

Achieve Proficiency in Functional Spanish - A1- A2 Level

Course goal

This Functional Spanish 2 course aims to equip you with the ability to navigate daily scenarios in Spanish-speaking environments. We will master essential phrases, exchange personal information, and dive into real-life dialogues common in Latin America and Mexico.

Our focus will extend to key grammar areas - present simple, gerund, and present perfect. Our goal is more than just the basics; **let's live the language and converse in Spanish!**

Syllabus

Week 1: Culinary Delights

- ▶ Dive into the delicious world of Mexican cuisine.
- ▶ Learn how to order at a restaurant, discuss food preferences (I like, I don't like)
- ▶ Follow a simple recipe in Spanish.

Week 2: Visit to the Doctor

- ▶ Confidently express pain and discomfort during a doctor's visit.
- ▶ Discover the experience and etiquette of medical appointments in Latin America.

Week 3: Journeys and Dream Residences

- ▶ Explore transportation vocabulary and express your preferences by making comparisons.
- ▶ Discuss your ideal living environment, be it an urban landscape or serene countryside.

Week 4: Negotiating Your Dream Home

- ▶ Describe your place using house vocabulary.
- ▶ Engage in role-play scenarios, negotiating a new place to live in a Spanish-speaking country.

Week 5: Charting Your Future

- ▶ Converse about your future plans, dreams, and aspirations.

Week 6: A Cultural Exchange

- ▶ Discover Mexico through a short story, and practice crafting longer sentences in the present simple tense.
- ▶ Share customs and traditions unique to your own country, fostering cultural exchange.

Week 7: Daily Routines

- ▶ Discuss daily routines to reinforce your understanding of key verbs and time expressions.

Week 8: Festivals and Celebrations

- ▶ Embark on a journey to explore the vibrant festival, 'Day of the Dead' (Día de Muertos).

Week 9: Journey by bus or train

- ▶ Learn how to buy a bus ticket in Mexico and Latin America, using common vocabulary that native Speakers always use.

Week 10: Immersion in Mexican Culture

- ▶ Attend a Mexican party to learn about common customs, manners, and etiquette.
- ▶ Talk about things you're doing at the moment too!

Week 11: A shopping trip

- ▶ Acquaint yourself with clothing vocabulary.
- ▶ Engage in shopping scenarios to practice relevant dialogues and transactions.

Week 12: Travel Stories

- ▶ Share your travel experiences, discussing places you've visited.
- ▶ Reflect on your adventures using past tense verbs.

