

→ VALENCIA **SPAIN**

Spanish Language Courses



CITY

Valencia is the country's third biggest city and one of the most dynamic in Spain. It is located at the Mediterranean sea, and you will find beaches right in the very heart of it, a boiling nightlife, together with an ample cultural offer.

The historic heart of Valencia is very beautiful and still very Spanish, almost untouched by mass tourism but the city is now home to the futuristic Arts and Science Centre which is fast becoming one of Spain's top visitor attractions. The state-of-the-art centre was conceived as one of Europe's most imaginative Millennium projects and consists of four main buildings occupying 90 acres of land next to the dry bed of the River Turia.

Valencia is also universally associated with Paella and Fallas : one of the most spectacular fiestas in Spain. The city's international airport, about 20 minutes drive north of the centre, has regular schedule flights from the major European capitals.



SCHOOL

The school occupies a spacious Mediterranean-style building within the university area. It is a modern and completely renovated building with lots of natural light, that offers comfort and top-quality services for the students.

It is one of the most modern schools in Spain, with the latest innovations and facilities. It has the nice and familiar atmosphere characteristic of all Enforex schools as well as the University atmosphere of the city. A dream for teaching and a paradise for learning in the Mediterranean!

Type of building:

A spacious Mediterranean-style building.

Location:

Enforex Valencia is located in one of the best areas of the city, in front of the renowned University and 10 minutes away from the city centre and the beach. In terms of public transportation the school is situated in a well-connected area with easy access via bus and underground.

Facilities:

24 spacious classrooms, full of light, Teacher's Meeting Room, Small cafeteria, Big garden in front of the school, Computer Room with free Internet access, Library and Video room, Spacious common areas, Air Conditioning and Central Heating.



SPANISH COURSES



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GENERAL SPANISH COURSES

All our Spanish courses are scheduled year 'round. The minimum course duration is one week and even with this short stay you are assured a maximum of 9 students per class (with classes average 5 students). Students take an oral and written placement test on the first Monday in order that school directors can assure they are placed in the appropriate level. As soon as the testing process has been completed, the coursework begins immediately.

Our methodology is based on acquiring the linguistic and pragmatic functional aspects of the spoken language along with an understanding of the socio-cultural elements of the Spanish way of life. Students may select from 10+5, 20, 20+5 or 25+5 lessons (each lesson lasting 55 minutes) per week.

WE OFFER:

- Semi-intensive course: 10+5 lessons per week
- Intensive + course: 20+5 lessons per week
- Intensive course: 20 lessons per week
- Super-intensive course: 25+5 lessons per week

In all our courses we study the basic language skills individually: reading, writing, speaking and listening...then we work to integrate them. In addition to these skills we also emphasize grammatical structure to help the student reach an optimum threshold of communicative proficiency. Additionally, to broaden the student's general perspective, we offer the possibility of studying distinct facets of Spanish culture including history, art, civilization, literature, cinema, and more. We feel that immersion language learning is a dynamic process which takes advantage of the fact that the students are living within the Spanish culture.



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LONG DURATION SPANISH COURSE (12+ WEEKS)

This program allows students to improve their ability to learn Spanish with the combined advantage of becoming thoroughly acquainted with Spanish life and customs. In this program the student is immersed in Spanish society and culture with the advantage of experiencing its history as well as Spain's current financial and political situation. At the end of the course, the student will really feel like a Spaniard speaking the language fluently and having an in-depth knowledge of the Spanish culture and society.

The minimum duration of this course is 12 continuous weeks (3 months) and students may select from 20+5 or 25+5 lessons per week. Due to the length, we offer substantial discounts as an incentive. For further information, please see our starting dates and price list and consult with us.



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SPANISH SEMESTER / ACADEMIC YEAR ABROAD (24+ WEEKS)

This program is aimed at those people who want to both gain a deep knowledge of Spanish language and acquire international experience. By the end of the course, students will have gained a wide knowledge of the Spanish culture and will be able to express their ideas at an abstract level similar to a native speaker. This course is strongly recommended for people that want to become bilingual and to be familiarised with the Spanish culture and way of life. The minimum duration of this course is 24 continuous weeks (6 months).



ACCOMMODATION

HOST FAMILIES / HOMESTAYS IN SPAIN

Living with a Spanish host family in Spain (Spanish homestay) will enable the student to see and understand many aspects of the Spanish lifestyle getting a better knowledge of Spanish culture, traditions, etc.

Many host families have been chosen for these purpose in order to make the stay of our students as pleasant as possible. They will be treated and feel as part of the family. Even though Madrid and Barcelona are big cities, we will always try to accommodate our students within 20/30 minutes from our schools. Students may choose between single or double room as well as half board (breakfast & dinner) or full board (breakfast, lunch & dinner).

