



Hapton CE Methodist Primary School — Knowledge Organiser
MFL intermediate language unit – My family



Unit objective-To talk simply about your/a family in Spanish

By the end of this unit we will be able to:

- Remember the nouns for family members in Spanish from memory.
- Describe our own or a fictitious family in Spanish by name, age and relationship.
- Count up to 100 in Spanish.
- Understand possessive adjectives better in Spanish ('my' form only)

It will help if we already know:

- The letter sounds (phonics & phonemes) from phonics and pronunciation lessons 1 and 2.
- Vocabulary from the 'Early Learning' and 'Me Presento' units (how to say your name, age, where you live and nationality and numbers 1-20).
- What a verb is in English and be already familiar with the Spanish high frequency verbs in first person singular form soy (I am), **tengo** (I have), vivo (I live) and me llamo (I am called).

Phonics and Pronunciation we will see :

Recommended phonics focus: CA CE CI CO CU

CA sound in **única**

CI sound in **cien**

CO sound in **único**

CU sound in **cuarenta, cincuenta**

Stress Placement. Words that end in a consonant (apart from 'n' or 's' should be stressed on the last syllable as in the word. For words that end in a vowel or 'n' and 's' it is normally the second to last syllable like her-man-o, her-man-a (remembering silent 'h' in Spanish unless a foreign origin word).

Accents can only be written over vowels in Spanish and indicate the vowel is stressed – regardless of the other rules! As seen in **tí-o** and **ú-ni-ca**.

Grammar we will learn and revisit:

Nouns, articles/determiners & possessive adjectives.

Exploring possessive adjectives in Spanish with a focus only on 'my'.

Understanding that there are two words in Spanish **mi** and **mis** for our one word 'my' in English

Spanish	English
La familia	The family
La mamá	The mother
La abuela	The grand-mother
La tía	The aunty
La hija	The daughter
Una hermana / La hermana	A sister / The sister
El hijo	The son
Un hermano / El hermano	A brother / The brother
El tío	The uncle
El papá	The father
El abuelo	The grand-father
Los padres	The parents
Los abuelos	The grand-parents
¿Cómo se llama?	What it he/she called?
Él se llama	He is called
Ella se llama	She is called
Mi	My (masculine and feminine singular)
Mis	My (masculine and feminine plural)
¿Tienes un hermano?	Do you have a brother?
¿Tienes una hermana?	Do you have a sister?
Sí, tengo un hermano	Yes, I have a brother
Sí, tengo una hermana	Yes, I have a sister
Sí, tengo dos hermanos	Yes, I have two brothers
Sí, tengo dos hermanas	Yes, I have two sisters
No, soy hijo único	No, I am an only son
No, soy hija única	No, I am an only daughter

Programmes of study included:

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
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