Spanish for approximately 180 hours or at Level B1 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages.		
<b>Main Learning Outcomes for all Learners (Maximum of 5) By the end of the course you will be able to:</b>			
<b>1</b>	Discuss entertainment and mass media in the Spanish speaking world		
<b>2</b>	Recognise and discuss music and arts personalities from Spain and South America		
<b>3</b>	Talk about a variety of food in all the Spanish speaking countries		
<b>4</b>	Discuss travel, countries and cities from Spain and Latin America		
<b>5</b>	Discuss intercultural societies, immigration, integration and racism in Spain and Latin America		
<b>Equipment Required What will I need to bring to class?</b>	You will need to bring your enrolment slip to the first session as well as a notebook and pen You are encouraged to bring a Spanish dictionary to class, as you will need this for some classroom activities and for homework.		
<b>What courses can I go on to?</b>	Spanish Advanced Part 2		

**What examination or assessment will there be and what will it involve?**

There is no examination with this course.

A tutor conducted initial assessment will be followed by on-going assessment of progress and achievement.

**How will I know I am making progress?**

Your tutor will give you continuous feedback on your oral and written work as well as suggestions for improvement. You will have an individual learning plan to monitor your own progress.

The tutor will keep a record of your work and performance and discuss this with you.

You will gain more from the course if you commit study time to it outside the classroom.

**Is there anything else I need to know?**

We expect you to attend all classes, be on time and complete any homework given by your tutor

In general, we will not allow late entry to any course after the first two weeks. In all cases the full fee will be charged. You can discuss issues with your tutor or the Assistant Programme Manager at any time during the course.

**What if I want extra support? Contact the Learner Support & Advice Team**

The Learner Support and Advice Team can support learners to achieve their education and employment goals. Information, advice and guidance are given on a range of issues including financial support, support available for learners who are disabled, and learners with learning difficulties. Come and see one of our experienced and friendly advisors who can help you make the next step. For further information, text **IDEA** and your name to **07950 080 341** or email **ideastorelearning@towerhamlets.gov.uk** and a member of the team will get back to you.

This is a brief description of the course content and is not definitive or exhaustive. The course content may be subject to change without notice however the details above are intended to give a picture of the types of activities which may be included on the course.

Course outlines provide a general summary of the contents and material to be covered during lessons. They are subject to change at the discretion of teachers to meet the needs of learners and should not be regarded as prescriptive lists of activities to be covered.