Unless specifically required, students will never be accommodated with other students who speak the same language. In case the student is vegetarian, allergic to pets or has any special request. inter-schools will do its best to satisfy any need the students may have.

STUDENT RESIDENCES

Student residences are located in the centre of the cities, at 20-30 minutes from our schools. Students will meet Spanish and international students in a stimulating environment. Students may choose between single or double room and even if residences differ from each other, they all have facilities such as cafeteria, library etc. It is also possible to choose half board (breakfast & dinner) or full board (breakfast, lunch & dinner).

SHARED APARTMENTS

They are located in the very centre of the cities. There are apartments of different sizes and characteristics according to the needs of every student.

Each apartment has a completely equipped kitchen with microwave, pans, cutlery, etc. There are also washing machine and iron. It is necessary to give a deposit upon arrival. The deposit will be returned to the student at the end of the stay provided there are no damages to the apartment.

PRIVATE APARTMENTS/HOTELS/HOSTELS

Inter-Schools can book a hotel for students according to their requirements and preferences. There are lots of hotels within 5 minutes from our schools. For further information, please contact our main office.



SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

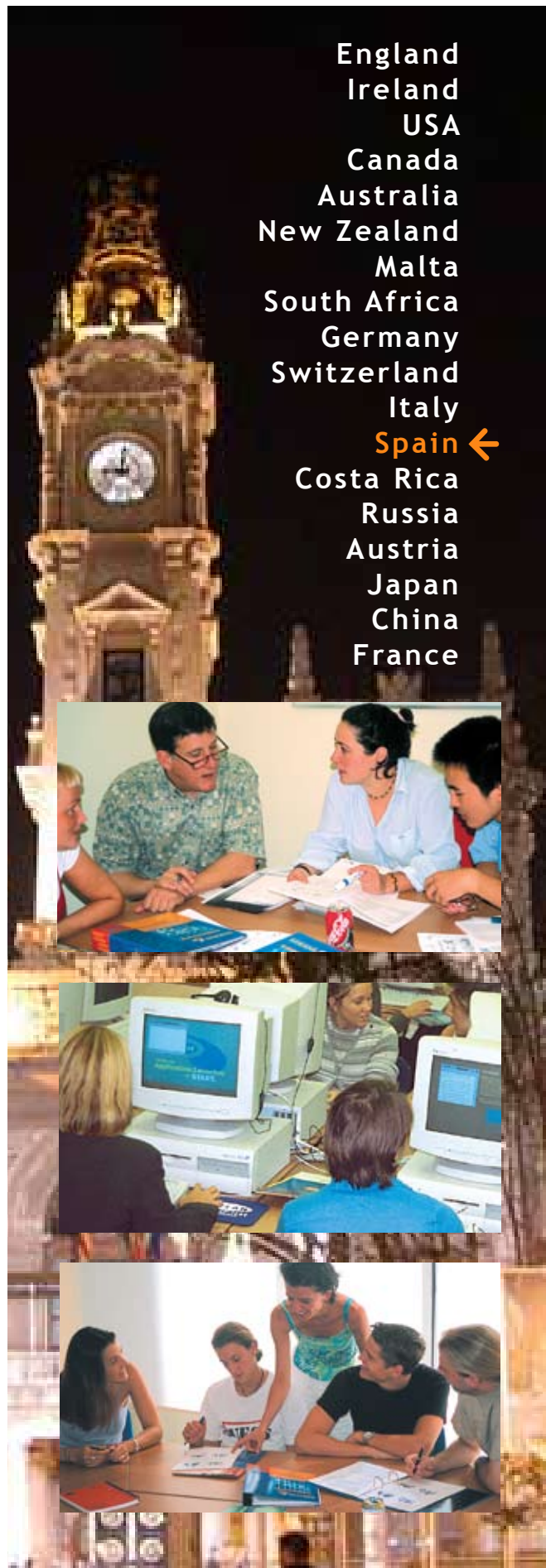
The school offers interesting afternoon cultural guided visits to museums, historical buildings, etc. as well as trips to various sites such as:

Afternoons

Historic Centre, Gothic rout, Baroque rout, IVAM museum, Patriarca museum, The City of Arts and Science, The Music Palace and The Oceanographic.

Full Day and weekend Trips

Discovering of Peñíscola, Visit to Teatro Romano in Sagunto, Visit to "Palmeral de la Elche", Albufera lake and park visit, Monasterio de Puig, Castillo de Sagunto, Alicante, Ibiza, Madrid, Barcelona and Tarragona



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