

SPAIN



Spanish Language Immersion

For Adults 17 years +



◆ Alcalá de Henares ◆ Málaga ◆ Salamanca ◆

Host families welcome you into their homes, sharing their culture and learning about yours. Join with other international 'students' and learn the language of España through conversation, enjoying cultural activities and taking in the surrounding areas on guided excursions. Home to Roman, Arabic, and Christian cultures since the Middle Ages, there will be plenty of time to enjoy Spain.

In addition to vocabulary, reading, writing and conversation, the course includes the study of Spain's art, history, literature, and music. You will discover cultural elements such as customs, behaviors, typical dress, foods, and leisure time activities. Classes are practical, based on real-life situations, giving you the confidence to speak & write in this new language. 3 lessons per week day, each 50 minutes with breaks between; class size no more than 10 students.

This program also includes cultural opportunities and weekend excursions to nearby cities. Visit historical monuments and museums, get together with others for sports or see videos in Spanish.

Start Dates: If you have some knowledge of the Spanish language you can start on any Monday (Tuesday, if Monday is a holiday), year-round. Recommended start dates for beginners are: January 7, February 4, March 3, April 7, May 5, June 2, July 7, August 4, September 1, October 6, November 3, December 1.

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*Malaga Summer: 5/25/2008 – 9/28/2008

Course	Lessons/week	Season	2 weeks	3 weeks	4 weeks
Intensive Spanish Language Course	20 language lessons + 2 culture lessons	Alcalá de Henares	\$1991	\$2467	\$2928
		Malaga	\$2087	\$2612	\$3121
		Malaga (Summer)*	\$2160	\$2721	\$3267
		Salamanca	\$1962	\$2423	\$2870
Super-Intensive Spanish Language Course	20 language lessons + 10 culture lessons	Alcalá de Henares	\$2125	\$2690	\$3255
		Malaga	\$2222	\$2835	\$3448
		Malaga (Summer)*	\$2295	\$2944	\$3594
		Salamanca	\$2096	\$2690	\$3197

Transfer svc Madrid airport: to/from Alcalá usd to \$115, fm \$70; by bus to/from Salamanca usd to \$144, fm \$144

Transfer svc Malaga airport: to/from Malaga usd to \$69, fm \$54

Notes:

- Price includes: Language & Culture classes, some excursions, selection and placement in host families, double occupancy, 2 meals; textbooks, emergency medical insurance, pre-trip interview and orientation, homestay handbook, local support while in Spain.
- Price does not include: Airfare, local transportation, transfer service, other meals or spending money.
- **Transfer service option is available, please request on application**
- Homestay includes: double room, meals and family atmosphere; and, of course, laundry service, bed linens, water and electricity.
- Prices subject to change due to change of exchange rate.
- Other duration available. Please inquire.

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Language Immersion in Spain – Choose Your Location!

Alcala de Henares



Plaza de Cervantes

Alcala de Henares is a suburb located about 35 minutes by train from the center of Madrid. With a population of 170,000, Alcala is a comfortable and safe city for walking. The friendly atmosphere of the city, its beautiful Spanish Renaissance architecture, and the warmth of the local people are a perfect environment for your immersion in the Spanish language and culture.

Activities are planned so you can explore. You may visit the Palacio Arzobispal (Archbishop's palace with its Gothic and Baroque styles) and the Plaza de Cervantes (old town square and marketplace since Medieval times). You might also travel to sites outside the city such as El Escorial, (a monastery built by Felipe II in 16th century), and La Mancha, (where Don Quixote *fought* with windmills).

Malaga



Beach nearby school

For those who like the sun, the sea and the beach, the program in *Malaga*, a city on the shores of the Mediterranean Sea, is perfect. Capital of the Costa del Sol, this city hosts tourists from all over the world. You will be in a relaxing environment where you can learn to speak Spanish. With a warm climate year round, you can sunbathe on the beach, take a swim in the Mediterranean Sea, stroll along the seafont, enjoy water sports throughout the year, in addition to studying.

There will be tours to local historical and cultural sights of Malaga such as La Catedral de Malaga and Plaza de Toros de la Malagueta, (one of the largest bullfighting rings in Spain.) Excursions may also include visits to nearby Andalusian cities such as Cordoba, a World Heritage city, and Granada, re-conquered in the 15th century.

Salamanca



Plaza Mayor

Salamanca is a city famous for its university and cultural traditions. It has a population of 180,000 inhabitants of which 40,000 are students. The University of Salamanca is considered to be one of the most prominent in Europe, and many important historical figures have been associated with the university. Those with a love for history and art will treasure this cultural city which dates from pre-Roman periods. The warmth of its people and the open festive atmosphere of this cosmopolitan university city will make it easy to meet people of all ages and nationalities.

Excursions may include visits to local historical and cultural sights such as their Plaza Mayor, (one of the most beautiful and largest square in Spain), and Casa de las Conchas, (House of Shells in Gothic style), and Universidad de Salamanca, founded in the 13th century. They may also take you to cities along the "Camino de Santiago," a channel for transmitting culture and art between the center of Europe and northern Spain for almost ten centuries.



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