

ELC Prospectus

Food & Hygiene Certificate (Formulación de los Manipuladores de los Alimentos)

- Do you run a bar restaurant, café, school or any other food and drinks establishment?
- Are you looking for work in the catering industry, but need a food& hygiene certificate?
- Did you know it is against the law to work or have staff without a food& hygiene certificate?
- Haven't got a clue how to find a course or register on one?
- Worried about having to do it in Spanish, a foreign language you can't understand?
- Worried about getting lost trying to find a building in a strange place?
- Can't communicate in Spanish?

Don't worry! ELC Mojacar runs Food & Hygiene Course regularly! We take the stress out of your busy working lives by organising it all for you and your staff.

- We make it easy by liaising with Sanidad for YOU.
- We provide a translator so that you can fully understand what is being taught.
- We are local to your business and easy to find.
- You receive your official certificate on the day.
- And best of all – we save YOU money and time trying to search for this certificated course!

All we need is your full name and NIE/DNI number, and payment to book you on the next course.

Art for Pleasure

Jeremy and Evie

English as a Foreign Language

Carla to check translation

- Groups (conversation and grammar)-beginners/pre-intermediate/Intermediate
- 1-1
- Conversation
- Cambridge English First Certificate in English (FCE)

Ready for success in the real World?

World-class recognition

Cambridge English: First, also known as First Certificate in English (FCE), is an upper-intermediate level qualification that is officially recognised by universities, employers and governments globally. It shows that you are ready for success in the real world.

Cambridge English exams are recognised by more than 12,000 organisations around the world.

The following are just a few of the international institutions that recognise Cambridge English: First.

- **Grupos (conversación y gramática) -beginners/pre-intermediate/Intermediate**
- **1-1**
- **Conversación**

- Inglés de Cambridge First Certificate en Inglés (FCE)

Listo para el éxito en el mundo real?

El reconocimiento de clase mundial

Cambridge Inglés: En primer lugar, también conocido como First Certificate en Inglés (FCE), es una cualificación de nivel intermedio-alto de que está oficialmente reconocido por las universidades, los empleadores y los

los gobiernos a nivel mundial. Esto demuestra que usted está listo para el éxito en el mundo real.

Los exámenes de Cambridge en inglés son reconocidos por más de 12.000 organizaciones de todo el mundo.

Los siguientes son sólo algunas de las instituciones internacionales que reconocen Cambridge Inglés: Primero.

University of Bath

Regent's Business School

London

Universidad Central (Chile)

University of Southern

Queensland

Universidad de Salamanca

Los Angeles City College

(LACC)

Universidade de São Paulo

Vietnam National University

Hewlett-Packard (HP)

KPMG

IBM

ACNielsen

Sony

Bosch

DHL

Credit Suisse

Accenture

Motorola

PricewaterhouseCoopers

(PwC)

Siemens AG

Cambridge English: First is accredited by Ofqual, the regulator of qualifications, examinations and assessments in England.

Literacy Hour (4-14 years)

English reading and writing lessons for British children living in Spain. The classes are held after school to help children attending Spanish school to keep up a good standard of English through a wide range of reading writing and listening activities based on the British National Curriculum. Children are taught in groups (max 6 per group) with others of similar ages and abilities. Each child is assessed before being placed in an appropriate class.

At the age of 14 the children may progress to GCSE English Language and literature courses.

International GCSE'S

We offer the GCSE's as a part time or full time program. This allows students to either attend ELC Mojacar for their full education or to study for their GCSEs alongside their Spanish state school education. While the latter can be tiring for students attending a Spanish school, it is advised that your son or daughter obtain International GCSEs, so that should they choose to return to the UK to go to college, they have the necessary qualifications to do so.

Math

English Language

English Literature

Biology

History

ICT

Business Studies

Spanish

German

Mathematics

Our International GCSE in Mathematics aims to give students a foundation in mathematical skills and develop their knowledge and understanding of how to use and apply mathematical techniques and concepts to solve problems. It is a two-tiered qualification, graded A* to G. Assessment is via two examinations.

Key subject aims:

- To develop a knowledge and understanding of mathematical concepts and techniques
- To give students a foundation in mathematical skills for further study in the subject or related areas
- To enable students to enjoy using and applying mathematical techniques and concepts, and become confident in using mathematics to solve problems
- To give students an appreciation of the importance of mathematics in society, employment and study.

