

Leaving Certificate / Transition Year Course

Malaga 2025



Open to: 15 to 17 year old students

Is this the course for you?

Yes if you are a teenager who wants to improve your Spanish during your T Year or in preparation for your Leaving Cert exams!

You get to enjoy the city and the beach in Malaga AND learn Spanish AND prep during the TY break or for the L Cert exam! The school is centrally located in the historic area of the city. Students are taught by experienced native teachers and enjoy participating in a socially fun and cultural activity programme. Malaga offers the perfect backdrop for an immersive language learning experience, as you explore historical landmarks, soak up the Mediterranean sunshine, and savour the delicious local cuisine.

Monday to Friday:

- ~ Breakfast with family from 08.00
- ~ Spanish classes from 09.15
- ~ Lunch from 14.00
- ~ Activities x 3 afternoons a week
- ~ Dinner with the family starting at 21.00

Weekend:

- ~ Saturday: Full day excursion with guides
- ~ Sunday: Free day with the family

Course Content:

General Spanish group:	20 lessons
L. Cert exam preparation:	05 lessons
Minutes per lesson:	50
Ages accepted:	15 to 17yrs of age
Timetable:	09.15 to 13.00hrs
L Cert timetable:	Early PM
Class size:	6 to 10 students
Levels offered:	Elementary/Intermediate
Beginners accepted:	No
Duration:	One week+

Language skills covered: Grammar exercises and new structures, Oral and written expression, aural and written comprehension, phonetics, vocabulary and syntax. Offered year round (most students come out from March/August) the programme takes advantage of everything that Cadiz has to offer combining language lessons with activities, excursions and beach time!

Curfew:

Students in host accommodation:

All students must be home by 23.30hrs (Sunday to Thursday night) and by 00.30hrs (Friday and Saturday nights). No alternative curfew can be offered. Failure to comply will be notified by the hosts to the school (who will advise CESA).

There are between 01 to 40 TY/LC students present each week, depending on the time of the year. Students improve general Spanish language skills with other students, practise their Spanish daily, revise grammar structures and pronunciation and address linguistic weaknesses.

L Cert classes focus on preparing for the exams.

Tutors are all native speakers who are also professional teachers of Spanish as a foreign language.

A placement test will be sent prior to arrival, to establish your level, so that no lessons are lost.



Activities:

Three afternoon activities & a Saturday full-day excursion each week

Some samples of activities are shown below (but exact options will vary from month to month)



Wednesday: Flamenco at the beach

19:30 - Playa Malagueta (El Faro)

Have fun dancing one of the most traditional dances of Spanish culture.



Thursday: Boat ride

17:00 - Harbour, museum Pompidou

Enjoy a relaxing boat ride along the Malaga coast and perhaps even a swim in the open sea.



Friday: Visit to Gibralfaro Castle

16:30 - Plaza de la Marina

Located on the top of Mount Gibralfaro, this castle dominates the entire city.

This fortress has always been located in a strategic location for the defense of the city from land and sea.



Saturday: Day trip to Tarifa and Bologna

City Hall - 7:45

Dive in and let yourself be seduced by two of the best beaches on the coast of Cadiz.



Wednesday: Cooking Class

16:00 - At school

To combat the heat, there is nothing better than a good gazpacho or a good porra antequerana. Learn to cook typical Spanish dishes during this Cooking Class



Thursday: Paddle surf or kayak

16:45 - Calle quitapenas 7

Practice one of the two most popular sports during the summer months, without getting hot.



Friday: Cathedral of Málaga

16:30 - Tourist entrance

We will visit the most important religious monument in the city of Malaga, popularly known as "La Manquita"



Saturday: Day trip to Nerja and Frigiliana

9:15 - City Hall

Enjoy two of the most famous towns on the coast of Málaga, Nerja, a typical coastal town, and a few kilometers away on the road to the Frigiliana mountain.

Course Dates: 2025

Arrival: Sunday
Course runs : **Monday / Friday**
Departure: Sunday

Course & host accommodation

Any Monday of the year
Most students attend March to August

Holidays:

06 Jan, 28 Feb, 03 Mar, 18 Apr, 01 May, 15 Aug, 07 & 13 Oct, 01 Nov, 06 & 08 Dec 2025

Closing: 19 Dec 2025 Re opening: 05 Jan 2026

No Spanish lessons held on the above dates

Accommodation

With Spanish hosts
All year round

Each student will be placed with a hosts/ess with whom they will live during their stay here. Breakfast and dinner will take place with the hosts (lunch is eaten with the hosts, or they provide a picnic).

The hosts/ess used are carefully chosen with the Teenage programme in mind. The students share a room with another student (and live no more than 20/25 mins walk from the school).

Students must respect the programme schedule and inform the hosts of any outings they have during the designated free time periods.



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Course Fees:

CESA admin. fee / per person € 70.00

Tuition & Host accommodation
Shared rm

1 wk	€ 870.00
2 wks	€ 1620.00
3 wks	€ 2370.00
4 wks	€ 3120.00

Please note: Accommodation is offered on a Sunday to Sunday basis for all students.

Fees quoted include: group tuition, accommodation with full board, shared room/hosts (single rm on request), , leisure programme (sports, excursions, cultural visits) one half day excursion and a full day excursion each week.

Travel/Transfers

Arrive: **Sunday**

Depart: **Sunday**

Please note that the final Saturday excursion & Saturday night's accommodation can be included on request.

Transfer / Malaga airport:

EUR 59.00 (1 way) **EUR 118.00** (2 way)

Fly to Malaga airport. Students will be met and taken directly to their hosts.

Private transfer from Seville airport/Malaga:

EUR 349.00 (1 way)

