

Spain

WORKSHEET A

1. Fill the gaps by choosing the correct words from the list below.

1. Spain shares a _____ with Portugal and France.
2. The _____ of most people in Spain is Catholic.
3. The capital of Spain, _____, is in the _____ of the country.
4. The _____ of Spain is about forty million.
5. There was a _____ war in Spain from 1936 to 1939.
6. Barcelona and Seville are _____ in Spain.
7. The _____ of Mallorca, Tenerife and Ibiza are part of Spain.
8. Some people in the Basque region do not want to be part of Spain: they would like to be an _____ country.
9. _____ is important for the Spanish economy.

islands
border
independent
religion
Madrid
Tourism
middle
population
civil
cities

2. Prepare a multiple-choice quiz for Team B. Create questions and answers by using the sentences in 1.

Example: Which two countries does Spain share a border with?

- a. Portugal and Italy
- b. France and Morocco
- c. Portugal and France

Try to be as creative as possible!

3. Take it in turns to read your questions to Team B or exchange tests with Team B and work together to complete Team B's quiz.

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WORKSHEET B

1. Fill the gaps by choosing the correct words from the list below.

1. Spain's national _____ is *paella*, a mixture of rice and vegetables with seafood or meat.
2. *Flamenco* is a _____ dance in Spain.
3. Between 20 and 25 percent of Europe's _____ are in Spain.
4. Andalusia is a _____ in the south of Spain.
5. Pedro Almodovar is a very popular Spanish film _____.
6. The area around Jerez in the south of Spain _____ sherry, a well-known _____ drink.
7. Spain is _____ of the European Union.
8. Millions of British people go on holiday to Spain _____ year.
9. One cultural difference between Spain and Britain is that Spanish people often like to have dinner late at night, _____ if they are eating out at a restaurant.

region
every
alcoholic
part
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traditional
produces
vineyards

2. Prepare a multiple-choice quiz for Team A. Create questions and answers by using the sentences in 1.

Example: What is *paella*?

- a. A Spanish dance
- b. A kind of Spanish food
- c. A Spanish wine

Try to be as creative as possible!

3. Take it in turns to read your questions to Team A or exchange tests with Team A and work together to complete Team A's quiz.

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WORKSHEET C

'My wife and I have been in love with Spain ever **(1) least** we had our honeymoon in Barcelona 25 years ago. We **(2) try** to have a holiday in Spain at **(3) since** once a year, and I think we've been three **(4) trip** in the last two years. Flights from London are often very cheap, of course, and hotels aren't **(5) too** expensive either, especially if you don't go in the **(6) fan** of summer.

We love the culture, and the food. In my opinion there's nothing better than a good **(7) times**. And then there's the wine as well...

Our last **(8) paella** was to a little place in the Pyrenees, not far from the **(9) sun** with France. We had a week there in early May, and did a lot of walking in the mountains. It's a **(10) lovely** time of year to be in the Pyrenees – great weather, not too hot, and there are very few other **(11) tourists**, so you **(12) left** you've got the place to yourself.

We have a 22-year-old daughter who also seems to be a big **(13) border** of Spain. She went to Madrid and Seville when she was travelling with her friends last year, and this summer she went to Ibiza with her boyfriend. From what I could understand, they **(14) relaxing** most of their nights in discos and **(15) most** of their days **(16) asleep** on the beach. Well, you can do that when you're young, can't you? My wife and I would also like to go to Ibiza – not to go to discos, of course, but **(17) maybe** just to have a **(18) spent** time sitting in the **(19) middle** in late September, when most of the other tourists have **(20) feel**.'