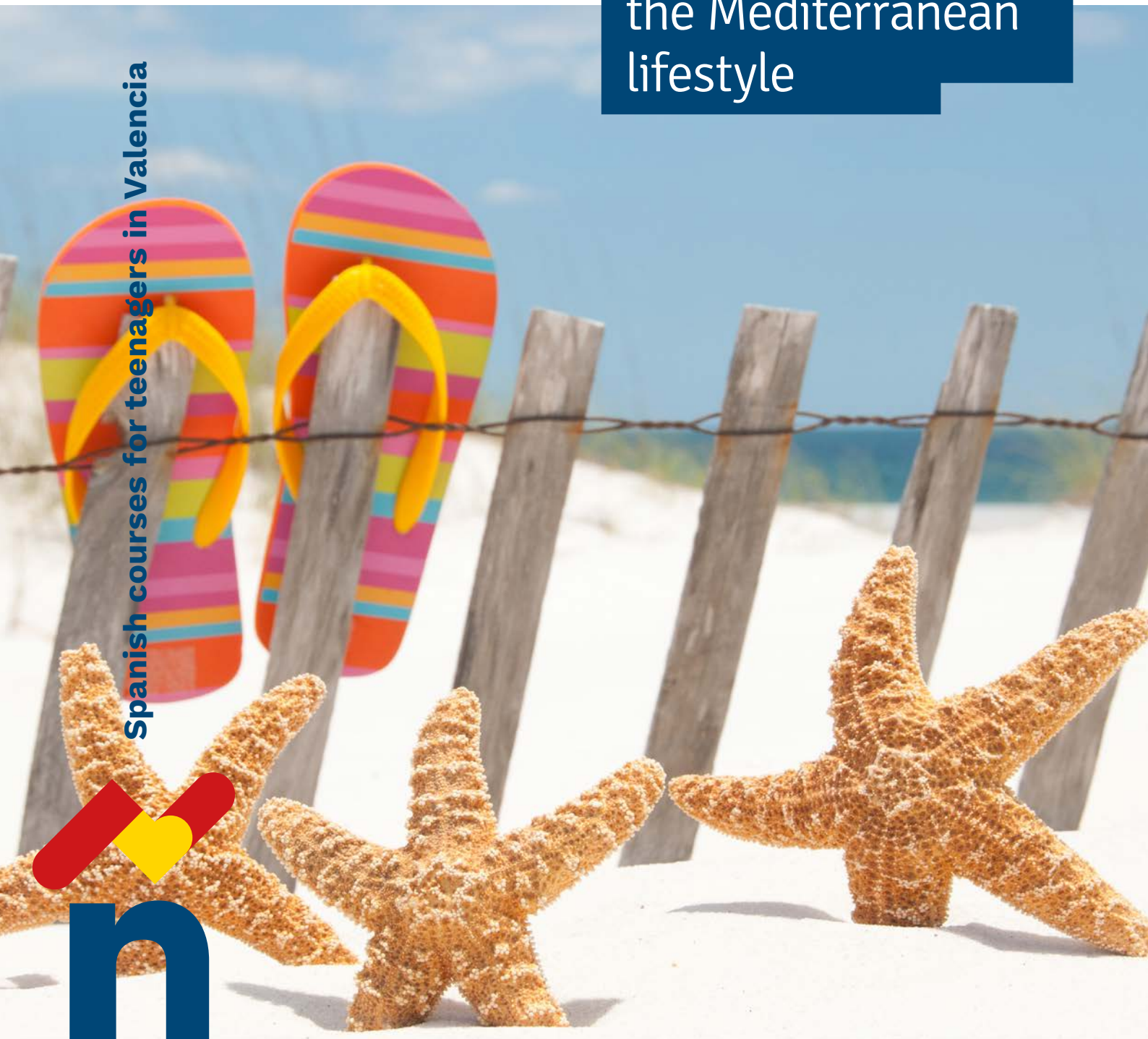
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International House Valencia

Spanish Summer Camp

Learn Spanish and discover the Mediterranean lifestyle



Spanish courses for teenagers in Valencia



Our Summer Camp is designed for students aged between 14 and 17 with all levels of Spanish. We expertly combine our lessons in small, caring classes with cultural and leisure activities

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We put a big effort into opening the minds of our teenagers through total cultural immersion. Students walk away with new skills, new appreciation for world cultures, new friends from across the world and new insights into what they can achieve.