Unique features and benefits of the specification

- Tiers of entry that allow students to be entered for the appropriate level
- Standards that are equivalent to UK GCSE in Mathematics

Assessment and progression

- Two tiers. Two papers designed to be accessible to students of all abilities within the appropriate tier
- Grading A* to G
- A solid basis for students wishing to progress to AS and Advanced GCE level, or equivalent qualifications.

English Language

Our International GCSE in English Language is designed for students for whom English is their mother tongue, IGCSE First Language English develops the ability to communicate clearly, accurately and effectively in both speech and writing. Students learn how to employ a wide-ranging vocabulary, use correct grammar, spelling and punctuation, and develop a personal style and an awareness of the audience being addressed. Students are also encouraged to read widely, both for their own enjoyment and to further their awareness of the ways in which English can be used. IGCSE First Language English also develops more general analysis and communication skills such as synthesis, inference, and the ability to order facts and present opinions effectively.

Assessment and progression

- Core and extended tiers available
- 100% examination
- Grading A* to G
- Assessment opportunities in both January and June examination series
- Provides progression to AS and Advanced GCE in English Literature, or equivalent qualifications.

English Literature

Our International GCSE in English Literature aims to provide an enjoyable and stimulating introduction to English Literature. A selection of prose, drama and poetry from around the world allows teachers to select from a wide choice of set texts. Assessment is via examination. The International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE) in English Literature is designed as a two-year course. The examination questions have been designed to allow all students to make a personal, informed response to the texts studied. The specification offers an enjoyable and stimulating introduction to the study of English Literature

Key subject aims:

- To engage with and develop the ability to read, understand and respond to a wide range of literary texts from around the world
- To develop an appreciation of the ways in which authors achieve their effects and develop the skills necessary for literary study
- To explore through literature the cultures of their own and other societies
- To find enjoyment in reading literature and understand its influence on individuals and societies.

Assessment and progression

- Single tier
- 100% examination
- Grading A* to G
- Assessment opportunities in both January and June examination series
- Provides progression to AS and Advanced GCE in English Literature, or equivalent qualifications.

History

The History IGCSE syllabus looks at some of the major international issues of the nineteenth and twentieth centuries, as well as covering the history of particular regions in more depth. The emphasis is on both historical knowledge and on the skills required for historical research. Students learn about the nature of cause and effect, continuity and change, similarity and difference and find out how to use and understand historical evidence as part of their studies. IGCSE History will stimulate any student already interested in the past, providing a basis for further study, and also encouraging a lifelong interest in the subject. Both coursework and non-coursework options are available.

Assessment and progression

- Single tier
- 100% examination
- Grading A* to G
- Assessment opportunities in both January and June examination series
- Provides progression to AS and Advanced GCE in English Literature, or equivalent qualifications.

Spanish

Our International GCSE in Spanish aims to develop understanding and use of the spoken and written forms of Spanish in a range of familiar and practical contexts, and for a variety of purposes. It is assessed via two single-tiered papers which cover written assessment in listening, reading and writing skills. It is suitable for delivery in schools and colleges, and is graded A* to G. A separately endorsed examination of spoken language is available.

Key subject aims:

- To develop understanding and use of the spoken and written forms of Spanish, in a range of familiar and practical contexts, and for a variety of purposes
- To develop the ability to communicate effectively in Spanish through both the spoken and written word, using a range of vocabulary and structures
- To develop a knowledge and understanding of Spanish grammar and its practical application
- To develop a knowledge and understanding of the countries and communities where Spanish is spoken
- To develop positive attitudes towards modern foreign language learning
- To give students a suitable foundation for further study of Spanish, or another language.

Assessment and progression

- Two single-tier papers which cover written assessment in listening, reading and writing skills
- Grading A* to G
- A separately endorsed examination of spoken language with rubrics in English and Spanish, with clearly defined lists of topic areas, is also available

- Progression to GCE AS and Advanced GCE level, and other equivalent qualifications.

ICT

Our International GCSE in ICT aims to encourage the exploration and study of ICT in a variety of contexts: home, community, business, industry, recreation and education. In any given situation, students will be given the opportunity to acquire competence, ability and critical skills through the implementation, use and evaluation of a range of ICT systems.

The International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE) in Information and Communication Technology (ICT) is designed as a two-year course. It aims to encourage the exploration and study of ICT in a variety of contexts: home, community, business, industry, recreation and education. In any given situation, students will be given the opportunity to acquire competence, ability and critical skills through the implementation, use and evaluation of a range of ICT systems. Students can develop their interest in, enjoyment of and critical reflections about ICT as an integral part of modern society.

