

Useful vocabulary – Talking about music and music making

Musical instruments and types of music

Spanish	English
el aficionado, la aficionada	fan
la aplicación	application, app
el/la artista	artist
la banda	band
la canción	song
el/la cantante	singer
la guitarra	guitar
el grupo	group, band
la letra	lyrics, letter
la música	music
la música pop	pop music
la música clásica	classical music
el ritmo	rhythm
el rock	rock music
la voz	voice
el instrumento	instrument

Verbs

Spanish	English
cantar	to sing
escuchar	to listen
practicar	to practice
tocar	to play (an instrument)
bailar	to dance
disfrutar	to enjoy
divertirse	to enjoy oneself
pagar	to pay
vender	to sell

Adverbs

Spanish	English
absolutamente	to sing
desafortunadamente	to listen
especialmente	to practice
finalmente	to play (an instrument)
rápidamente	quickly
recientemente	recently
totalmente	totally, completely
completamente	completely
directamente	directly
exactamente	exactly
perfectamente	perfectly
realmente	really
seguramente	surely, certainly
verdaderamente	truly

Adverbs of frequency

Spanish	English
a menudo	often
a veces	sometimes
diariamente	daily
nunca	never
siempre	always
regularmente	regularly
de vez en cuando	from time to time / once in a while
todos los días/cada día	every day
raramente	rarely
dos veces a la semana	twice a week
cada semana	every week

Music concerts, shows and festivals

Spanish	English
el concierto	concert
la entrada	entrance, admission ticket
el espectáculo	show
el evento	event
la fiesta	party, bank holiday, festival
el flamenco	flamenco (dance/music)
el musical	musical

Useful adjectives

Spanish	English
aburrido/a	boring
alto/a	loud, high
barato/a	cheap
caro/a	expensive
divertido/a	fun
emocionante	exciting, touching, moving
entretenido/a	entertaining
famoso/a	famous
favorito/a	favourite
increíble	incredible, unbelievable
internacional	international
maravilloso/a	marvellous, wonderful