



# LIVE AND STUDY SPANISH

IN YOUR TEACHER'S HOME IN

*in Sevilla*

CITY CENTRE

# MAKE SPAIN YOUR CLASSROOM

*With you, every step of the way!*

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# WE ARE THE EXPERTS

Welcome to our **Spanish Homestay Immersion Programme (SHIP)** in the captivating **Sevilla!**

Embark on a transformative journey with our **Spanish Homestay Immersion Programme (SHIP)**, a dynamic alternative to traditional Spanish Intensive Courses.

**Immerse yourself in the vibrant rhythm of Spanish life and delve deep into its rich culture.**

Our programme presents an unparalleled opportunity for you to not only learn Spanish but to truly experience it by **residing in the welcoming home of your dedicated teacher** in **Sevilla**.

Join us as we venture beyond the conventional paths, guiding you to **uncover the authentic essence of Andalucía!**

# ABOUT YOUR HOST TEACHER IN SEVILLA

Introducing Carmen, our esteemed host teacher in Sevilla, who warmly welcomes us into her home as part of our family. With a household bustling with six children, Carmen embodies the essence of warmth, hospitality, and boundless energy.

Beyond her role as a dedicated teacher, Carmen is a beacon of inspiration for personal growth, advocating for continuous learning and self-improvement. Her passion for global cultures permeates every aspect of her life, fostering an environment of diversity and acceptance within her family and community.

In Carmen's home, each day is an opportunity for exploration, enlightenment, and connection, as we embark on a transformative journey guided by her wisdom and unwavering spirit.

## Likes and passions:

- My family
- Personal growth
- Global cultures
- Arts and sports
- History



## CARMEN

"I believe that staying in your teacher's home and immersing yourself in Spanish culture is the optimal choice. I, as a Spanish Express host family-teacher, serve not only as an excursion guide for my students but also as a steadfast companion on their language journey, teaching them at every opportunity".



# IMMERSION PROGRAMME

## What is the Spanish Homestay Immersion Programme (SHIP) about?

The **Spanish Homestay Immersion Programme (SHIP)** is one of the most enjoyable methods to learn and improve your Spanish by studying abroad for an intensive period of time. By enrolling in one of our **Spanish homestay immersion programmes**, you will go to some of the most **exciting destinations in Spain (Barcelona, Valencia, Mallorca and Menorca amongst others)** and **live and study Spanish in one of our host teacher's home**, where you will mingle with their friends and family.

**Programme lengths can vary.** You can arrange a rigorous one or two-week Spanish homestay immersion programme or even stay longer.

Our **Spanish homestay immersion programmes** are ideal because they are **bespoke, authentic, thrilling** and **customizable**.

## Who is the Spanish Homestay Immersion Programme (SHIP) for?

The **Spanish Homestay Immersion Programme (SHIP)** is open to anyone! Our students typically range **from being in their 20s to their 70s** and come from various backgrounds and different levels, including **university students** wanting to get ready for their first job in an international company, **adolescents** hoping to improve their Spanish language solely for self-improvement and higher confidence in communication skills, **retirees** with a passion for anything Spanish, small **groups of friends** with similar interests, **families** seeking an educational vacation, and **business executives** looking to improve teamwork.

## Which Spanish destinations can you choose from?

There are **several regions in Spain** where our **Spanish homestay immersion programmes** are offered. You can choose from **Barcelona, Valencia, Mallorca and Menorca** amongst others. Every time we open a new location, we make sure it can provide you with the best travel and holiday opportunities as well as **a place to learn or improve your Spanish**. Keep in mind that this is also **your chance to go to and see wonderful destinations!** In order to provide a wide selection of locations in Spain for immersion homestays, we continually increase our network of host teachers.

## Can't find your destination on our network?

At Spanish Express we recognise that every person has distinctive tastes, and as a result, we work to provide programmes that are catered to all types of people with various interests. **We can work out a custom plan for you in any Spanish speaking country or region** that will help you not only **learn the Spanish language**, but also **gain an understanding of other Spanish-speaking cultures**.

# IMMERSION PROGRAMME

## Who are the host teachers of the Spanish Homestay Immersion Programme (SHIP)?

Our **certified Spanish instructors** are **native Spanish speakers** with many years of experience teaching Spanish to **students from all over the world**. Teachers create a **bespoke programme** based on the initial language level test and personal consultation taken with the host teacher in one online session prior to the arrival to the chosen destination in Spain.

Moreover, most of our certified teachers are also **official examiners** for the following **UK exam boards: AQA, Pearson Edexcel, OCR and WJEC**.

In addition, most of our certified teachers are **official examiners for the Spanish certifications DELE and SIELE**.

## Would you like to prepare and/or take an official exam while participating in the Spanish Homestay Immersion Programme (SHIP)?

You can prepare for the **Spanish GCSE, IGCSE or A level** exam with us for the following UK exam boards: **AQA, Pearson Edexcel, OCR and WJEC**. You can also take your exam with us!

