

## EYFS-4 años

## Types of activities provided for EYFS students

Instituto Español allows children to explore, investigate and play through both activities chosen by the child and also adult-initiated activities. Within each EYFS classroom the children have the ability to move around freely and will come across different areas of play, reading corners, table based activities and many more. We cover a huge range of projects throughout the school year that allow us to learn not only about the Spanish culture but also the British culture.

LCP Phonics and the online-based Teach your Monster to Read are the phonics programmes that we use .

The class libraries are restocked yearly and widely used.

The Phonics sequence we follow is:

	CONCEPTS TAUGHT	RESOURCES
AUTUMN TERM	Rhyme and musicality	A variety of songs , rhymes and
	General phonemic awareness	oral stories
	Storytelling and listening	A variety of quality children's
	Beginning of Phonics Phase 2	books to be read out in class
	sequence	Crafts materials
		Synthetic phonics activities
		(worksheets, games, online
		activities, etc)
WINTER TERM	Completing the Phonics Phase	A variety of songs , rhymes and
	2 sequence	oral stories
	Introduction of Tricky Words	A variety of quality children's
	for Phase 2	books to be read out in class
	Introduction to decoding and	Crafts materials
	blending: CVC words	Synthetic phonics activities
		(worksheets, games, online
		activities, etc)
		Level 1 Oxford Reading Tree
		books and other similar
		phonics-aligned reading
		materials
SPRING TERM	Establishing confident beginner	A variety of songs , rhymes and
	level reading	oral stories

A variety of quality children's
books to be read out in class
Crafts materials
Synthetic phonics activities
(worksheets, games, online
activities, etc)
Level 1 Oxford Reading Tree
books and other similar
phonics-aligned reading
materials
Materials from real life (Menus,
magazines, recipes, etc)

The EYFS team structures learning through child-led projects covering areas of interest to the children. The English Department works closely with the EYFS team and incorporates these themes into the English classroom. All of us expect that the school year will :

- encourage children to make choices and decisions
- encourage them use materials in flexible and imaginative ways
- further their knowledge by working on mini projects
- establish a routine of working well with their peers
- sustain their interests and increase their knowledge

• develop their understanding, of the English language and the basics of its written code in the case of the English classroom

• ensure they are happy and comfortable in the school environment