

Important Note:

The following schedule of classes, activities, and excursions is subject to change and substitution. In order for you to get the most out of the medical portions, you should be at least a **Mid-Beginner** level Spanish speaker (approximately a semester of Spanish in college, or 1 year of high school Spanish or a 2-week immersion program). If you are currently at a level below Mid-Beginner, you may still apply, but we strongly recommend that you also register for at least an additional 2 weeks of classes prior to the start of the SALUD program.

The program can be done for as short as two weeks or as long as four weeks.

NOTE: Due to legal reasons in Spain, this program does not incorporate clinical observation.

Week #1

Sunday

Day of arrival. Meet host family.

Monday

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| 08:00 | Welcome and orientation session (placement tests, etc) |
| 09:30 | Spanish Classes |
| 12:00 | Break |
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| 16:00 | Culture class |
| 17:00 | Spanish Terminology (One 55-minute lesson) |
| 19:00 | Walking tour of the school, city and practical information session |

Tuesday-Friday (and subsequent weeks)

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| 09:00 | Spanish Classes |
| 13:00 | Break for Lunch |
| 14:00 | Culture class |
| 17:00 | Spanish Terminology (One 55-minute lesson) |

Saturday-Sunday

Free weekend or depart program. Excursions are organized on weekends for an extra cost, can be approximately 20-200 USD per person depending on distance and duration. One teacher participates for every 24 students. Explanations are conducted in Spanish.

Getting There:

Participants are responsible for their own transportation to Salamanca (flying into Madrid). We recommend Exito Travel (http://www.amerispan.com/study_abroad_airfare.asp). Students should plan to arrive on Sunday, and depart on Saturday. If participants need to arrive a few days earlier or stay a few days later, this is possible at an additional per day cost.

Deadlines:

Four weeks or more in advance

- Application. Please read "Terms and Conditions" on the application regarding cancellation penalties, refunds, etc.
- \$100 registration fee due. Late registrants may apply, space permitting and will pay an additional \$35 late fee.

4 weeks in advance

- Final payment is due. Payment received after the due date will be assessed a \$35 late fee.
- Medical specialties/interests
- Housing requests (roommates, extra days and other special requests)

2 weeks in advance

- Flight information due
- No more changes to program

Re-Cap of What's Included:

- 1 week, 5 hrs/day group classes (25 hrs/wk including 5 hrs/wk cultural classes)
- 10 additional hours of medical terminology in Spanish per week
- Shared room with host family (private room available at additional cost)
- 2 meals daily
- Laundry service (host family)
- Spanish language textbook
- Orientation tour & materials
- Travel Assistance Program
- Emergency message service