Our students will practice their Spanish, experience an exciting new culture, make international friends and have an unforgettable time with us.

Why Valencia

Valencia is a medium size city located on the Mediterranean Coast of Spain and has something to suit all tastes. You'll discover a modern city brimming with culture and history, fabulous beaches and a relaxed, friendly atmosphere.

It's the perfect city for teenage students, easy to move around and safe.

> Historic city centre with sights of many old civilisations.

> Perfect place to enjoy the Mediterranean gastronomy.

> It enjoys more than 300 days of sunshine per year.

> Traditions and modern cosmopolitan life stand side by side.

> Modern architecture in the City of Arts and Sciences.

> Home of paella and endless orange groves.

> Easy for young students to move around.

> Valencia is a very Spanish city.

> A green city with many parks.

> Lively city with many events.

> Long sandy beaches.

> Safe environment.

> Friendly people.





The School

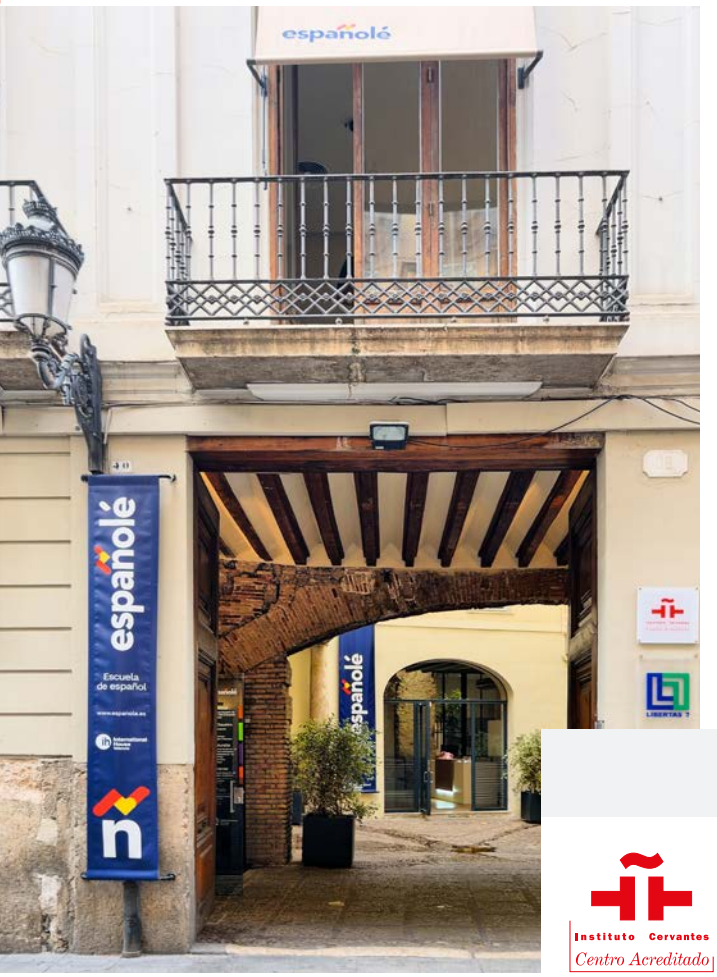
Our beautiful school is located in the historical Palacio de los Fernández de Córdova building deep in the heart of Valencia's old town surrounded by history and culture.

We have carefully renovated the stunning 153-year-old property to our own vision of a 21st century language school that compliments history with modernism. The school is placed just where the 11th century Arab city walls were standing and still a big part of them have remained inside the building penetrating through the school and getting inside the classrooms, creating an atmosphere of history and mystery.