Key subject aims:

- To acquire and apply ICT skills, knowledge and understanding in a range of contexts
- To develop ICT-based solutions to address challenges and solve problems
- To develop an understanding of ICT systems
- To develop an understanding and awareness of current and emerging technologies
- To develop an awareness of the legal, social, ethical and environmental consequences of the use of ICT systems for individuals, organisations and society
- To recognise potential risks when using ICT and develop safe, secure and responsible practice.

Unique features and benefits of this specification

- A practical examination is included to enable students to demonstrate their ability.

Assessment and progression

- Single tier. Single exam
- Grading A* to G
- Appropriate for students of various ages and from diverse backgrounds in terms of general education and life-long learning.

Business Studies

Our International GCSE in Business Studies is designed to develop a sound understanding of business terminology, concepts and methods as well as the ability to use knowledge, skills and understanding appropriately in the context of international markets and the United Kingdom. It is a single-tier qualification, which is assessed via a single exam graded A* to G.

The International GCSE in Business Studies is designed as a two-year course. As students progress through the course, they are introduced to new ideas and concepts while continuing to use and reinforce previously learned concepts and skills. The course is designed to give students a sound understanding of business and the ability to use knowledge, skills and understanding appropriately in the context of international markets and the United Kingdom (UK).

Key subject aims:

- To enable students to use relevant terminology, concepts and methods effectively and recognise the strengths and limitations of the ideas used
- To develop students' knowledge, understanding and skills and apply them to current issues in a wide range of appropriate international and UK contexts
- To enable students to use an enquiring, critical approach to distinguish between facts and opinion and evaluate qualitative and quantitative data, to help build arguments and make informed judgments
- To further students' appreciation of different stakeholders' perspectives in relation to business activities
- To develop students' understanding of the dynamics of business activity and the related considerations of ethics and sustainability in business.

Unique features and benefits of the specification

This specification is closely based on the content of the equivalent GCSE Business Studies suite of qualifications.

Assessment and progression

- Single tier. Single exam
- Grading A to G*
- Provides a solid basis for AS GCE and Advanced GCE in Business Studies, AS GCE and Advanced GCE in Economics and Business Studies, or equivalent qualifications.

Biology

Our International GCSE in Biology aims to give students a knowledge and understanding of biological facts, concepts and principles, while developing experimental skills. Students will also learn to form hypotheses and design experiments to test them. This is a single-tier qualification, which is assessed via two exams and graded A* to G.

Key subject aims:

- To give students a knowledge and understanding of biological facts, concepts and principles

- To develop an appreciation of the significance of biological facts, concepts and principles and the skills needed for their use in new and changing situations
- To develop an appreciation of the importance of accurate experimental work in scientific method and reporting
- To enable students to form hypotheses and design experiments to test them
- To sustain and develop an enjoyment of, and interest in, the study of living organisms
- To enable students to evaluate, in terms of their biological knowledge and understanding, the benefits and drawbacks of scientific and technological developments, including those related to social, environmental and economic issues.

Assessment and progression

- Single tier. Two exams. No coursework
- Grading A* to G
- Provides a sound foundation for progression to GCE Advanced Subsidiary (AS) and Advanced level, and other comparable post-16 qualifications.

AS and A levels

A levels build on the skills and knowledge gained at GCSE level and are an ideal foundation for university level study or to improve career prospects.

Math

The 18 units have been designed to produce courses which will encourage students to:

- develop their understanding of mathematics and mathematical processes in a way that promotes confidence and fosters enjoyment
- develop abilities to reason logically and recognise incorrect reasoning, to generalise and to construct mathematical proofs
- extend their range of mathematical skills and techniques and use them in more difficult, unstructured problems
- develop an understanding of coherence and progression in mathematics and of how different areas of mathematics can be connected
- recognise how a situation may be represented mathematically and understand the relationship between 'real-world' problems and standard and other mathematical models and how these can be refined and improved
- use mathematics as an effective means of communication
- read and comprehend mathematical arguments and articles concerning applications of mathematics
- acquire the skills needed to use technology such as calculators and computers effectively, recognise when such use may be inappropriate and be aware of limitations

- develop an awareness of the relevance of mathematics to other fields of study, to the world of work and to society in general
- take increasing responsibility for their own learning and the evaluation of their own mathematical development.

