Unit 3

La semana

Learning objectives

Pupils will be able to:

 Recognize and use days of the week

Resources needed

- Sheets 3a, 3b
- Calendar; card; A4 transparent file pockets; sticky notelets or paper and Blu-Tack; cork tiles; drawing pins.

Activities

 Introduce the days of the week (pointing at days on a calendar as pupils hear them in Spanish). In Spanish it is customary to list the days of the week starting with 'lunes' (Monday).

Vocabulario – Key words		
lunes	Monday	
martes	Tuesday	
miércoles	Wednesday	
jueves	Thursday	
viernes	Friday	
sábado	Saturday	
domingo	Sunday	
los días (de)	the days (of)	
la semana	the week	
hoy	today	

- Pupils say what day it is 'today' ('hoy'). Continue with suggested activities for particular days to elicit Spanish name: eg perhaps pupils have music on Tuesday or swimming on Friday. You could mime the activities: there may be several correct answers!
- * Pupils fill in sheet 3a with a typical activity for each day.

Further activities

- * Pupils mime activities to partner to guess day.
- Pupils could make a weekly reminder board to take home (photocopy sheet 3b onto A4 sized paper or card). The day boxes could be illustrated/ decorated. Put the A4 paper/card into a transparent pocket. Sticky notelets or paper with Blu-Tack can be used to put messages/reminders onto relevant days. At the end of the week the plan is reusable! An alternative design would be to use a cork tile. Stick or write the days of the week on the tile and pin messages as required.



3b			
	Los días de la semana		
The days of the week			
	lunes	martes	
		manes	
	miércoles	jueves	
		Jucives	
	viernes	sábado	
	domingo	lunes	
		martes	
		miércoles jueves	
		viernes	
		sábado	
		domingo	

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