

What does  
MFL mean?

**MFL (Spanish)**

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# What is MFL and why is it important?



MFL is modern foreign languages and means any language that is spoken in the world right now that is separate to your mother tongue. There are ancient languages that we don't speak anymore (apart from some experts) such as Ancient Egyptian.

Practising languages helps you to become more confident in speaking to people and developing your learning.

Learning another language can help you become better at English!

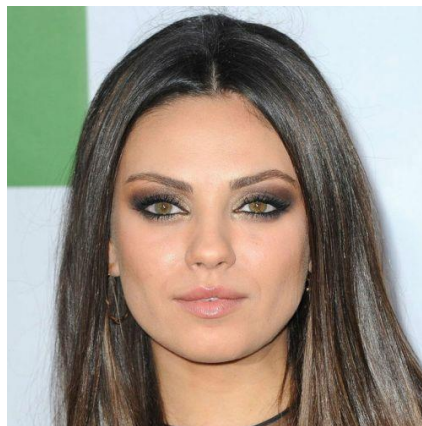
It allows us to learn about many things, such as another country, other people, traditions and celebrations.

It can help you when you go on holidays! How?

It allows us to develop the world we live in and all work together.

It can help you in your career if you can speak more than one language.

# What do these people all have in common?



They can all speak more than one language!



# Video



- [Why these UK school kids love learning languages - YouTube](#)

Can you think of situations where knowing a foreign language is useful?



**On holiday**

**Reading food items  
in a restaurant or  
Supermarket**

**If you want to live abroad**

**Speaking to new friends**

**A future job**

**Travelling around the world**

# Why Spanish?

Spanish is the 4th most spoken language in the world. Do you know which ones are more widely spoken?

Spanish is one of the official languages of 20 countries and spoken in more than 40!

Spanish is spoken on 4 continents

Over 555 million speakers can speak Spanish



Which countries speak Spanish as a national language?









So what jobs could we use  
language skills for?



**Interpreter**

**Working in  
the army**

**Translator**

**Teacher**

**Working  
abroad**

**A spy!**



**Now let's see what  
we can remember...**



**¡Hola!**



¿Qué tal?



¿Como te llamas?



**Which numbers  
can we  
remember?**



**¡Adios!**