

Spanish courses

Experience
the mediterranean
lifestyle

Spanish courses in Valencia





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Welcome

Welcome to Españolé International House Valencia and to the Mediterranean lifestyle.

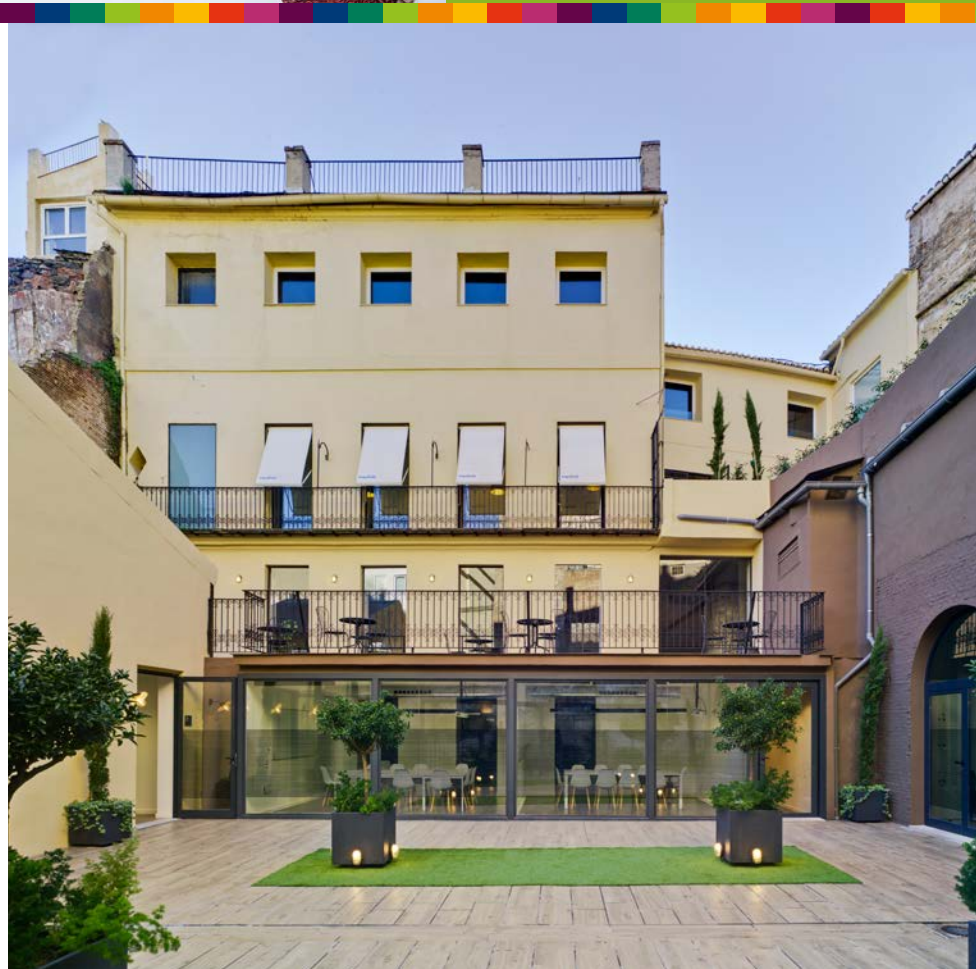
Come and experience the real Valencia and learn Spanish in the heart of the city. Discover our culture and enjoy the sunshine, our endless beaches and some of the most diverse cuisine Spain has to offer.

At our school you'll find a complete programme designed to help you achieve your goal: to communicate effectively in Spanish.

We are keen to assist you with all aspects of your stay. The school has modern facilities that are perfectly located in the city centre and offers a wide range of courses given by exceptionally dedicated and experienced teachers. We take care of all accommodation arrangements and encourage our students to participate in the cultural activities we organise every week to give them the full immersive experience.

From the moment you arrive, to the day you return home, we will do our best to ensure you make the most of your stay.

Come and experience [#lavidaespanole](#) with us!





Central location



Historical building



2100 square metres



28 Well-equipped classrooms



Student Area



Patio



Terraces



Cafeteria



Sun loungers



BBQ



Kitchen



Wifi

The School

A modern school steeped in rich history

Our beautiful school is located in a historical palace with over 2,000m² of space deep in the heart of Valencia's Old Town, in "El Carmen" the most famous and fascinating neighbourhood of the city.

