

School specialized in the teaching of Spanish since 1996 and accredited by Cervantes Institute. With our method of teaching you will be able to communicate in Spanish from the beginning.

Escuela Mediterráneo offers a lot of different courses (16 hours per week, 12h, 10h, 8h and 4h) y a lot of possible timetables (from 9h to 21 h, we do not close at midday).

Highly qualified teachers.

Types of courses: 16hrs/week, 12, 10, 8 and 4.

Duration: super intensive summer courses / 3 months/ 6 months / 9 months / 1 year. You can also sign up for single weeks.

Classes' timetable: 9-11am; 11am-1pm; 1-3pm; 3-5pm; 5-7pm, 7-9pm.

LANGUAGE COURSES

You will learn in a communicative manner grammar, vocabulary and how to express yourself in Spanish.

COURSE of 4h/week (48 hours total)

Timetable: 2 hours per day, 2 days per week (Monday-Wednesday, Tuesdays-Thursday).

There are 8 levels: A1, A2, B1.1, B1.2, B2.1, B2.2, C1.1, C1.2.

COURSE of 8h/week (96 hours total)

Timetable: 2 hours per day from Monday to Thursday.

There are 5 levels: Elementary (A1-A2), Basic (A2+), Pre-intermediate (B1), Intermediate (B1+), Advanced (B2).

COMBINATION: LANGUAGE COURSES +

You can combine the language course with:

+ Conversation course

A course where you will do more oral activities. There are 6 levels of conversation courses.

+ DELE preparation course (Official Diplome of Spanish as Foreign Language)

DELE preparation courses for levels A1, A2, B1, B2 and C2, where you will practice all the aspects covered in the exam.

COURSE of 8h/week (96 hours)

4h language+ 4h conversation, 4h language + 4h DELE

Timetable: 2h/day from Monday to Thursday or 4h twice a week.

COURSE of 10h/week (120 hours total)

8 h language + 2 h conversation

Timetable: 2h a day from Monday to Thursday.

COURSE of 12h/week (144 hours total)

8h language + 4h DELE; 8h language + 4h conversation

Timetable: Monday to Thursday.

COURSE of 16h/week (192 hours total)

8h language +4h conversation + 4h DELE

Timetable: 4h/day from Monday to Thursday.

1 MONTH SUMMER SUPERINTENSIVE LANGUAGE COURSES (64H)

You will learn in one month the most important contents in a communicative manner.

16 h/week during 1 month: 4 h/day Monday to Thursday.

OTHER COURSES

Extra support lessons: to work on pronunciation, spelling and some difficult grammar contents.

Workshops to seek employment in Spanish Business Spanish.

PRIVATE CLASSES

You'll be offered a personal program classes according to your needs and timetable.

CATALAN CLASSES

4 hours per week for 12 weeks (48 h).

2 hours twice a week or 4 hours in one day.

ENGLISH CLASSES

3 hours per week for 12 weeks (36 h).

1, 5 hours twice a week or 3 hours in one day.

Levels: A1, A2.1, A2.2, B1.1, B1.2, B2.1, B2.2, C1, C2.

SERVICES OFFERED

Free Internet access, wi-fi zone, library, video-library, extracurricular activities (with external companies), photocopier, receptacles for recyclable materials, snack/beverage machine, and fair-trade coffee.

ACCOMODATION

Host families: to experience Spanish way of living.

Shared flats: if you prefer sharing a flat with other students.

Full flats: if you want to live alone.

Students residence: to live with other students.

Check the following link: www.bcn-housing-students.com .

INSCRIPTION AND PAYMENT

• **Level test:** it's mandatory and you have to do it before starting the course, unless you are a beginner.

• **Enrolment and payment:**

- Enrollment fees: 30€ (it includes the enrollment, the level test, certificates and additional material). It doesn't include books.

- Before starting the course you must pay the entire period in which you want to sign-up. You can pay in cash (50€ max.), with credit or debit card or by bank transfer.

- If you want to continue studying you must pay your course before the last day of your current enrolment.

- If you need a certificate of enrolment to apply for a visa, we give you a document with extra information.

• **Reserving a place:** The reservation for your course and timetable chosen is valid for one week. If after this week the class is full you would still have your place booked but in a different time).

• **A trial class:** You need to pay 15 EUR per trial class. If you decide to continue studying you need to pay the outstanding amount after the trial class and the 15 EUR will be deduced from the total amount. If you don't sign-up after the trial class or if you decide to continue studying, but you do not pay the same day of the trial class, the school does not refund you the 15€.

• **Cancellation, resignation or enrollment change*:**

- If you cancel the course at least 15 working days before the beginning of the course, the school refunds you the full amount of the course LESS 50 EUR for cancellation fees.

- If you cancel the course within the 15-working day term before the beginning of the course, the school refunds you the full amount of the course LESS 100 EUR for cancellation fees (8h and 4h/week courses) or 150 EUR for cancellation fees (16h, 12h and 10h/week).

- If you have enrolled in several consecutive courses (without a certificate of enrolment to apply for a visa) the same cancellation fees apply for each future course you cancel.

- If you cancel the course after it has already started, the school does not refund you and it is not permitted to pass it on another person or postpone it. If you want to postpone the date of the beginning of your course or to bring forward the end, you would need to make a request in writing and renounce to the rest of the course without any refund from the school.

- If you want to study less hours per week than the ones you have paid for, you would need to make a request in writing and renounce to the outstanding hours without the possibility of postponing them or getting any refund.

- If you want to study more hours per week than the ones you had paid for, you have to pay the equivalent of this new course.

