

Spanish KCV – La Fecha – The date

Key facts to learn:

- Months of the year and days of the week do not have a capital letter in Spanish unless they are at the start of sentence.
- When writing a question in Spanish, an upside-down question mark is used at the start of the question.

Words to know and to spell (Tier 2 Vocabulary)

| lunes | enero | agosto |
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| martes | febrero | septiembre |
| miércoles | marzo | octubre |
| jueves | abril | noviembre |
| viernes | mayo | diciembre |
| sábado | junio | |
| domingo | julio | |

Key skills to do:

- Recall the numbers 1 31 in Spanish
- Learn the Spanish vocabulary for the 12 months of the year.
- In Spanish, write the question 'When is your birthday' using correct punctuation.
- How to say when our birthday is using the days of the week months of the year and the numbers 1 -31.
- Embed five of the key sound patterns/phonemes: GA GE GI GO GU to aid pronunciation.

Words to understand and begin to spell (Tier 3 Vocabulary)

| ¿Qué fecha es hoy? | What is the date today? |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| ¿Cuándo es tu cumpleaños? | When is your birthday? |
| Hoy es | Today is |
| La Fecha | The date |
| mi cumpleaños es | My birthday is |

Concept check questions. Test yourself:

How do you ask a friend when their birthday is, in Spanish?

How would you respond if someone asked ¿Cuándo es tu cumpleaños?

Translate this sentence from English to Spanish: I am ten years old. My birthday is in June.