

teenagers in Valencia

Spanish courses



## Spanish Summer Camp 2021

Learn Spanish and discover the Mediterranean lifestyle



#miexperienciaEspanole

Why Valencia

Valencia is a medium size city located

on the Mediterranean Coast of Spain and has something to suit all tastes.

You'll discover a modern city brimming

students, easy to move around and safe.

with culture and history, fabulous

beaches and a relaxed, friendly

It's the perfect city for teenage

atmosphere.

> Historic city centre with sights of many old civilisations.

what they can achieve.

- > Perfect place to enjoy the Mediterranean gastronomy.
- > It enjoys more than 300 days of sunshine per year.
- > Traditions and modern cosmopolitan life stand side by side.
- > Modern architecture in the City of Arts and Sciences.

- > Home of paella and endless orange groves.
- > Easy for young students to move around.

We put a big effort into opening the minds of our teenagers through total cultural immersion. Students walk away with new skills, new appreciation

for world cultures, new friends from across the world and new insights into

Our students will practice their Spanish, experience an exciting new culture, make international friends and have an unforgettable time with us.

- > Valencia is a very Spanish city.
- > A green city with many parks.
- > Lively city with many events.
- > Long sandy beaches.
- > Safe environment.
- > Friendly people.





## The School



Our beautiful school is located in the historical Palacio de los Fernández de Córdova building deep in the heart of Valencia's old town surrounded by history and culture.

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 is placed just where the 11th century Arab city 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.

Our 2100-square-metre building 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 Españolé Summer Camp takes place in a separate wing of our school to ensure all camp students are together and interacting during breaks from class in the main patio.

We are located in the heart of the old town with easy access to accommodation and all activities.

### 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.







2100 square metres



Studentea





Cafeteria



Sun loungers







### Spanish lessons

During the course students become immersed in Spanish language and culture, learn how people use the language in real life, how they speak to each other in the street, how they socialise. Students develop skills that they can immediately practise outside the classroom.

There are four Spanish classes every day, lessons can be in the morning of following a zig-zag schedule (some days in the morning with activities taking place in the afternoon and some days activities take place in the morning and lessons in the afternoon). Our Spanish lessons focus on communication skills although grammar and vocabulary are also important. We offer 6 different levels according to the Instituto Cervantes curriculum which is based in the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).

### Students are immersed in Spanish life, culture and language



Our students come from a growing number of countries all with the aim of learning or improving their understanding way of life. In the school friendly atmosphere perfect to use your new language skills to make new friends.

#### Student's nationality



#### Student's ages







### Activities and Excursions

Our programme of activities and excursions will help our students discover Spanish culture, the friendly attitude of the locals and the festive atmosphere of our city.

Every day there will be activities which include cultural visits, sports competitions, barbecues, dancing lessons, beach afternoons or shopping.

On Saturdays we run full-day excursions, while on Sundays, the teenagers are free to spend the day with their hosts, or they can meet friends.

Experienced teachers and co-ordinators take care of our students and accompany them during all the cultural activities, visits and excursions included in the programme.



### A weekly plan



This is an example of a regular schedule of classes and activities

#### Sunday

Arrival to Valencia and transfer to host family or residence



International and friendly atmosphere

#### Monday

08:00 Breakfast 08:30-13:20 Level test and Spanish classes 14:00 Lunch 16:30 We go to the beach! 17:30 Afternoon snack at the beach 21:00 Dinner



#### Tuesday

08:30 Breakfast 09:30-13:20 Spanish classes 14:00 Lunch 16:30 Cooking workshop 18:30 Visit to the football stadium 21:00 Dinner



#### 👽 Wednesday

08:30 Breakfast 09:30-13:20 Spanish classes 14:00 Lunch 16:30 City tour 18:30 Paella party 21:00 Dinner

#### 🕑 Thursday

08:30 Breakfast 09:30-13:20 Spanish classes 14:00 Lunch 16:30 Sports in the beach: Volleyball 21:00 Dinner