We have carefully renovated the stunning 153-year-old property to our own vision of a 21st century language school that compliments history with modernism. The school has 28 classrooms with interactive whiteboards, a student café with reading area, two patios with fruit trees and a roof garden to enjoy the beautiful Valencian weather all year round.

The school is placed just where the 11th century Arab walls were standing and still a big part of them have remained inside the building penetrating through the school and getting inside the classrooms, creating an atmosphere of history and mystery.

Quality assurance

We are proud to be part of International House World Organization (IHWO) which has over 60 years' experience in improving quality in language teaching. We are also accredited by the Instituto Cervantes, who ensures only the highest quality of organisations represent them in the teaching of Spanish, and IALC - International Association of Language Centres.





Academic excellence

The objective of our courses is to help you express yourself more fluently in Spanish

Expert language tuition

All our teachers are highly qualified and experienced in teaching Spanish to speakers of other languages.

Inspirational lessons

Communicative, motivational, interactive and enjoyable classes that will teach you how to use Spanish in real life situations.

Practical language learning

Our method combines a traditional grammar approach with a more modern communicative focus. Great importance is placed on practising grammar in communicative contexts that reproduce situations you might come across everyday.

Years of experience

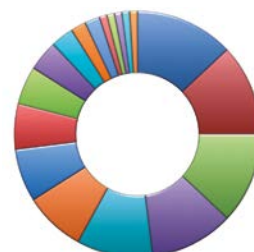
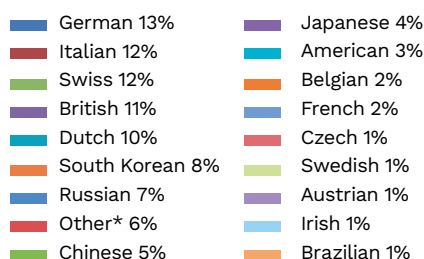
We have built an extensive knowledge base from years of teaching Spanish as a foreign language to know how to break through learning barriers and help our students surpass their goals.

Our students

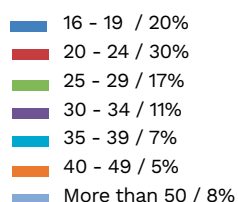
Our students come from an ever-expanding number of countries all with the aim of learning or improving their understanding of Spanish and our way of life. Some of them are university students, others are professionals who need Spanish for work. Some learn just for fun, while others come to prepare for the official DELE exam.

In general our students fall between the ages of 18 and 60, but we also cater for students of other ages. In the school you'll find an international and friendly atmosphere perfect to use your new language skills to make new friends.

Student's nationality



Student's ages





A Spanish course for every need

Wide range of courses

- General Spanish + Spanish plus electives + Spanish leisure electives
- Summer Camp
- University pathway
- DELE and SIELE exam preparation
- Work and study
- Group programmes
- Family programmes
- Private tuition
- Teacher training

All classes are given in Spanish. In general the number of students per class is between 6 and 10 and each lesson lasts for 50 minutes. Since the groups are small in number, the teacher is able to deal with the specific needs of each student on a more personal basis.

The classes are based on tasks and planned depending on the students' needs and styles of learning. You will use a textbook in class, together with supplemental material such as newspaper/press articles, adverts, audio-visual materials, etc. The textbooks we use have been developed by the International House academic team and cover all areas of the language.

Design your own course



General Spanish
20 lessons



Spanish plus electives



Spanish life and culture
5 lessons/week



Grammar skills
5 lessons/week



Pronunciation and speaking
5 lessons/week



Spanish for business
5 lessons/week



Spanish leisure electives



Sailing
6 lessons/week



Spanish cooking
6 lessons/week





Accommodation

In order to feel comfortable and relaxed during your stay it is essential that you are satisfied with your accommodation arrangements.

For this reason we attach significant importance to ensuring that the quality of our accommodation is of a good standard. We select our host families with the utmost care, ensure that our shared apartments, studios and residences are maintained in a good condition and provide general support for students with matters regarding their accommodation.

Host family

Ideal for students who wish to immerse themselves as much as possible in the Spanish culture and enjoy a family atmosphere with only Spanish spoken. They are normally accommodated in single or double rooms with breakfast and dinner or full board.

