

Spanish Knowledge Organiser

Year 5

Summer 1

Learning Journey: The Olympics

The main language explored in this unit are:

Los Juegos Olímpicos

phonics

sound in:
• **juegos**

accents Accents indicate the vowel is stressed. As seen in the words **olímpicos**, **trampolín** and **natación**.

stress placement Words that end in a vowel, 'n' or 's' are normally stressed on the second to last syllable. Like **es-grí-ma**, **ci-clis-mo** and **a-tle-tis-mo**.

vocabulary

10 Olympic sports and their determiners.

How to write a phrase describing an athlete by their performance sport.

Practica boxeo.
Es boxeador.

He does boxing. He is a boxer.

grammar

To understand adjectival agreement better and why adjectives often change spelling depending on the gender and plurality of what they are describing.

es boxeador **es boxeadora**

He is a boxer *She is a boxer*

Understanding better that the determiner is often dropped when the sport is used with the verb 'practicar' (to practise/do a sport).

practico esgrima *I do/practise fencing.*

The conjugation of the high frequency irregular verbs 'ser' (to be) & regular verb 'practicar' (to do a sport).

es **practica**

He/she is *He/she plays (a sport)*

Links to previous learning

Year 3	The letter sounds (phonics & phonemes) from 'Phonics & Pronunciation' lessons What an adjective is in English
Year 4	Language introduced from Early Language and Intermediate units Understand what a noun, verb and adjective is in English
Year 5	Decoding longer, unknown texts in Spanish. Basic rules of adjectival agreement

What key skills will I have developed by the end of this journey?

- To improve decoding longer unfamiliar texts in Spanish using key language learning strategies
- Understanding that adjectives come in different forms and when you describe a person in terms of a profession (in this case their sporting title) adjectival agreement rules will apply and spelling may change in these words depending if you are talking about a male or female Olympian.

What knowledge will I know by the end of this journey?

- Understand the key facts of the ancient and modern Olympics recounted in Spanish.
- Learn 10 nouns and articles for common Olympic sports.
- Explore the full present tense conjugation of the high frequency verb PRACTICAR.
- Look at the adjectival changes involved when you describe a male Olympian or female Olympian.

Links to Golden	Communication	Reading	Writing
	There will be plenty of opportunities to practice listening and repeating as well as speaking in the target language.	Plenty of reading activities including longer texts being introduced and decoded as well as story ordering.	Plenty of written activities to better understand the rules connected to adjective agreement in Spanish.