

17<sup>th</sup> September 2018

Dear Parents,

**PROPOSED SPANISH GCSE EXAM BOOST IN SPAIN**

We are excited to propose a language trip to Spain in order to boost our students' confidence and prepare them for the speaking exam which they will sit in April 2019. In the speaking exam students must speak for a duration of 12 minutes and the exam has three parts:

- A role play
- A photo description
- A general conversation

The main purpose of the trip is to get students to practise these three tasks with native speakers. There will be workshops in the morning where students will be asked to converse with the receptionists, shop assistants, customers and people, always under supervision of teachers.

During our time in Spain, students and teachers will only communicate with each other in Spanish, it is the intention that little English will be used.

If you are interested in your child attending, please sign below as an expression of interest and we can look at costings and dates. Students will only miss one day of school as the booster trip will be during the weekend.

As with all trips, pupils who have not demonstrated good behaviour or attitude to learning may be prevented from the joining the trip.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely

Miss S Zamorano  
Head of MFL

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I am interested in my son /daughter .....

to take part in the GCSE boost Spanish trip.

Signature..... Date.....

**Please return the reply slip to Miss Zamorano by Friday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2018.**