

# SPANISH SUMMER PROGRAM 2027

Madrid - Santander (Spain)



**Dates:**  
June 19th - July 17th, 2027  
(4, 3 or 2 weeks)

**Ages:**  
14 to 18

**Stay:**  
University Residence  
Accommodation

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## TRAVEL TO SPAIN (MADRID AND SANTANDER) TO LEARN SPANISH



ACCOMMODATION



FOOD



EDUCATION



ACTIVITIES

This 4-week, 3-week or 2-week program for students aged 14 to 18 offers full immersion in Spanish language and culture through small group classes (12-14 students), academic experiences, and a variety of activities, including visits to heritage sites, hiking, and outdoor experiences to enhance cultural understanding. INESLE's carefully designed itinerary ensures an authentic and personalized experience.

- **Spanish summer program (June - July)**
- **4-week, 3-week or 2-week program:**
  - 4-week program (June 19th to July 17th)
  - 3-week program (June 19th to July 10th)
  - 2 weeks in Madrid (June 19th to July 3rd)
  - 2 weeks in Santander (July 4th to July 17th)
- **Accommodation in university housing:**
  - Modern residence in Madrid
  - UIMP-Universidad Internacional Menéndez Pelayo Campus in Santander
- **Spanish classes in educational institutions**
- **Leisure activities (surf, hiking, amusement park) and cultural activities (museums, visits...)**
- **Day-trips to Toledo, Segovia and Bilbao**
- **Price:**
  - 2-week program: 3,475€ (all included except flights)
  - 3-week program: 4,950€ (all included except flights)
  - 4-week program: 5,670€ (all included except flights)

### Educational institutions

Students will have their classes at **Santa María La Blanca School**. They will enjoy modern academic and sports facilities in a safe and welcoming environment in the north of Madrid. Located in a residential neighborhood, the school provides an

ideal atmosphere for learning. INESLE, also responsible for the internationalization department at the school ensures a comprehensive and high-quality educational experience for students.

In Santander, students will attend the **Campus de Las Llamas at the UIMP - Universidad Internacional Menéndez Pelayo**, where Spanish courses are offered year-round. They will enjoy the region's stunning natural landscapes, exceptional cuisine, and a wide range of outdoor activities, including surfing lessons.

"The program that INESLE provides to American students is authentic, immersive and well-planned. The curriculum is scaffolded to meet the needs of individual students with varying levels of comfort with the Spanish language. All of our students left Spain with greater confidence in their language skills and life-long friends!"

-Lauren Bonner (Administrator)  
Glenbrook North High School (Chicago, Illinois), 2024.

### Madrid: Where History Meets Modernity

As the vibrant capital of Spain, Madrid seamlessly blends historical grandeur with contemporary life. Its streets are lined with iconic landmarks such as the Royal Palace and Plaza Mayor, while world-class museums like El Prado and the Reina Sofía showcase masterpieces by artists like Velázquez and Picasso. The city also boasts expansive green spaces like El Retiro Park, offering a perfect balance between urban energy and serene nature. Students will stay at the RESA residence, equipped with modern amenities including coworking spaces, a gym, and study rooms—providing a comfortable and engaging environment for their stay.

*Please note that the program schedule and activities are subject to change.*

## WEEK 1 (MADRID)

**JUNE 19**  
Saturday

Arrival of students to Madrid

**JUNE 20**  
Sunday

Arrival of students to Madrid

**JUNE 21**  
Monday

9:00AM - 10:30AM

Opening Ceremony

11:00AM - 12:30PM

Orientation session

12:35PM - 1:30PM

Placement Test

2:15PM - 7:00PM

Lunch at **Opera House** gardens. Visit to the **Royal Palace & Almudena Cathedral**

**JUNE 22**  
Tuesday

9:00AM - 10:05AM

Culture & Diversity workshop (I)

10:05AM - 11:10AM

Culture & Diversity workshop (II)

11:50AM - 1:30PM

Classes

2:15PM - 7:00PM

Lunch at **El Prado Museum** gardens and then visit to the museum

**JUNE 23**  
Wednesday

9:00AM - 7:00PM

Day-trip to **Toledo**: "City of three cultures" (Jewish, Muslim, Christian), panoramic view, burial of Count Orgaz, synagogue "El Tránsito", Toledo Cathedral.

