



LIVE AND STUDY
SPANISH
IN YOUR TEACHER'S HOME IN
Mallorca **Palma**



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WE ARE THE EXPERTS

Welcome to our **Spanish Homestay Immersion Programme (SHIP)** in Mallorca province!

The **Spanish Homestay Immersion Programme (SHIP)** is our hands-on alternative to **Spanish Intensive Courses**. Live and breathe the Spanish way of life and immerse yourself in Spanish culture.

This programme is offering you the truly unique opportunity to **LIVE** and **LEARN SPANISH** in your **TEACHER'S HOME** in **MALLORCA ISLAND!**

ABOUT YOUR HOST TEACHER IN MALLORCA

I always knew that I wanted to be a teacher and my interest in languages, added to my curiosity about different cultures, has shown me that my profile adapts to the requirements of any student who wants to do this type of programme.

Over the years I have studied **English, German, French, Italian, Greek, Turkish and Russian**. To this day I can say that with each new language I have discovered a new me.

With this immersion programme, I am sure that the student will feel that in addition to learning Spanish, they are **getting to know a part of themselves that will bring them closer to the Spanish-speaking world**.

Likes and passions:

- Sailing my boat
- Reading
- Cultures and countries
- Art, cinema and sports
- Travel

With this programme, I not only want the student to learn Spanish but also to **live an authentic experience** and meet exceptional people.

Let's discover Malloca together!

PEPE



"Teaching is not just a job for me, it is also a passion. I study languages because I consider that it creates bridges with other cultures and when traveling the experience is much more than a simple stay."

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

The **18+ programme accommodates up to 2 people**. Unless they are on a 2:1 programme, in which case a double room is shared, students have their own private bedroom. A single room is also available upon request.

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/shared guest room
- Shared guest bathroom and toilet
- Breakfast, a snack/packed lunch, and a prepared evening meal are included with full board
- Bedding and towels are provided
- Dietary restrictions (see supplements)
- Free wi-fi
- Toiletries

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 students before they arrive.

Further to the outings included in their programme, students can request that additional excursions be arranged, either alone or accompanied by their host teacher (extra fees apply).

YOUR ACCOMMODATION

The penthouse features:

- One single room or one double room with a kingsize bed
- We accommodate up to 2 people
- A kitchen with all new appliances where you will cook some Spanish recipes with your host teacher
- A private toilet equipped with fresh towels
- A shared bathroom featuring a shower, along with bath gel, shampoo, and a hairdryer.
- Breakfast, lunch and dinner
- Wi-Fi, TV & Netflix



Your home in Spain is a **penthouse** with a terrace located in the **centre of the capital** of the island of Mallorca, Palma. A quiet and charming space.

Students have near the house all kinds of useful locations such as **parks, supermarkets, bus stops, train stations**, as well as quick access to the historic centre of the city.

