



SPANISH for MATURE ADULTS

CUZCO, PERU

START DATES IN SPRING AND FALL

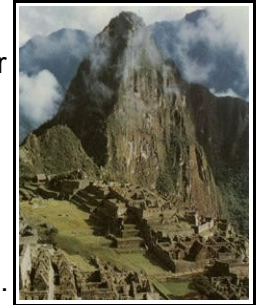


PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

This Spanish for Mature Adults program enables you to enjoy learning Spanish with other individuals above the age of 50. This tailored program offers exciting group lessons, meaningful cultural immersion, and an enriching language experience.

CITY AND COUNTRY INFO

The institute is located in the center of Cuzco, cultural heart of the Peruvian Andes. Cuzco is situated at 3,400 meters above sea level, surrounded by mountains and valleys. It has a population of 300,000 inhabitants - most of them indigenous - and has much beauty to offer: the panorama of the Andes, famous Inca ruins and the magical town of Machu Picchu. Machu Picchu is a main attraction near Cuzco, bringing travelers from all over the world to witness the history and beauty it has preserved.



Everyone who visits Peru inevitably comes to Cuzco, one of the most fascinating cities in the world. The city was founded around 1100 AD. According to the Inca creation myth, the sun sent his son, Manco Capac, and the Moon her daughter, Mama Occlo, to spread culture through the barbaric lands. They emerged from the waters of Lake Titicaca and began their journey in search of the place where they would found their kingdom. When they reached the site of present-day Cuzco, Manco plunged his golden staff into the ground in order to test its suitability and it sank deep into the fertile soil. This was the sign they were looking for. They named this place Cuzco, meaning "the navel of the world".

HIGHLIGHTS OF PROGRAM

After participating in this Spanish program in Cuzco, students will greatly improve foreign language abilities, gain personal growth and confidence both nationally and internationally. Combining travel, academics, and passion for language into one program ensures one incredible life-changing experience.

What's Included

- **Tuition and Class Materials:** 2 week minimum- Spanish group lessons for 2 hours a day - 6 students maximum per class.
- **Age:** over 55
- **Lodging:** In an shared apartment or Homestay
- **Airport Transfer**
- **Placement Testing:** first day placement levels
- **Welcome Package**
- **2 Organized Cultural Activities Weekly***
- * Entrance fees, transportation, etc. may be at additional cost.
- **Access to E-mail, Telephone, and Fax**
- **Medical, Accident and Sickness Coverage ****
- ** See policy for definitions and exclusions.
- **Medivac Coverage**
- **Other Travel Coverage:** repatriation, baggage, personal effects, accidental death and dismemberment , etc.
- **24 Hour Emergency Multilingual Hotline:** call collect from anywhere in the world
- **Certificate of Completion**

FULL PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

STUDY PROGRAM

The study portion of the program includes 3 instructional hours of Spanish every weekday within a 2 week minimum program length. Maximum number of students per class is 5. The small groups are ideal for an intimate learning process. Groups are organized in a way that each will always consist of students possessing the same level of Spanish. The overall atmosphere of the classes are relaxed and enjoyable.

All of our teachers are native speakers with university educations and are very experienced teaching Spanish to foreigners. Most have learned a second language themselves and understand the student's perspective.

The method is based on the 4 language skills: listening, grammar, oral and written comprehension. Students of all levels are welcome to this program.

MATURE ADULTS PROGRAM

This course is designed to provide individuals with the opportunity study the Spanish language and experience the culture of Cuzco. The courses will be held in Spanish and will be in intimate groups with other students of the same age. This program is preferable for people who like to study with those of similar ability levels and socialize with others of their own age.

Young people have different ways of learning, different ways of spending their spare time and different interests than older people. That's why NRCSA is proud to present our Mature Adult program, specifically tailored to needs and interests of mature adults, offered during the best seasons. Besides Spanish, the program includes extra activities as excursions and lectures on Peruvian Culture and History.

LODGING OPTIONS

HOMESTAY

The host family option has been developed particularly for those who wish to make a cultural journey with the aim of not only learning the language but also studying about the art, architecture and landscape of Perú, through the experiences, life and customs of a Peruvian family. The host families are carefully chosen and monitored through regular evaluations and student feedback. All families are middle class families, by local standards. The majority of which live within walking distance from the school. The student will always have his/her own private room and will share the living room, kitchen and bathroom with the family.

STUDENT RESIDENCE

We offers accommodation for those who enjoy contact with other students from different parts of the world and who love to live within the city center of Cuzco, at one block from the Main Square. Breakfast and lunch are included in this option.

STUDENT FLAT

The student flats are for those who plan a longer stay in Cuzco and want to live independently. All flats are located in residential neighborhoods in Cuzco, between 20 – 30 minutes walking distance from the city center, and offer the students a maximum of security and comfort with a fully equipped kitchen, a furnished living room and bedrooms.

PRICE RANGE

Cost of 2 week of classes, housing, and cultural activities from:

\$808 → \$971**

**Prices range according to housing and board options.

ELIGIBILITY AND GUIDELINES

U.S. citizens traveling with regular passports for tourism or business do not need a visa for a stay of 90 days or less. Those planning a longer visit must obtain a visa in advance of arrival.

ACTIVITIES

The school offers a full and varied program of cultural visits, sports, social outings and excursions through the year. Details vary from week to week and from season to season.

Activities include:

- Peruvian cooking class
- Game night (in Spanish)
- Salsa class
- City tours
- Weekly orientation meetings
- Music and pottery classes
- See Machu Picchu
- Museums and other places of cultural interest

HOW TO REGISTER

To register for the SPANISH for MATURE ADULTS in CUZCO, either follow the link below or call:

1-888-678-6211

<http://www.nrcsa.com/reg/on-line/regform.html>

When you register, \$140 USD is due to secure your place in the program.