*If you have requested a certificate of enrolment, please consult the extra information given to you for enrolling.

ORGANIZATION

• **Beginning of the courses:** Most of the students sign-up at the beginning of the course, but you may also sign-up for a course that has already started. First you have to do the level test. A new course (Basic 1) may start at the

beginning of every month provided that there is a minimum of 5 persons.

- **Number of students in the class:** Minimum 5, Maximum 15.
If a group ends up with less than 5 students, the school may cancel it and transfer the students to another group or refund the corresponding amount. If a group has been studying for more than 2 months with less than 5 students, the school does not refund the proportional amount corresponding to the third month.
- **Textbooks:** to have the textbooks is mandatory in order to attend the class. You can buy your books at the school. We do not provide copies of the books. If you are enrolled in a course for less than one month, subject to availability, you can rent them from the school by leaving a deposit of 25 EUR per book, which will be given back to you when you return the books in the same conditions. If you return the books two weeks later than the end of your course, the school does not refund the deposit.
- **Timetable changes:**
 - you can change the timetable of your course once only if there is another timetable option in the same level and type of course (according to the availability).
 - In case there is no other timetable option or there is no availability or the available timetable doesn't suit you, the school does not refund you or postpone the course.
- **Level changes.** If you want to change your level during the course, your teacher has to confirm it first and you need to pass a specific exam to enter a higher level.
- **Holidays.** Holidays are those officially established by the regional calendar and therefore are included in the prices. You can't catch up the classes missed during holiday period, except for the weekly price. Holiday periods are already excluded from the prices.
- **Absences:**
 - Attendance is taken daily. If you need a certificate of attendance it will state your actual attendance.
 - If you miss the class for any personal reason the school does not refund or reschedule the missed class.
 - If you miss 3 consecutive weeks, your level will need to be revised and it will probably change.
- **Exams:** All courses have a final exam. There is one official date and an extraordinary date one week before. You can't do the exam after the official date. You have to do the final exam to obtain the diploma. Admission in the next level depends on your final mark. There is a mid-way exam during the 3-month courses.

- **Diplomas and certificates:** To obtain the diploma of your course you have to pass the final exam and have a minimum attendance of 70%. If you do not conclude the course, if you have an attendance of less than 70% or if you fail the final exam, you will receive a certificate of attendance without your final mark.

- **If you study several consecutive courses:**

- The school does not guarantee the same timetable for each trimester of all your courses. You can reserve the timetable for your next trimester before ending your current course.
- Admission in the following level depends on your final exam.
- If you want to sign-up for several consecutive trimesters and you already have an advanced level, the school does not guarantee all the levels of the courses you have signed up for.

THE SCHOOL RESERVES THE ADMISSION RIGHT

It is very important to read the rules of the school which you can find in the leaflet, website, or inscription form. The school will not be held responsible if you do not read our terms and conditions and you won't be exempted of its compliance.

The school doesn't necessary have to inform you verbally about all the matters concerning the organization and conditions of the school.

Updated 18th of March 2010

DATES OF THE COURSES 2010**3 months courses**

1st trimester: from 7th January till 26th March 2010

2nd trimester: from 6th April till 25th June 2010

3rd trimester: from 5th July till 23rd September 20104th trimester: from 4th October till 23rd December 2010**1 month super intensive summer course**

JUNE 10: from 1st till 23 AUGUST 10: from 2 till 26

JULY 10: from 5 till 29 SEPTEMBER 10: from Agu30 till 23rd Sep**CALENDAR OF HOLIDAYS – 2010****Holidays:** 5/04, 24/05, 24/06, 24/09, 12/10,1/11,6-8/12.**Vacations:** Easter holidays 29/03-5/04, Christmas 24/12-06/01.**PRICES OF THE COURSES -2010****Spanish and Catalan classes**

Course of	4 hrs/week	8 hrs/ week
3 months	220 €	355 €
2 months	190 €	315 €
1 month	100 €	165€
1week	35 €	45 €

Course of	10 hrs/w	12 h/w	16 h/w
3 months	435 €	525 €	715 €
2 months	390 €	455 €	620 €
1 month	200 €	230 €	320 €
1week	55 €	65 €	90€

Curso de 16 h/ semana durante 1 mes (64 h/ total)

1 month	320 €	1week	90 €
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Private class

From 1 up to 10 hrs	35€/ hour
From 11 up to 20 hrs	33,5€ / hour
From 21 up to 30 hrs	30 € / hour

English Classes

12 weeks	245 €
4 weeks	100 €
1 trial week	35€

DISCOUNTS - 2010**10% IF YOU ARE A FORMER STUDENT* AND PAYS A TRIMESTER**

	4 h/w	8 h/w	10 h/w	12h/w	16h/w
3 months	200 €	320 €	395 €	475 €	645 €

*if you have studied in a previous course

10% to 15% IF YOU PAY SEVERAL CONSECUTIVE TRIMESTERS

	6 months (10% disc.)	9 months (12% disc.)	12 months (15% disc.)
Course 4 h/s	395 €	580 €	750 €
Course 8h/s	640 €	935 €	1210 €
Course 10h/s	785 €	1155 €	1485 €
Course 12h/s	945 €	1385 €	1785 €
Course 16h/s	1285 €	1885 €	2430 €

NO OTHER DISCOUNTS WILL BE APPLIED.

For new students inscription fees: 30€

- If the course you've chosen covers a part of the following one, this part has to be a month at least.

- The courses are based on the school academic calendar and months/weeks are always consecutive.

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