**JUNE 24**  
Thursday

9:00AM - 11:55AM

Classes

12:00PM - 8:00PM

**Amusement Park**

**JUNE 25**  
Friday

9:00AM - 1:30PM

Classes

Leisure activities & Free time



## WEEK 2 (MADRID)

**JUNE 26**  
Saturday

Leisure activities & Free time in Madrid

**JUNE 27**  
Sunday

Leisure activities & Free time in Madrid

**JUNE 28**  
Monday

9:00AM - 12:30PM

Classes

1:15PM - 2:30PM

Lunch  
**Ministry of Agriculture's Garden**

2:30PM - 8:00PM

**Reina Sofía Museum**  
**Puerta del Sol**  
**Plaza Mayor**  
**Mercado de San Miguel**

**JUNE 29**  
Tuesday

9:00AM - 12:25PM

Classes

1:30PM

Lunch at school

2:15PM - 7:00PM

Tour of **Santiago Bernabéu Stadium**  
(Home of Real Madrid Soccer Club)

**JUNE 30**  
Wednesday

9:00AM - 7:00PM

Day-trip to **Segovia**: Aqueduct, Jewish neighborhood, Main Square, Alcázar Castle, Meadow of La Fuencisla.

**JULY 1**  
Thursday

9:00AM - 11:15AM

Classes

11:45AM - 12:45PM

Photo and video contest

2:15PM

**Retiro Park**  
Lunch, boat ride, games, and sports

**JULY 2**  
Friday

9:00AM - 11:10AM

Classes

11:15AM - 11:45AM

Program Evaluation

11:45AM - 1:30PM

Farewell to 2-week students



Main Square



Segovia



Segovia



Retiro Park

## Santander: Program Overview

- **Location:** Northern coast of Spain.
  - Elegant port city, known for natural beauty and rich history.
  - Famous for its spectacular bay (one of the world's most beautiful).
  - Fine sand beaches, including El Sardinero.
- **Key Activities:**
  - Surf lessons: Available during the two-week stay.
  - Cultural highlights:
    - Botín Center and Magdalena Palace.
    - Day trips to Bilbao, Comillas, Altamira Caves, and nearby hikes (Costa Quebrada)
  - Morning Spanish classes at Campus de Las Llamas UIMP Universidad Internacional Menéndez Pelayo (prestigious university).
- **Nature & Recreation:**
  - Scenic parks like Mataleñas.
  - Impressive coastal landscapes.

Santander offers a perfect blend of nature, history, culture, and modernity for students.



### WEEK 3 (SANTANDER)

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| <b>JULY 3</b><br>Saturday  | Departure of 2-week students and arrival of students coming to Santander<br>Leisure activities & Free time in Madrid |                                                                                           |                                                |                                                                                         |                                                 |
| <b>JULY 4</b><br>Sunday    | 8:30AM<br>Departure from Madrid                                                                                      | 11:00AM - 2:00PM<br><b>Burgos Town: Visit to the Cathedral and Human Evolution Museum</b> | 2:00PM<br>Lunch in <b>Fuentes Blancas Park</b> | 6:30PM - 8:30PM<br>Arrival to <b>Santander:</b><br>Orientation session                  | 9:00PM - 10:30PM<br>Dinner & evening activities |
| <b>JULY 5</b><br>Monday    | 9:00AM - 1:00PM<br>Classes                                                                                           | 1:30PM<br>Lunch                                                                           | 3:00PM - 5:00PM<br>Surf lessons                | 6:00PM - 8:30PM<br><b>Santander Bay</b>                                                 | 9:00PM - 10:30PM<br>Dinner & evening activities |
| <b>JULY 6</b><br>Tuesday   | 9:00AM - 1:00PM<br>Classes                                                                                           | 1:30PM<br>Lunch                                                                           | 3:00PM - 5:00PM<br>Free time                   | 6:00PM - 8:30PM<br>Sports and games at <b>the Sardinero Beach</b><br>(Beach Volleyball) | 9:00PM - 10:30PM<br>Dinner & evening activities |
| <b>JULY 7</b><br>Wednesday | 9:00AM - 1:00PM<br>Classes                                                                                           | 1:30PM<br>Lunch                                                                           | 3:00PM - 5:00PM<br>Surf lessons                | 6:00PM - 7:30PM<br><b>Cantabrian Maritime Museum</b>                                    | 9:00PM - 10:30PM<br>Dinner & evening activities |
| <b>JULY 8</b><br>Thursday  | 9:00AM - 1:00PM<br>Classes                                                                                           | 1:30PM<br>Lunch                                                                           | 3:00PM - 5:00PM<br>Free time                   | 6:00PM - 8:30PM<br>Walk through the <b>Botín Centre &amp; Port of Santander</b>         | 9:00PM - 10:30PM<br>Dinner & evening activities |
| <b>JULY 9</b><br>Friday    | 9:00AM - 1:00PM<br>Classes                                                                                           | 1:30PM<br>Lunch                                                                           | 3:00PM - 5:00PM<br>Surf lessons                | 6:00PM - 8:30PM<br>Sports and games at <b>the Sardinero Beach</b><br>(Beach Volleyball) | 9:00PM - 10:30PM<br>Dinner & evening activities |

