



SPANISH for MATURE ADULTS

SEVILLA, SPAIN

SEPTEMBER- OCTOBER



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

Sevilla was one of the earliest Moorish conquests in 712. This period was something of a golden age for Sevilla that left historical remains still witnessed today. It enjoyed a second golden age under the Almohads, as capital of the Moorish empire from 1170 until 1212. In this period the Almohads rebuilt the Alcázar, enlarged the principal mosque and erected a new and brilliant minaret, topped with four copper spheres that could be seen from miles round. These iconic mosques still stand in Sevilla today and are within the city center.

Sevilla is a very accessible city. Just ten minutes' walk to the east of the cathedral and center, the Plaza de España and adjoining María Luisa Park, laid out in 1929 for an abortive "Fair of the Americas", are an ideal place to spend the middle part of the day. En route you pass by the Fábrica de Tabacos, the old tobacco factory that was the setting for Bizet's Carmen. Nowadays it's part of the university. Towards the end of the María Luisa Park, the grandest surviving pavilions from the fair have been adapted as museums. The furthest contains the city's archeology collections and opposite is the Popular Arts Museum, with interesting displays relating to the April feria.

HIGHLIGHTS OF PROGRAM

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



What's Included

- **Tuition and Class Materials:** 2 week minimum- 20 Spanish group lessons of 45 to 55 minutes per week – 5-8 students per class
- **Lodging:** In an shared apartment or Homestay
- **Placement Testing:** first day placement levels for beginner, intermediate, and advanced
- **Age:** over 50
- **Airport Transfer:** available at additional cost
- **5 Organized Activities Weekly***
* Entrance fees, transportation, etc. may be at additional cost.
- **Access to E-mail:** Free or low cost
- **Certificate of Completion**
- **Welcome Package**
- **Telephone and Fax acces:** low cost
- **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

FULL PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

STUDY PROGRAM

The study portion of the program includes 20 Spanish group lessons per week with a 2 week minimum. Maximum number of students per class is 8. Groups are organized in a way that each will always consist of students possessing the same level of Spanish.

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. No English will be used in class. Classes are 45 minutes in length.

MATURE ADULT PROGRAM

This course is designed to provide individuals with the opportunity to study the Spanish language and experience the culture of Spain. The courses will be held in Spanish and will be in intimate groups with other students of the same age.

LODGING OPTIONS

HOMESTAY

Living with a Spanish family provides a great language and cultural immersion opportunity. This is recommended for all students and all students are welcome to participate in this unique experience. The school places students of different nationalities within any given homestay unless otherwise requested.

Staying in a homestay includes halfboard (breakfast and lunch). Host families generally have teenage or older children. Most students eat with the family and in this way have a direct and natural experience of Spanish life. Lodging in upscale homestays is available at additional cost.

STUDENT APARTMENT

Involves sharing a flat with young Spaniards who work or study; and allows students the use of kitchen and bathroom facilities. The majority of these flats are in the historical center of the city and are within walking distance of the school. Rooms may be either single or double. There are usually one or two Spanish people living with one or two foreign students. With this option you can be both independent and in contact with Spanish people.

OTHER ACCOMMODATIONS

A centrally located flat for one or two people is also available furnished with kitchen and bathroom. This is the perfect accommodation should you come accompanied or need complete independence.

Executive accommodation is offered at additional cost. Most forms of alternate accommodation are centrally located. This option is available upon request and at additional cost.

PRICE RANGE

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

\$1,606 → \$2,063**

**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:

- Spanish wine tasting
- Visiting historical landmarks and monuments
- Dance classes
- Music festivals
- Full day excursions
- Evening outings to cinemas, areas of cultural interest and local Spanish restaurants

HOW TO REGISTER

To register for the SPANISH for MATURE ADULTS in Sevilla, 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.