



Spanish Course Programme

Our school offers a variety of courses which can last from one week to several months. Classes take place throughout the year at 6 different levels (A1/A2/B1/B2/C1/C2) which correspond to those set out in the «**European Framework for Language Learning, Teaching and Evaluation**». They are limited to a maximum of 8 students and are held from Monday to Friday between 09.00 h and 18.00 h. There are 4, 5 or 6 language lessons per day, each lasting 45 minutes.

All the classes are conducted entirely in Spanish. The ultimate objective is to develop and facilitate expression, comprehension and interaction among the students. Classes are divided into two distinct parts. **The first one deals** with the language itself, its grammar structures and communicative functions, while **the second part** is centred on discussing specific cultural matters in order to integrate all abilities and skills. This means that **beginners** will learn Spanish for everyday situations, whereas, in the more **advanced courses**, students become involved in selecting topics of discussion according to their individual needs and interests. The reality of Spain in transition, the contradictions in the socio-political and cultural developments of modern Spain, the situation of ethnic minorities, the Spanish Civil War and Franco's dictatorship, Federico García Lorca or the ancient Moorish history are just a few examples of possible subjects which can be covered in class. We always pay particular attention to aspects related to Andalusia.

The school library with approximately 500 novels, grammar books, course books and journals, and the video library with more than 400 recent Spanish films are available to our students free of charge.

A certificate of attendance will be handed out at the end of each course. If they so wish, students are also able to participate in a final examination in order to obtain the official **SIELE certificate** (Servicio Internacional de Evaluación de la Lengua Española).

Spanish courses throughout the year adapted to all levels.

General Spanish Courses

Standard Course

A Standard Course with 4 lessons per day allows students to complement holidays with language learning. The course is recommended for those students who wish to combine a relaxed language course with a Spanish cultural experience by travelling and adapting to the Andalusian way of life. Students who book this course can request for ECTS credits.

Intensive Course / Superintensive Course

An Intensive or Superintensive Course with 5 or 6 lessons per day guarantees maximum personal progress within a short period of time. These courses are ideal for people whose stay in Spain is mainly work-oriented or study-based.

Standard Plus 1 / Standard Plus 2

These courses combine 4 group classes with 1 or 2 private classes per day. The group classes aid interaction and help students to improve their Spanish speaking skills. The private classes allow individual students to cover areas that need extra practice or study special topics.

«Uno a Uno» Individual Course

These courses are adapted to specific needs. Students individually plan the pace, the length and the content of their language course.

Writing Workshop

Intermediate and advanced students practice their written Spanish in private lessons by writing and editing texts, using extracts from literary novels, poetry and other sources which vary according to their individual interests.

Conversation Workshop

Intermediate and advanced students practice their oral Spanish in private lessons.