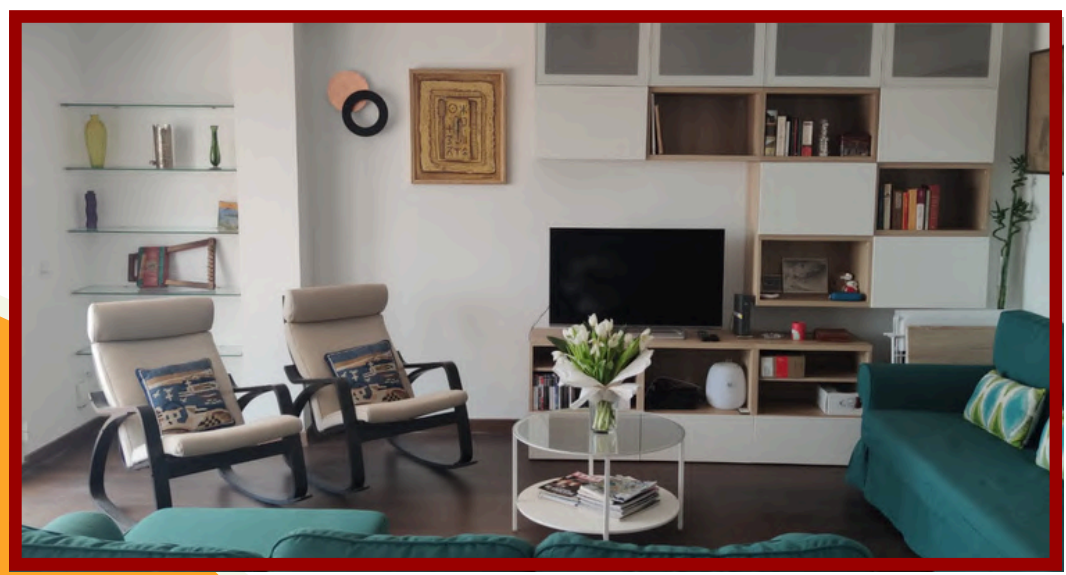
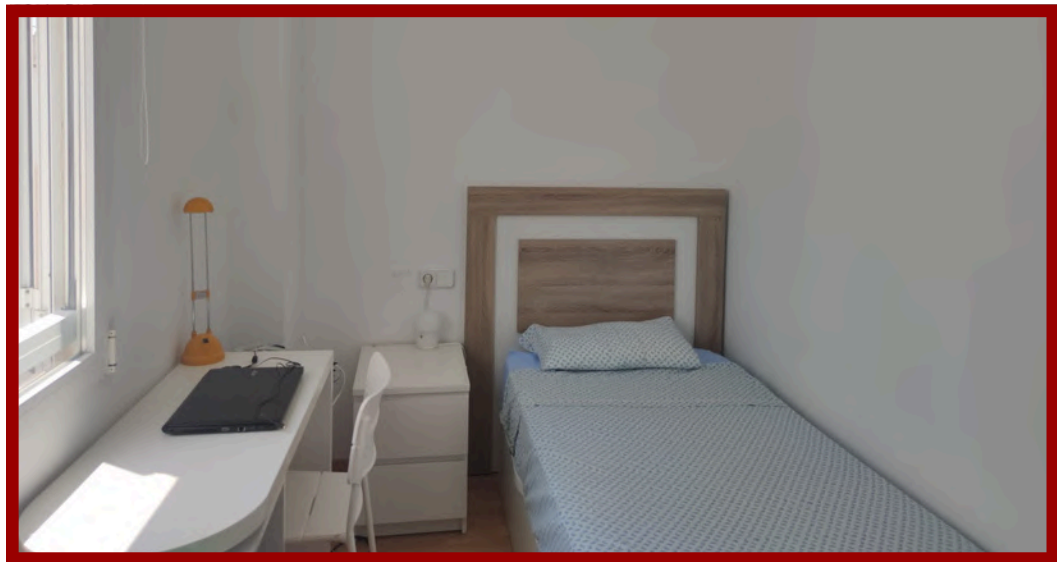
Palma is a city **located by the sea**, so it is easy to access the beaches and the promenade from home without using any kind of transport.

PHOTOS OF YOUR TEACHER'S HOME...





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PALMA DE MALLORCA & SURROUNDINGS

Blending learning with culture

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

Palma



Palma de Mallorca is an important **holiday destination** with a rich cultural tradition inherited from the Roman, Arab and Catholic civilizations that have inhabited it since 123 BC.

No wonder it is so popular today, judging by a heritage that includes its colossal cathedral, **soft sandy beaches** and **delicious gastronomic specialities**.

Spanish gastronomy

- Try **Frit Mallorquí**, a traditional dish that dates back centuries
- *If you only have room in your stomach for one Mallorcan food, you have to try **ensaimada***
- **Mallorcan soups**, it gets chilly in the Tramuntana Mountains



TOP PLACES TO VISIT

Spanish art & history



- Deia
- Valldemosa



- Ses coves del Drach
- Porto Cristo



- La Granja
- Sóller & port de Sóller

PICTURES FROM PREVIOUS TRIPS



STUDENTS' TESTIMONIALS

HEAR WHAT OUR STUDENTS HAVE TO SAY...

LINA (SWEDEN)



I have always liked to travel and learn about other cultures and **Mallorca is a place that has stolen my heart.**

I thought it was going to be a tourist place, but **Pepe made me know the native culture** and took me to incredible places that were less touristy than I expected.

His way of teaching helped me to use the language in everyday conversations and it was also a lot of fun. Doing this programme was a different way of travelling and getting to know a place thanks to Pepe.

The classes with Pepe were excellent. From our first lesson, I noticed that he is an experienced teacher and he adapted to what he needed to work on.

He took me with his boat around the island and that was an unforgettable experience.

Mallorca has some formidable beaches! In addition to the classes, we watched series and movies at home and that helped me understand many cultural things. **I would repeat without a doubt.** Thanks!

CHRISTOS (GREECE)



OTTAVIO (ITALY)



I was with Pepe for two weeks at his house and I had an unforgettable time. **I felt comfortable** with him and speaking Spanish. I have felt that in these days my Spanish has improved much more than I expected.

I liked the excursions we did and I was also able to **practise Spanish outside of class** with the help of Pepe. I met Pepe, his friends and his family and that made the experience even better. **I would go again for sure.**

It was my first time in Mallorca and I was afraid of not being able to communicate well in Spanish because my level was very low, but through this programme, **I learned in a personalized way and at my own pace.**

Now I feel more comfortable speaking Spanish. I also met a lot of people thanks to Pepe.

The classes were very entertaining and varied. This study programme is ideal for a person who wants to receive personalized attention. **Mallorca is a special place and I dream of going back soon.**

WEI (TAIWAN)



PRICES

PRICE PER WEEK, PER PERSON

***FROM 1.750€**
15h Spanish lessons
+ 4 activities/excursions

NUMBER OF PERSONS

1-2 participants - Share a unique language and cultural experience at the teacher's home. Bring your partner, sibling, or friend at your Spanish level and mix with your teacher's family, friends, and neighbors for a dynamic and fun program!