| WEEK 4 (SANTANDER)   |                                                                                                                                            |        |                 |                                                                   |                             |
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| JULY 10<br>Saturday  | 9:00AM - 5:30PM                                                                                                                            |        |                 | 7:00PM                                                            | 9:00PM - 10:30PM            |
|                      | Trip to: Altamira Museum, Santillana del Mar Town, and Comillas Town (Capricho Gaudi) and Labyrinth Villapresente (Games).                 |        |                 | Return to Santander                                               | Dinner & evening activities |
| JULY 11<br>Sunday    | 9:00AM - 5:30PM                                                                                                                            |        |                 | 6:30PM                                                            | 9:00PM - 10:30PM            |
|                      | Trip to <b>Bilbao</b> : Guggenheim Museum, New square and city center, Arantxa's cable car, doña Casilda's park, Walk to Ribera's Markets. |        |                 | Return to Santander                                               | Dinner & evening activities |
| JULY 12<br>Monday    | 9:00AM - 1:00PM                                                                                                                            | 1:30PM | 3:00PM - 5:00PM | 6:00 PM- 8:30PM                                                   | 9:00PM - 10:30PM            |
|                      | Classes                                                                                                                                    | Lunch  | Surf lessons    | Games at <b>Llamas Park</b>                                       | Dinner & evening activities |
| JULY 13<br>Tuesday   | 9:00AM - 1:00PM                                                                                                                            | 1:30PM | 3:00PM - 5:00PM | 6:00PM - 8:00PM                                                   | 9:00PM - 10:30PM            |
|                      | Classes                                                                                                                                    | Lunch  | Free time       | Hiking to <b>Maruca Beach</b>                                     | Dinner & evening activities |
| JULY 14<br>Wednesday | 9:00AM - 1:00PM                                                                                                                            | 1:30PM | 3:00PM - 5:00PM | 6:00PM - 8:30PM                                                   | 9:00PM - 10:30PM            |
|                      | Classes                                                                                                                                    | Lunch  | Surf lessons    | <b>Zip-Line</b> and Santander Lighthouse                          | Dinner & evening activities |
| JULY 15<br>Thursday  | 9:00AM - 1:00PM                                                                                                                            | 1:30PM | 3:00PM - 5:00PM | 6:00PM - 8:30PM                                                   | 9:00PM - 10:30PM            |
|                      | Classes                                                                                                                                    | Lunch  | Free time       | Sports and games at <b>the Sardinero Beach</b> (Beach Volleyball) | Dinner & evening activities |
| JULY 16<br>Friday    | 9:00AM - 1:00PM                                                                                                                            | 1:30PM | 3:00PM - 5:00PM | 6:00PM - 8:00PM                                                   | 9:00PM - 10:30PM            |
|                      | Classes                                                                                                                                    | Lunch  | Surf lessons    | <b>Shopping</b> in Santander                                      | Dinner & evening activities |

On **July 17th**, students will return to Madrid where they will catch their flights back home.





Madrid

"I absolutely loved the cultural trips around Madrid and around Spain. I appreciated the tours in the other language so while we were enjoying access to some of Spain's most impressive locations we learned about art, architecture and were still immersed in the Spanish language. Most memorable of these tours was the Tour through the Museo de la Reina Sofia and lecture at the Guernica."

-Nina Gaither  
Horace Mann School (NYC, New York), 2019.



Bilbao

"INESLE Madrid 2016 was an experience of a lifetime. Not only did I make lifelong friends, but I also learned a lot of Spanish. I am so happy I chose to do INESLE this summer because it helped me to step outside my comfort zone and do things I never thought I could do. I loved making new Spanish friends who I'm sure I'll stay in touch with for a long time. From the teachers to the monitors to the kids in the program I can't thank everyone enough for making it a summer I will never forget. After INESLE, I also hope to pursue a minor in Spanish in college. I would definitely recommend INESLE to my friends or to anyone because it was such a great experience."

-Meaghan O'Brien  
Austin Prep School (Reading, Massachusetts), 2016.



Santander



"I really enjoyed my experience here in INESLE Madrid. The experience in tandem with all the other cultural experiences. INESLE indubitably expanded my knowledge of Spanish culture while the program improved my Spanish, the classes were still enjoyable. I would certainly repeat this experience."

-Winston Wray  
Oregon Episcopal School (Portland, Oregon), 2024.

"I enjoyed my experience at INESLE Madrid very much. Meeting students from around the world, and the rich exchange of both language and culture was a fantastic experience that the INESLE program provided me. The opportunity to fully immerse myself in the culture of Spain - while learning to live like a Spaniard, such as living with my host family, I will treasure indefinitely. It was an honor to be part of the 2022 INESLE Madrid program, and I wish the best for future students."

-Quinn Novick  
Phillips Academy Andover (Andover, Massachusetts), 2022.



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