**Spanish Express** is a branch of **David Game College**. David Game College has been a **recognised examination centre since 1974**.

You can also prepare with us for the following **official Spanish qualifications**:

- The Diploma of Spanish as a Foreign Language (**DELE**)
- The International Spanish Language Evaluation Service (**SIELE**)

## Is Spanish Express an accredited centre for Spanish official exams?

Yes, **Spanish Express is one of the seven accredited Spanish SIELE Exam Centres in the UK**, and **we can also organise remote exams for SIELE from Spain** as long as you are enrolled in any of our courses or immersion programmes.

For the **DELE exam** you need to go to the **DELE Exam Centre**. We can help you with the enrolment once you have finished the exam preparation course with us.

# IMMERSION BENEFITS

## What are the benefits of our Spanish Homestay Immersion Programme (SHIP) \* Live & Study Spanish in your teacher's home\*?

Living and studying a language in your teacher's home can offer a number of benefits, including:

1. **Immersion:** Living with your teacher provides an immersive experience, allowing you to be constantly surrounded by the language and culture you are studying. This can accelerate your learning and help you to develop natural speaking and listening skills.
2. **Personalized learning:** Living with your teacher allows for personalized and tailored instruction. Your teacher can focus on your individual needs and work with you to improve your weaknesses.
3. **Cultural experience:** Living with your teacher provides a unique opportunity to experience the culture firsthand. You can learn about customs, traditions, and ways of life that are not easily learned in a classroom.
4. **Practice outside of class:** Living with your teacher provides ample opportunity to practice the language outside of class time. This can include informal conversations at meal times or while doing activities together.
5. **Convenience:** Living with your teacher eliminates the need for commuting to and from classes, allowing you to spend more time studying and practicing the language.

Overall, living and studying a language in your teacher's home can be a highly effective way to learn a language, as it offers an immersive and personalized learning experience, as well as a unique cultural experience.

## Our Spanish Homestay Immersion Programme (SHIP)

**\*Live & Study Spanish in your teacher's home\***

it's more than just a peek through a window. It's discovering  
a new life, a new you!

# YOUR STAY

## ACCOMMODATION

This host teacher only accepts **one student at a time**, ensuring that each student has their own **private bedroom** with a **small double bed** and a **shared bathroom**.

It's important to make sure that the accommodation meets the needs of our guests and that everyone is comfortable. If there are any specific requirements or preferences, it's a good idea to discuss them with us to see if they can be accommodated.

**We must be told ahead of time if there are any special dietary requirements.**

**The following items are included in the programme:**

- Private guest room
- Shared guest bathroom
- Breakfast, a snack/packed lunch, and a prepared evening meal are included with full board (only meals at home)
- Bedding and towels are provided
- Dietary restrictions (see supplements)
- Toiletries
- Wi-Fi, TV & Netflix

## EXCURSIONS

The **SHIP** has a large array of **excursions and exciting activities** available within each programme. During the **online session before arrival**, teachers will talk with students about their interests.

Teachers are then able to incorporate this into the student's bespoke personalised schedule, which is organised and approved by the student before they arrive.

In addition to the excursions included in the programme they choose, students can request additional excursions, either alone or with their host teacher (extra fees apply).



# YOUR ACCOMMODATION

## *The house features:*

Just steps away from the bustling city center, discover this delightful ground floor flat, where comfort meets convenience. Step onto the patio, a tranquil oasis perfect for immersive Spanish conversations with your host teacher or indulging in quiet study sessions and reading retreats.



Imbued with an inviting atmosphere and equipped with thoughtful amenities, Carmen's abode offers an ideal sanctuary. Enjoy seamless connectivity with complimentary Wi-Fi available throughout the property, ensuring you stay connected while experiencing the charm of your surroundings.

# PHOTOS OF THE HOUSE





# PLACES YOU WILL BE VISITING

*Blending learning with culture*

Our **SHIP** will take you on a journey to discover...

## Sevilla



Seville is a city that leaves a lasting impression and many agree on defining it as special. It might be because of the grandeur of its monuments. Perhaps it's the charm of popular neighborhoods like Triana.

It could be due to the scent of jasmine in its squares or the sounds of Spanish guitar music echoing through its streets. Some argue that it's the tradition of its festivals, and many are convinced that its tapas are the true culprits.

## Cervantes

The famous lyrics from Los del Río's song suggest that "Seville has a special color," yet the magic of Seville transcends mere colors. This enchanting city shares a profound connection with the illustrious writer Miguel de Cervantes Saavedra, whose legacy weaves through its streets and alleys.

Embark on a melodic journey through Seville's literary landscape, where Cervantes' timeless tales dance to the rhythm of the city.

Explore the historic sites and vibrant neighborhoods that inspired Cervantes, uncovering the stories behind his beloved characters and narratives.