English language

Cambridge International AS and A Level English Language gives learners the opportunity to study English language and its use in contemporary communication. It aims to encourage critical response to text in a range of forms, styles and contexts, and to promote skills of communication, reading, research and analysis. Through their study, learners will develop an ability to read and analyse material, gaining further knowledge and understanding of English language features and issues, and writing clearly, accurately, creatively and effectively for different purposes and audiences.

English literature

Students following the A and AS Level English syllabus will study a range of texts in the three main forms: prose, poetry and drama. Set texts are offered from a wide range of different periods and cultures. Students will develop skills of reading and analysis of texts, and are encouraged to undertake wider reading to aid understanding of the texts studied. They will learn skills of effective and appropriate communication including the ability to discuss the critical context of texts.

Business Studies

Our innovative Business Studies GCE specification allows students to follow one of two pathways: either Business Studies or an integrated Economics and Business route. The core units are centred on entrepreneurial skills at Advanced Subsidiary (AS) and on a global perspective at Advanced level (A2).

Key features of our GCE from 2008 in Business Studies:

- The qualification is built around a core unit with an enterprise theme to enable students to think of a new business idea and how they might research and develop it. Students will think about how their learning applies to their own business idea.
- The qualification will introduce students to international business, equipping them either to work in or to manage a business in an international context.
- Students can progress to this GCE from GCSEs in Business Studies, Business and Economics, Applied Business and Business and Communications.
- The A2 unit on International Business gives far more prominence to this aspect of business, making the course feel up to date with the global nature of business today.
- The specification may be co-taught by two or more teachers.

- Guidance will be given within the specification on possible ways of teaching topic areas.
- The course allows students to relate to their experiences with Young Enterprise and other extra-curricular activities.
- A variety of assessment techniques will be used: supported multiple-choice questions, data-response questions, case studies and a decision-making report.

Spanish

The knowledge and understanding requirements of this Advanced Subsidiary and Advanced GCE specification are inextricably linked to the four language skills of speaking, listening, reading and writing in Spanish, in line with the requirements of the subject criteria.

- Spoken Expression and Response in Spanish
- Understanding and Written Response in Spanish
- Understanding and Spoken Response in Spanish
- Research, Understanding and Written Response in Spanish

General Topic Areas

- Youth culture and concerns
- Lifestyle: health and fitness
- The world around us: travel, tourism, environmental issues and the Spanish-speaking world
- Education and employment.

AS/A2 knowledge and understanding

The Advanced Subsidiary specification requires students to:

- listen and respond to a variety of spoken* Spanish-language sources, including authentic sources
- read and respond to a variety of Spanish-language written texts, including authentic sources, covering different contexts, registers, styles and genres
- adapt their spoken and written Spanish language appropriately for different situations and purposes
- use the Spanish language accurately to express facts and ideas, and to present explanations, opinions and information in both speech and writing
- understand and apply the grammatical system and a range of structures of the Spanish language as detailed in the Grammar lists
- transfer meaning from Spanish into English and/or vice versa.

In addition, the Advanced GCE specification requires students to:

- use the Spanish language in speech and in writing to present viewpoints, develop arguments, analyse and evaluate

- understand and apply the grammatical system and a range of structures in Spanish as detailed in Grammar lists
- study aspects of the contemporary society, cultural background and heritage of one or more of the Spanish-language countries or communities
- transfer meaning from English into Spanish and/or vice versa.

German

- Conversation (all levels)
- Grammar (all levels)
- Intensive courses (all levels)
- IGCSE
- A level

Homework Support (all ages)

Take the stress out of after school studies by sending you son/daughter to ELC where our bilingual teacher will assist them with homework and exam preparation.

Recuperation Support (all subjects)

Not got the grades you required to pass you ESO this year, need support to get you through the retakes in September come to ELC Mojacar where our bilingual teacher will give you all the support and guidance you require to pass and not have to repeat the year.

Spanish

- **Beginners Intensive Course**
Are perfect for absolute beginners as learning a new language requires constant revision and attention. The course covers both grammar and conversation.

Course content:

1. Greetings and farewells
2. Adjectives and agreement (gender& plurality)
3. Basic Questioning and answering (small talk)
4. Ser & Estar (the 2 verbs for 'to be' and hay (there is/are)
5. Tener and expressions including tener and que and infinitive (to have)
6. Present tense simple regular and irregular verbs

7. Present tense continuous
8. Reflexive verbs and daily routines
9. Impersonal, se
10. Possession including adjective and pronouns
11. Demonstrative adjectives and pronouns
12. The verb gustar et al
13. How long have you.....?
14. Going to future
15. In addition to the grammar structure you will learn vocabulary, reading and writing, speaking and listening skills.