Our 2100-square-metre building has 28 classrooms with interactive whiteboards, a student café with reading area, two patios with fruit trees and a roof garden to enjoy the beautiful Valencian weather all year round.

The Español Summer Camp takes place in a separate wing of our school to ensure all camp students are together and interacting during breaks from class in the main patio.

We are located in the heart of the old town with easy access to accommodation and all activities.



Central location

Historical building

2100 square metres

28 Well-equipped classrooms

Student Area

Patio

Terraces

Cafeteria

Sun loungers

BBQ

Kitchen

Wifi

Quality assurance

We are proud to be part of International House World Organization (IHWO) which has over 60 years' experience in improving quality in language teaching. We are also accredited by the Instituto Cervantes.

Instituto Cervantes
Centro Acreditado

Spanish lessons



During the course students become immersed in Spanish language and culture, learn how people use the language in real life, how they speak to each other in the street, how they socialise. Students develop skills that they can immediately practise outside the classroom.

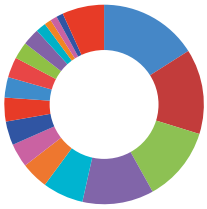
There are four Spanish classes every day, lessons can be in the morning of following a zig-zag schedule (some days in the morning with activities taking place in the afternoon and some days activities take place in the morning and lessons in the afternoon). Our Spanish lessons focus on communication skills although grammar and vocabulary are also important. We offer 6 different levels according to the Instituto Cervantes curriculum which is based in the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).

Students are immersed in Spanish life, culture and language

Our students come from a growing number of countries all with the aim of learning or improving their understanding way of life. In the school friendly atmosphere perfect to use your new language skills to make new friends.

Student's nationality

- Italian 16%
- German 14%
- British 12%
- French 12%
- Bulgarian 7%
- Austrarian 4%
- American 4%
- Czech 4%
- Slovenian 4%
- Russian 3%
- Swiss 3%
- Belgian 3%
- Dutch 3%
- Irish 2%
- Danish 1%
- Polish 1%
- Serbian 1%
- Others 6%



Student's ages

- 14 / 15%
- 15 / 30%
- 16 / 31%
- 17 / 24%





Activities and Excursions

Our programme of activities and excursions will help our students discover Spanish culture, the friendly attitude of the locals and the festive atmosphere of our city.

Every day there will be activities which include cultural visits, sports competitions, barbecues, dancing lessons, beach afternoons or shopping.

On Saturdays we run full-day excursions, while on Sundays, the teenagers are free to spend the day with their hosts, or they can meet friends.

Experienced teachers and co-ordinators take care of our students and accompany them during all the cultural activities, visits and excursions included in the programme.



Afternoon and evening activities

- Walk in the old town
- Visit to Museums
- Visit to the City of Arts & Sciences
- Bike tour
- Sports
- Shopping trips
- Bowling
- BBQ in the school terrace
- Outing to the cinema
- Beach games
- Cooking workshops
- Disco party
- Quiz night
- Talent show
- **and many more...**

Excursions

- Aquapark
- Albufera lake
- Benicassim
- Sagunto
- Játiva
- Peñíscola
- Javea
- Altea
- Alicante
- Madrid
- Barcelona
- **and many more...**

A weekly plan



This is an example of a regular schedule of classes and activities

Sunday

Arrival to Valencia and transfer to host family or residence



International and friendly atmosphere

Monday

08:00 Breakfast

08:30-13:20 Level test and Spanish classes

14:00 Lunch

16:30 We go to the beach!