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## Plaza de España



It was built for the Ibero-American Exposition of 1929, of which Seville was the host. Its architect is Aníbal González. He blended a style inspired by the Renaissance with the typical elements of the city: exposed brick, ceramics, and wrought iron (crafted by Domingo Prida).

Its layout is semicircular. It is dominated by two towers, one on each side of the complex framing the central building, where the rooms are located. Between the two towers runs a network of galleries with semi-circular arcades that lead to different areas of the square, where a fountain stands.

## Triana

The Triana neighborhood stands as a cornerstone of Sevillian culture. Birthplace of flamenco singers, dancers, artists, and artisans, Triana thrives as a hub of pottery masters congregating near Plaza del Altozano, by the Triana Bridge.

Its roots trace back to ancient times when Roman legions set up camp there. The Almohads erected a rudimentary bridge connecting it to the city, later replaced by the iconic Triana Bridge.

With a rich maritime tradition, Triana trained sailors bound for the Americas. Facing the river, its lifeblood and source of growth, Triana also endured hardships from severe floods caused by river swells.



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## Flamenco



The tablaos flamencos of Seville stand as vibrant stages where the soul-stirring art of flamenco comes to life. These venues hold profound significance in the cultural fabric of the city, serving as sanctuaries where the rich heritage of flamenco is celebrated and preserved.

Seville, deeply rooted in flamenco tradition, is home to some of the most renowned tablaos in Spain. These establishments provide a platform for flamenco artists, including singers, guitarists, and dancers, to showcase their talent in an intimate and authentic setting.

## Las setas de Sevilla

The "Metropol Parasol," affectionately known as the "Mushrooms" of Seville, stands as a captivating monument. Symbolizing Seville's architectural renaissance and embracing cutting-edge technology and innovation, these colossal wooden structures represent the world's largest of their kind.

Nestled in the northern precinct of Seville's historic district, they grace the erstwhile Plaza de la Encarnación, adding a modern twist to the city's timeless charm.





# PRICES

## PRICE PER WEEK, PER PERSON

**\*FROM 1.590€**

**Over 25 Hours of Immersive Spanish with Your Host Teacher**

**Includes Spanish lessons, shared meals, and unforgettable cultural excursions—all entirely in Spanish.**

## NUMBER OF PERSONS

**1 participant** - Immerse yourself in a unique cultural experience, connecting with your teacher's family and friends for an authentic adventure!

## \*ADDITIONAL CHARGES

- **High-demand periods:** Applicable during June, July, August & September, School Half Term, Easter, and Christmas holidays. Contact us for a personalized quote.
- **Theme weeks:** Diverse Theme Weeks are available throughout the year, tailored to various interests and schedules. Prices vary based on the program and season. Contact us for a personalized quote.
- **Special dietary needs:** Additional cost for customized meal plans. Contact us for a personalized quote.
- **Spanish Tuition for Exam Preparation and Business Spanish:** Tailored lessons designed for IGCSE, A-Level, DELE, SIELE exams, and Business Spanish include a supplement fee. Contact us for a personalized quote.

**Registration Fee:** 150€

**Payment Note:** Full payment is required upon receipt of the invoice to secure any reservation.

## Program Duration

- **Flexible durations** starting from 1 to 4 weeks.
- **Standard schedule:** From Sunday (check in after 4pm) to Saturday (check out before 11am). Other arrangements available upon request.

## WHAT'S INCLUDED

- **Online session before arrival** to prepare for your immersion experience.
- **Spanish level test** to assess and customize your learning plan.
- **Spanish lessons tailored to you**, blending formal instruction with real-life application through interactive activities and cultural experiences.
- **Guided conversations throughout your stay**—during meals, daily routines, and excursions—all counting as part of your lesson time.
- **Cultural excursions and activities** as extended lessons, where you learn and practice Spanish in meaningful, real-world settings—meals, transport, and tickets included.
- **Full-board accommodation**, include all meals at your teacher's home and during planned activities/excursions.
- **Study materials** tailored to your learning objectives.
- **Wi-Fi access** in your teacher's home.
- **Certificate and personalized report** detailing your progress.
- **Video souvenir** highlighting your immersive experience.

## WHAT'S NOT INCLUDED

- Flights or trains to/from Spain
- Travel and medical insurance
- Airport transfers\*
- Extra tuition\*
- Optional activities/excursions\*
- Meals outside the home (when they are not part of planned activities/excursions)\*
- Alcoholic drinks\*

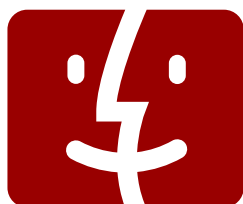
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\*Available at an additional cost upon request



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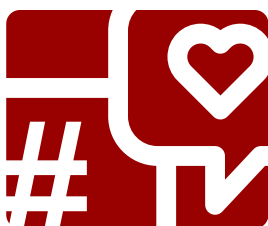
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**We have the right Spanish homestay immersion programme to make your dream a reality!**

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