Students will be able to express themselves in the present and future tenses.

- **Pre Intermediate Intensive Course**

This course will kick start you into being able to use the 3 main past tenses effectively as well as widening your vocabulary and general knowledge of the Spanish language.

Course Content:

1. Revision of beginners grammar
2. Present perfect (have done)
3. Preterite tense (did)
4. Imperfect (used to do etc)
5. Imperfect continuous (was/were doing)
6. The future tense
7. Object pronouns
8. In addition to the grammar structure you will learn vocabulary, reading and writing, speaking and listening skills.

This course can be followed up with weekly workshops to use and build upon what you have learnt on the course.

Beginners Conversation workshops

Suitable for those with little or no prior knowledge of Spanish.

If you are looking to learn Spanish without all the headache of grammar then the conversation classes are for you.

Course Content:

Talking about daily life and the situations you may find yourself in whilst living in Spain. E.G. Going to the bank, Doctors, hospital. You will also work on pronunciation and building vocabulary.

The teacher will endeavour to confine a topic to one lesson, but it is inevitable that vocabulary and phrases will be re-utilised later on in other sessions.

Beginners Grammar workshops

Has been designed to run alongside the conversation workshops for those that wish to understand the basic grammatical structure of the language.

Course content:

1. Adjectives and agreement
2. Ser and estar (to be)
3. Tener (to have)
4. Present tense regular and irregular verbs
5. Present tense continuous
6. Reflexive verbs
7. Pronouns

IGCSE Spanish

This course is suitable for those wishing to obtain a formal qualification or even if you do not wish to take the exam but want to follow a formal study program. A knowledge of basic Spanish in the present tense is recommended before starting this course.

For more detailed information on course content please go to IGCSE page.

Intermediate Classes

Suitable for those who have completed the pre intermediate course and wish to continue their studies.

Course Content:

1. Imperative
2. Subjunctive
3. Conditional
4. Conversation to cover all aspects of the Spanish language.

A Level Spanish

This program builds on the language skills gained in GCSE and is an ideal foundation for university level study or to improve career prospects.

Course Content:

1. Learn to use language in a variety of situations
2. Handle texts and other source materials
3. Extracting information to respond to specific tasks
4. Achieve greater fluency, accuracy and confidence in the language.

For more detailed information on course content please go to A Level page.

Group Classes

If you are new to the area or wish to meet new people then join one of our group classes where you can have fun learning and meeting new people in a..... surroundings

OR

Group classes can be set up for businesses where learning can be more focused on the needs of your staff and business

OR

For groups of friends who wish to learn together

1-1 tuition

For those that feel uncomfortable learning in a group or would like to work at own pace we offer 1-1 tuition on all courses available at ELC Mojacar.

Computers

- Beginners workshops
- IGCSE
- A level
- Others.....

Business Work Shops

Steve

Photography

Steve

Art Shop/Gallery

Jez & Evie

Book Shop and Library

WIFI Café

Translation and Interpreter services

Mini Monets (4-10 years)

Jez & Evie

Teen Art Jez & Evie

NEW – Immersion Courses

Kids Spanish (4-16 years)

- Spanish for children visiting Spain
A fun and relaxed environment for children wishing to communicate in their local community whilst visiting Spain.
- Spanish For children starting school in Spain
A kick start for non Spanish children starting school in Spain, these classes will provide your child with the tools they require to start learning Spanish, providing them with the vocabulary they will need to enable them to communicate with teachers and students when starting their new school. It will also give them the opportunity to build their confidence in a relaxed environment with a bilingual teacher whom is empathetic to their needs, therefore making learning a new language and starting a new school a less daunting experience.
- Spanish for children attending Spanish school
Classes are held after school to help children attending Spanish school to keep up a good standard of Spanish and build their vocabulary through a wide range of reading writing and listening activities.
 - Children are taught in groups (max 6 per group) with others of similar ages and abilities. Each child is assessed before being placed in an appropriate class.
 - At the age of 14 the children may progress to our IGCSE Spanish program.

Language will be taught through a wide range of activities;

- Speaking & listening
- Games
- Reading and writing
- Play
- Music
- Art & Craft activities
- ICT

1-1 tuition and intensive courses are also available on request

Summer School

Details to be posted May 2012