17:30 Afternoon snack at the beach

21:00 Dinner



Tuesday

08:30 Breakfast

09:30-13:20 Spanish classes

14:00 Lunch

16:30 Cooking workshop

18:30 Visit to the football stadium

21:00 Dinner



Wednesday

08:30 Breakfast

09:30-13:20 Spanish classes

14:00 Lunch

16:30 City tour

18:30 Paella party

21:00 Dinner

Thursday

08:30 Breakfast

09:30-13:20 Spanish classes

14:00 Lunch

16:30 Sports in the beach: Volleyball

21:00 Dinner

Friday

08:30 Breakfast

09:30-13:20 Spanish classes

14:00 Lunch

16:30 Boat trip

21:00 Dinner



Saturday

09:30 Breakfast

11:00-19:00 Excursion to the Albufera lake & Bike tour

or

Transfer to Valencia Airport Departure (only for students leaving)



Accommodation

We offer our summer campers the choice to be totally integrated into Valencian life by staying with a host family or give them more of a university feel in student residence.

Host family

Our host families are carefully chosen to provide the utmost comfort and care for our teenagers and many of our host families have been with us for years taking in our students all year round. Students normally have double rooms including full board. Lunch can be packed or hot depending on requirements. Weekly laundry and cleaning is included.
The average journey to school for our students is 25 minutes and many families live close than that in surrounding neighbourhoods.

Resiolé residence

Those who choose the residence option can stay in our Resiolé residence, located in the old town just 6 minutes walking to school. Students stay in double, triple or quadruple rooms with shared bathrooms. Meals are taken in the residence canteen. There is 24-hour staffing, weekly cleaning and free self-service laundry machines and driers.

School location

Españolé is situated on one of the main streets of Valencia Old Town, in the district of El Carmen. A tangled web of narrow streets, alleys and plazas packed with terraces, El Carmen has become Valencia's most famous and fascinating neighborhood. The school is surrounded by history, culture, shops, cafes, historical sites and the energetic Spanish city life.



Supervision and security

Every outing is supervised by our school staff who watch out for the wellbeing and safety of our students. Specialist activities such as sailing, paragliding, etc, are always supervised by professional instructors.

Students are expected to attend lessons and activities as scheduled, and have to respect the programme curfew that is established depending on age.





The programme includes

Special programme for students between 14 and 17 y.o

- 20 Spanish lessons per week (50 minutes each)
- Maximum 10 students per class
- Entrance level test
- Host family or residence full-board accommodation
- 1 full-day excursion and 5 half-day activities per week
- Class materials
- Insurance
- 24 hour emergency assistance
- Certificate and report at end of course
- Return transfers
- **Supervision by our experienced team of teachers and coordinators**

Prices

Enrolment fee: 50,00 €

In host family:
615,00 € / 1 week
530,00 € / extra week
45,00€ / extra night

In residence:
675,00 € / 1 week
595,00 € / extra week
50,00€ / extra night

Day programme:
Spanish course + activities
295,00 €

Extra supervision (the host families accompany and pick up the children from school): 60,00 €

UM (unaccompanied minor) school service: 50,00€

Dates

Students of all levels can start every Monday from 22nd June to 10th August 2020.

The programme finishes on the 14th August.

Length
of the programme

From 1 to 8 weeks

Your arrival

Arrivals are normally on Sundays and departures on Saturdays (extra nights might be possible at extra cost). We pick up the students at the airport and take them to the host family or residence

On departure students are picked up at their accommodation and driven to the departure terminal of the airport. They will be helped to do the check-in and will be guided up to the passport control before the departure gates.

Students who have booked the UM service with the airline (unaccompanied minor service) will also have to book the service with the school (extra cost) as the airline requires the person in charge to escort the student until boarding the plane.

The first day

On Monday morning host families accompany the teens to school and show them the way back home, either walking or by public transport. *

Students living in residence will be accompanied on Monday morning by our school staff.

Students will then take a level test so that they can be placed in the class of the corresponding level.

After the test, they will attend a Welcome meeting where they will receive useful information and get to know other new students and the staff of the school.

Once the tests have been marked, every student is placed in a group and the classes can begin.

Complete beginners of Spanish don't have to take the level test but will participate in the Welcome meeting.

* It's possible to book the "extra supervision service" if parents want the host family to accompany the children everyday to school and pick them up in the evening after the activities.



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