

National Spanish Examinations

Specifications for Vocabulary

(for exam years 2017 and after)

Level 2	
Everything from Level 1 plus:	
World	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • geographic terms (expanded) • major geographical names (Pacific Ocean, Amazon River) • the seven continents • names of major world countries and cities • nature and the environment (plant and animal kingdoms)
Leisure Time	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • days of the week and months of the year in expressions • weather (expanded) • telling time (expanded) and time divisions (expanded) • pastimes (expanded) and sports (expanded)
Family and Home	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • description (expanded) • temporary states (expanded) • physical characteristics and personality traits (expanded) • description of things (expanded) and describing colors • nationalities of major and Spanish-speaking countries • extended family • parts of a home, basic furniture and household items • simple daily chores
School and Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • educational words (expanded) • items found in the classroom (expanded) • names of basic school subjects • words associated with language (expanded) • basic words associated with mathematics and measurements
Travel and Transportation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • buildings in a city (expanded) and methods of transportation • parts of a city • directions (expanded) • basic travel expressions: subway, train, airplane, car • the hotel
Meeting personal needs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • food groups: bread, vegetables, fruit, dairy, meat, fats • buying food and preparing food • basic restaurant terms • clothing (expanded) • shopping • visible parts of the body and the five senses • items for personal use
World of Work	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • professions (expanded) • telephone expressions • computer hardware and basic computer operating terms