*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.
- **Single student:** Supplement for exclusive one-on-one programs. 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.

Please check our Terms & Conditions when booking your programme.

WHAT'S INCLUDED

- **Online session before arrival** to prepare for your immersion experience.
- **Spanish level test** to assess and customize your learning plan.
- **15 hours of general Spanish lessons** (both structured and seamlessly integrated into activities/excursions with workbooks).
- **15+ hours of Spanish conversation** during meals and activities/excursions.
- **15+ hours of planned activities/excursions**, include guided conversations to practice Spanish in real-life settings (meals, travel expenses, and tickets are 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*

*Available at an additional cost upon request

OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

HEALTHCARE

EU residents are entitled to free health care while in Spain for holidays or the first three months of their stay, so long as they can provide an EHIC (European Health Insurance Card). This will cover any immediate treatment needed. Medical conditions that do not require immediate treatment might incur charges. The EHIC card is not valid for health care in Spain if the holder is a Spanish resident.

The card only covers you for publicly-funded health care in Spain, not private, so make sure that the clinic or surgery you attend is aware of this, especially if both public and private services are on offer. Also, should you need an ambulance, make sure that it takes you to a hospital that offers treatment that the EHIC card will cover.

ENGLISH-SPEAKING DOCTORS & NURSES

It is possible, but not guaranteed, that you will find an English-speaking nurse or doctor in most hospitals. If an English speaker is not available, most health services, particularly those in touristy areas, will provide an interpreter at a cost. In some regions, doctors refuse to treat patients who cannot speak Spanish unless they have an interpreter, as it can double diagnosis time. Finding an English-speaking doctor in a private hospital is almost guaranteed.

ENGLISH-SPEAKING DENTISTS

Visits to the dentist must be paid for in Spain and are not available under the state system except in certain circumstances. Children aged 6 to 15 years old have the right to a free dental health programme. In popular expat areas along the coast, there are several dental practices that cater to English speakers. Private dental work in Spain tends to be cheaper than private dentistry in the UK.

PHARMACIES

Pharmacies are everywhere in Spain, even in the smallest villages, indicated by an illuminated green cross. The prescription service is much more relaxed than in the UK, with many items that would require prescriptions in the UK available over the counter. These include antibiotics and asthma inhalers, as just two examples.

CONTACTS

The Department of Health has two offices in Spain, which can deal with health care enquiries from British nationals either visiting or living in Spain. You can find more details at healthcareinspain.eu.

VISAS

What documentation is required to travel to Spain?

The documentation required to travel to Spain varies according to the country of origin. If you are a citizen of an EU country, Switzerland, Norway, Iceland or Lichtenstein, you will need a valid passport or ID card. Additionally, in the case of a minor travelling with an ID document, this must be accompanied by written permission from the parents. If you come from another country: the maximum stay in Spain is 90 days.

There are several countries whose citizens are required to have a valid current visa to enter Spain.

You can check them on this list:

<http://www.exteriores.gob.es/Portal/es/ServiciosAlCiudadano/InformacionParaExtranjeros/Documents/listapaisesvisado.pdf>

Citizens of these countries can also travel to Spain if they have a residence permit or a long-term visa issued by another country in the European Union (except for the United Kingdom, Ireland, Romania, Bulgaria and Cyprus), Switzerland, Norway, Iceland and Lichtenstein.

Citizens of all other countries must have documents that justify the object and the conditions of their stay and show they have sufficient economic resources for their maintenance throughout the period they are intending to remain in Spain. The documents they are required to present will vary according to the motive for the trip.

Nearest airport: Aeropuerto de Palma de Mallorca (PMI)

It is advisable to take out travel insurance for your trip.

Given that conditions may vary, we suggest you contact the Spanish Embassy or Consulate to verify these requirements before you start your trip.

WEATHER

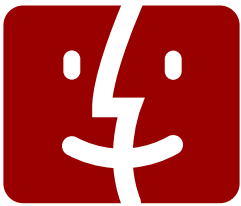
In Palma de Mallorca, summers are short, hot, muggy, dry and mostly clear, and winters are long, cold, windy and partly cloudy. During the year, the temperature generally varies from 5°C to 31°C and rarely drops below 1°C or rises above 34°C.

Tip!

Based on the beach/pool score, the best time of year to visit Palma de Mallorca for hot activities is from late June to late August.

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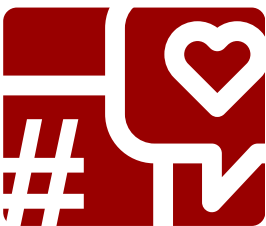
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We have the right Spanish homestay immersion programme to make your dream a reality!

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