

In conversation with a Spanish speaker

I am now in Year 10. This is my third entry in this school diary.

Last year was very interesting because I started to achieve many of the goals I had set myself but faster than before as I became more confident with my English. Being awarded a golden tie was one of the proudest moments of my life so far at Carshalton Boys.

I was also invited to join the Aim Higher program that shows us how universities look like and how to become one of their students. It was an opportunity to learn and enjoy with my friends what I can expect when I attend higher education in this country as it is very unlikely that I will return to Spain in the near future.

There weren't too many trips on offer but the ones I went on, were fantastic! My favourite must be seeing a show called School of Rock. You will see me in our gallery on the EAL school website.

Geography was one of my favourite subjects because the teacher was inspiring and I love everything to do with discovering human and physical facts about nature and our world.

When choosing my options, I had to make choices on deciding what I wanted to do. Becoming a lawyer will require a lot of work but I am ready for the challenge and my Drama and Citizenship classes are already helping me gain confidence in speaking in front of the class and making sense of all aspects of British life.

This year is going to be difficult but I am excited and ready for the challenge!

I plan to apply the same strategies I have used last year in Science so I can be more efficient and focus on what I do not already know.

I also know Year 11 will go fast with little time to revise the topics I have not mastered this year.

I really want to prepare this year to get top results for my GCSE exams at the end of next year.