## Afternoon and evening activities

Walk in the old town
Visit to Museums
Visit to the City of Arts & Sciences
Bike tour
Sports
Shopping trips
Bowling
BBQ in the school terrace
Outing to the cinema
Beach games
Cooking workshops
Disco party
Quiz night
Talent show
and many more

#### Excursions

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

#### **Friday**

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08:30 Breakfast	
<b>09:30-13:20</b> Spanish classes	
14:00 Lunch	
<b>16:30</b> Boat trip	
21:00 Dinner	



#### Saturday

09:30 Breakfast 11:00-19:00 Excursion to the Albufera lake & Bike tour or

Transfer to Valencia Airport Departure (only for students leaving)



We offer our summer campers the choice to be totally integrated into Valencian life by staying with a host family or give them more of a university feel in student residence.

### **Host family**

Our host families are carefully chosen to provide the utmost comfort and care for our teenagers and many of our host families have been with us for years taking in our students all year round. Students normally have double rooms including full board. Lunch can be packed or hot depending on requirements. Weekly laundry and cleaning is included.

The average journey to school for our students is 25 minutes and many families live close than that in surrounding neighbourhoods.

#### **Resiolé residence**

Those who choose the residence option can stay in our Resiolé residence, located in the old town just 6 minutes walking to school. Students stay in double, triple or quadruple rooms with shared bathrooms. Meals are taken in the residence canteen. There is 24-hour staffing, weekly cleaning and free self-service laundry machines and driers.

### **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.



### Supervision and security

Every outing is supervised by our school staff who watch out for the wellbeing and safety of our students. Specialist activities such as sailing, paragliding, etc, are always supervised by professional instructors.

Students are expected to attend lessons and activities as scheduled, and have to respect the programme curfew that is established depending on age.



## The programme includes

Special programme for students between 14 and 17 y.o

20 Spanish lessons per week (50 minutes each) Maximum 10 students per class Entrance level test Host family or residence full-board accommodation 1 full-day excursion and 5 half-day activities per week **Class materials** Insurance 24 hour emergency assistance Certificate and report at end of course **Return transfers** Supervision by our experienced team of teachers and coordinators

### **Prices**

Enrolment fee: 50,00 €

In host family: 615,00 € / 1 week 530,00 € / extra week 45,00€ / extra night

**In residence:** 675,00 € / 1 week 595,00 € / extra week 50,00€ / extra night

Day programme: Spanish course + activities 295,00 €

Extra supervision (the host families accompany and pick up the children from school): 60,00 €

UM (unaccompanied minor) school service: 50,00€

#### Dates

Students of all levels can start every Monday from 21st June to 9th August 2021. Accommodation in residence is available for the 4th July. Accommodation in host family is available from the 20th June.

The programme finishes on the 14th August.

Length of the programme

From 1 to 8 weeks

### Your arrival

Arrivals are normally on Sundays and departures on Saturdays (extra nights might be possible at extra cost). We pick up the students at the airport and take them to the host family or residence

On departure students are picked up at their accommodation and driven to the departure terminal of the airport. They will be helped to do the check-in and will be guided up to the passport control before the departure gates.

Students who have booked the UM service with the airline (unaccompanied minor service) will also have to book the service with the school (extra cost) as the airline requires the person in charge to escort the student until boarding the plane.

### The first day

On Monday morning host families accompany the teens to school and show them the way back home, either walking or by public transport. \*

Students living in residence will be accompanied on Monday morning by our school staff.

Students will then take a level test so that they can be placed in the class of the corresponding level.

After the test, they will attend a Welcome meeting where they will receive useful information and get to know other new students and the staff of the school.

Once the tests have been marked, every student is placed in a group and the classes can begin.

Complete beginners of Spanish don't have to take the level test but will participate in the Welcome meeting.

\* It's possible to book the "extra supervision service" if parents want the host family to accompany the children everyday to school and pick them up in the evening after the activities.



# Information & enrolments

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