



How to improve your Spanish at CastiLa


From A1 to C1 in 22 weeks. Or placement level


24 weeks* 24 levels

Weeks	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Hours	20	40	60	80	100	120	140	160	180	200	220	240	260	280	300	320	340	360	380	400	420	440	460	480
CastiLa Levels	A1.1	A1.2	A2.1	A2.2	B1.1	B1.2	B1.3	B1.4	B1.5	B1.6	B2.1	B2.2	B2.3	B2.4	B2.5	B2.6	C1.1	C1.2	C1.3	C1.4	C1.5	C1.6	C2.1	C2.2
CEFR Levels	A1 Acceso Breakthrough		A2 Plataforma Waystage		B1 Umbral Threshold						B2 Avanzado Vantage						C1 Dominio operativo Effectiveness				C2 Maestría Mastery			
DELE levels	DELE A1		DELE A2		DELE B1						DELE B2						DELE C1				DELE C2			
CASTILA courses	101,102,103 401 and 500		101,102,103 401 and 500		101,102,103 401 500 and CastiLa8						101,102,103 200 401 and 500						101,103 200 401 and 500				101 200 401 and 500			

* In order to achieve week goals as above mentioned, CastiLa offers other programs for reinforcement, practice and reviewing when the student and the teaching staff considers that it's appropriate according to the student's needs. CastiLa also propose objective test at the end of every level, so that we can evaluate the process and guarantee the perfect timing.

** In order to improve and achieve the C.2 level (mastery) goals, CastiLa proposes courses based on specific topics such as courses applied to professional purposes (medicine, law, diplomacy, commerce, business, teaching...), Spanish and Latin American literature and culture or other courses whose objective is communicating in Spanish like a native or developing a professional career in a Spanish-speaking country.

 CEFR: Common European Framework of Reference, proposed by the Council of Europe that was established as a standard description of language levels.

 DELE: Diplomas of Spanish issued by the Ministry of Education. The Cervantes Institute administers the 6 levels proposed by the CEFR languages.



About levels

During these last few years we have worked to adapt our curriculum to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR). We have distributed the 6 different levels of the CEFR into 24 modular one-week programs, and we program another 6 when necessary. These programs are complemented with a dozen other courses dedicated to specific areas including professional, cultural, social and academic subjects.

We intend these programs to be a response to the specific needs of our students. We also intend to respond the common questions: "How much time do I need to learn Spanish?", "How much will I improve during the weeks I spend in Castila?", "What is my current level of Spanish and how much time will I need to study to be able to take the DELE B1 or C2 exam?", or most importantly, "What should I study to be able to go to a university, live or work in a Spanish-speaking country?".

Thank you for placing your confidence in us.

Antonio Perales Castro,
Founder of Castila