## Instituto Cervantes Online Platform





#### INTRODUCTION

The online Spanish courses of the Insituto Cervantes have been developed in accordance with Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR), from level A1 to C1.

It is composed of 16 courses and 48 topics, supported by teaching resources, videos, and interactive exercises. With these tools the student will be able to learn Spanish at any time and place using a mobile phone, and do so in an effective, fun and independent way.

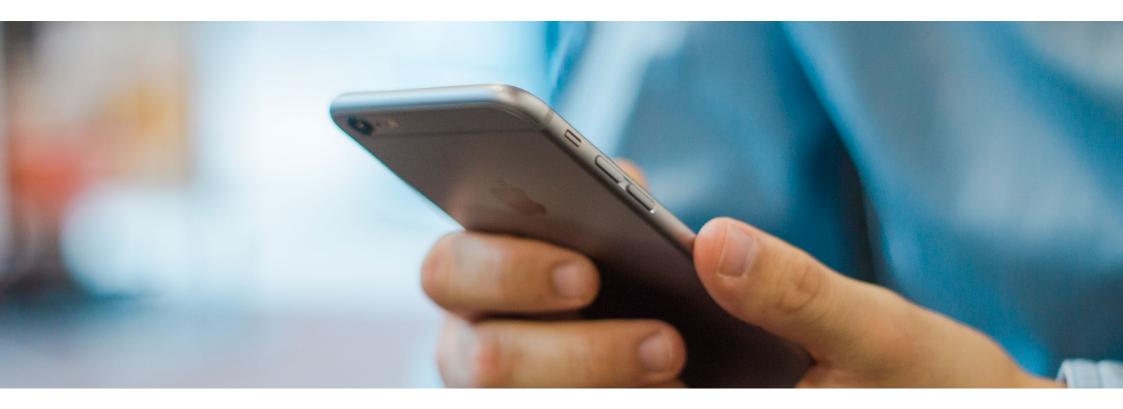


#### **COURSES**

The courses will take you through a complete set of activities at the chosen level.

There are 16 different courses, each with a duration of 30 hours, and each containing resources and activities designed with the most modern techniques for Spanish learning.

Following the independent style of the course, its user will receive academic notifications to demonstrate the level reached upon the completion of over 80% of the course contents



#### TOPICS

The resources in the platform offer students the possibility of studying Spanish through the concrete units we call topics.

There are 48 different topics, designed for users who have more concrete communicational objectives and a shorter timeframe in which to learn Spanish.

Each topic has a duration of 10 hours, within which users follow a specific path through their chosen content.

#### Level A1

| Title   | Description  |
|---|--|
| AVE Global. Topic 1. Beginner A1.1. Meeting, greet-<br>ing and personal information                     | Meeting, greeting, and personal information. Learning to greet and say goodbye,<br>to give and request personal and professional information, and to speak about<br>ones profession. |
| AVE Global. Topic 2. Beginner A1.1.<br>Family and friends. Physical descriptions, moods<br>and feelings | Learning to describe and compare people by their physical attributes, to speak about family and friends, about moods and feelings. Identifying parts of the body                     |
| AVE Global. Topic 3. Beginner A1.1.<br>Food   | Learning to make orders in bars and restaurants, to ask about price, to express opinions about food. Learning to shop in supermarkets and stores.                                    |



#### Level B1



# TitleDescriptionAVE Global. Topic 10. Intermediate B1.4<br/>Social settings and protocolsLearning to participate in social settings; to<br/>give or receive gifts; to make and react to<br/>commitments; to propose a toast, and to<br/>offer to undertake an action.AVE Global. Topic 11. Intermediate B1.4<br/>The environment. City and countrysideLearning to express your opinion; to give<br/>advice and make recommendations; to<br/>express necessity or urgency. Learning<br/>the territorial division of Spain and other<br/>Spanish speaking countries.

AVE Global. Topic 12. Intermediate B1.4 C Learning languages. Intercultural awareness l

Learning to speak about advantages and disadvantages; getting to know the DELE Spanish certificates; Learning the different languages spoken in Spain and Latin America; developing competence

#### Level B2

| Title   | Description   |
|---|---|
| AVE Global. Topic 7. Advanced B2.3<br>What do you recommend? Suggestions, requests<br>and advice. | Learning to speak about the home, making suggestions, making<br>compliments and responding to them; making requests, giving and<br>denying permission and favours, justifying decisions; offering to do<br>someone a favour |
| AVE Global. Topic 8. Advanced B2.3<br>Reported speech   | Learning to communicate information, advice, requests made by others;<br>to communicate the intention of others' utterances; to express ability; to<br>give and receive advice; to reflect on                               |
| AVE Global. Topic 9. Advanced B2.3<br>Art! Art and culture in the Spanish-speaking world          | Learning to identify general features of in literature, poetry and theatre to encourage collective action; to speak of a person's appearance, qual  |

ties and lifestule; to speak...



#### Level C1

| Title   | Description  |
|---|--|
| AVE Global. Topic 5. Proficient C1.2<br>There is work to be done! Communicat-<br>ing effectively in professional settings | Learning to develop communicational strate-<br>gies dueing an interview; Expressing discontent<br>in the workplace; to express regret, despera-<br>tion, resignation; to reproach and respond to<br>reproaches           |
| AVE Global. Topic 6. Proficient C1.2<br><idiom> the evolution of teaching. Per-<br/>sonal changes</idiom>                 | Learning to evaluate and describe the past;<br>to speak of personal changes; to formulate<br>frustrated desires; to influence others through<br>the expression of obligation; permission and<br>prohibition; to react to |
| AVE Global. Topic 7. Proficient C1.2<br>Search, compare, and find something<br>better<br>Consumption and publicity        | Learning to describe and evaluate items of<br>clothing; to identify places and give directions;<br>Making comparisons in family consumption;<br>formulating hypotheses about the past                                    |

AVE Global. Topic 8. Proficient C1.2 Travelling! Historical, cultural, and touristic routes in the Spanish-speaking world Learning to tell anecdotes about a trip; to negotiate conditions in a conversation; to give advice about a cycling trip; to speak about the Camino de Santiago and other destinations....



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