Shared apartments

This type of accommodation gives you the chance to live with students from other countries. Each apartment has three or four bedrooms and one or two shared bathrooms. All apartments have a fully-equipped kitchen, a lounge with TV, a washing machine and an iron. There are single and double rooms available with private or shared bathroom.

Halls of residence

We also offer accommodation in student halls of residence. We have our own residences in the city centre, they are located within walking distance to the school. There are single and double rooms, either with private or shared bathroom.

The university residence is located in the university campus and it's available during the summer.

Studios

Our studios are located in the city centre within a walking distance to the school. They have a lounge with a sofá bed or separate bed, a kitchenette and a bathroom. All of them have air-conditioning hot and cold. They are either for single or double use.

School location

Españolé is situated on one of the main streets of Valencia Old Town, in the district of El Carmen. A tangled web of narrow streets, alleys and plazas packed with terraces, El Carmen has become Valencia's most famous and fascinating neighborhood. The school is surrounded by history, culture, shops, cafes, historical sites and the energetic Spanish city life.



Social programme

The programme also aims to integrate students into local culture. Visits to cultural centres, museums, other towns, etc are arranged to ensure that all students are fully immersed into Spanish life.

The weekly plan of activities and excursions will help you to discover Spanish culture, the friendly attitude of the locals and the festive atmosphere of our city.

We organise many activities every week and most of them are free.

Afternoon and evening activities

City tour
Tapas making classes
Visit to the City of Arts & Sciences
Language exchange nights with locals
Visit museums
City bike tour
Sports
Shopping trips
Bowling
BBQ in the school terrace
Cinema night
Beach games
Cooking workshops
Wine and cheese tasting
Oceanographic Aquarium
Flamenco show
and many more...

Excursions

Altea and Calpe
Snorkelling
Aquapark
Albufera lake
Benicassim
Sagunto
Játiva
Peñíscola
Javea
Altea
Alicante
Madrid
Barcelona
and many more...



Why Valencia

Valencia is a medium size city located on the Mediterranean Coast of Spain. It has something to suit all tastes. You'll discover a modern city brimming with culture and history, fabulous beaches and a relaxed and friendly atmosphere.

- > Valencia is a very Spanish city which enjoys more than 300 days of sunshine per year.
- > Historic city centre with remains of many old civilizations.
- > Traditions and modern cosmopolitan life stand side-by-side.
- > Modern architecture in the City of Arts and Sciences.

- > Long sandy beaches.
- > Green city with many parks to enjoy.
- > Perfect place to enjoy the Mediterranean gastronomy.
- > Friendly people.
- > Safe environment.
- > Easy for young students to get around.





Michal Grzemeski

Españolé IH Valencia gives many great opportunities. The school provides lots of activities after classes, it helps to meet people, but most importantly to improve Spanish communication. Teachers are super nice, open-minded and really willing to help with any problems. They are very patient in explaining all grammar rules etc. All classes are in Spanish, which may be hard at the beginning, but with time it's easier and helps to study.

I feel like I made a big progress with my Spanish, but the most important thing, I feel more comfortable in speaking Spanish, which was the main reason to study Spanish. I met a lot of great people. I will miss the school!

Greetings from Poland



Nadine Beloch

International House Valencia is the place where people from all over the world meet and pursue a goal: to learn Spanish. I spent eight weeks in this school and it was probably the best schooltime of my life.

Almost every week there comes somebody new into your class and you get in contact with sooo many different people!

Also the teachers aren't typical teachers, they are a bit like us, they like making jokes and having fun.

And if you haven't got a plan after class, the school helps you! Just look at the activity schedule of the week and experience a lot of cool stuff.

Greetings from Switzerland



Ben Wagon

I found my time with Españolé to be rewarding both in terms of learning Spanish at the school and also the many cultural trips that took place with activities. The weekend excursions really opened my eyes to how many wonderful places Spain has to offer and has given me a new thirst for travelling to the furthest corners of Spain to see what's on offer. I've taken Spanish courses in a few locations home and abroad, and I must say the teachers here are the best I have found. They know exactly how to overcome our hurdles and really set us onto a path for fluency.

Greetings from Canada

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