

# S&F

## Spain & Families

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# LETTER FROM OUR DIRECTORS

Dear families,

We are the directors of Spain & Families, a family-run organization born from a deep commitment to education, cultural exchange, and the personal care of each student.

We understand that when you trust us, you're placing your most precious treasure in our hands: your children. That's why we have a clear mission—to provide a high-quality, safe, and enriching educational experience that goes far beyond language learning.

Our program offers students the opportunity to fully immerse themselves in Spanish language and culture by living with carefully selected host families who treat them as one of their own. We know every student by name, and we are personally involved in every stage of their journey, offering 24/7 support from the moment they arrive until the day they return home.

For Irish students in their Transition Year, this experience is a unique way to make the most of a formative period. It's a time for personal growth, greater independence, and unforgettable memories—all while gaining fluency in Spanish in a natural and authentic setting.

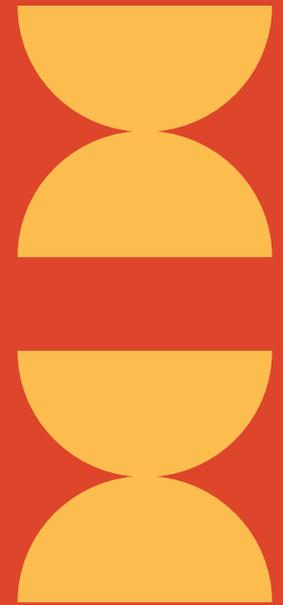
We are not just another agency. We are a family supporting other families—with warmth, with commitment, and with the belief that this experience can truly change lives.

Thank you for your trust. It's a privilege to be part of your child's story.

With warm regards,

*Rafael Morillo*  
*Jesús Cabello*

DIRECTORS OF SPAIN & FAMILIES



**“We are a family supporting other families.”**



# WHO ARE WE?

Spain & Families is a Spanish company specializing in academic programs in Spain for primary, secondary, and high school students. Our mission is to offer a top-quality educational experience based on fully personalized attention, ongoing support, and a genuine integration into Spanish life and culture.

We stand out for our exclusive and personal approach to each student and their family. From the first contact, we offer individualized support that ensures each student feels supported, motivated, and safe at all times.

We have a professional and caring team living in Spain with first-hand knowledge of the needs of Spanish students. We are present throughout the entire process: before, during, and after the stay.

Our priority is for students to have a transformative experience, not only academically and linguistically, but also in their personal and social development, from an early age.



# Why Spain? Why Seville?

Spain is one of the most highly regarded European countries for its rich cultural heritage, high quality of life, and strong educational foundations. It offers a safe, welcoming, and family-oriented environment, ideal for students seeking a meaningful international experience. As a European Union member state, studies completed in Spain are fully compatible with other EU education systems, making the experience both academically valid and personally enriching.

## Advantages of studying in Spain (Seville):

- ✓ **Language with global impact:** Spanish is the second most spoken language in the world by number of native speakers. Learning it in Spain not only improves fluency but also opens doors to countless personal, academic, and professional opportunities worldwide.
- ✓ **Cultural immersion in a vibrant city:** Seville is the heart of Andalusia—a city full of history, art, and energy. Its deep-rooted traditions like flamenco, Semana Santa, and the April Fair fill the streets with colour and emotion. Together with its delicious tapas and Andalusian cuisine, Seville offers a truly unique and unforgettable experience.
- ✓ **Hospitality and warmth:** Spanish people—and Andalusians in particular—are famously warm, open, and sociable. Students quickly feel part of the local community and adapt with ease thanks to the region's strong sense of inclusion and joy for life.
- ✓ **Mild climate and excellent cuisine:** With over 300 days of sunshine a year and one of the healthiest diets in the world, Seville provides the perfect setting for well-being and outdoor living.
- ✓ **Safe and student-friendly environment:** Seville combines the safety of a mid-sized city with the infrastructure of a capital, making it a perfect destination for younger students and families looking for peace of mind.

Studying in Spain—and especially in Seville—is not just about learning a language. It's about embracing a way of life that will stay with you forever.





## Our academic program

We offer educational programs tailored to each academic stage: Primary, Secondary, and Baccalaureate, with the option of completing a full academic year or a full academic term, which is always automatically validated within the Irish system.

The main objective is for students to learn Spanish in a 100% immersive environment, developing autonomy, confidence, and personal skills in an international context.

### Adapted Subjects

We personally advise families on choosing the most appropriate subjects based on the course and student profile.

### Classes with native teachers

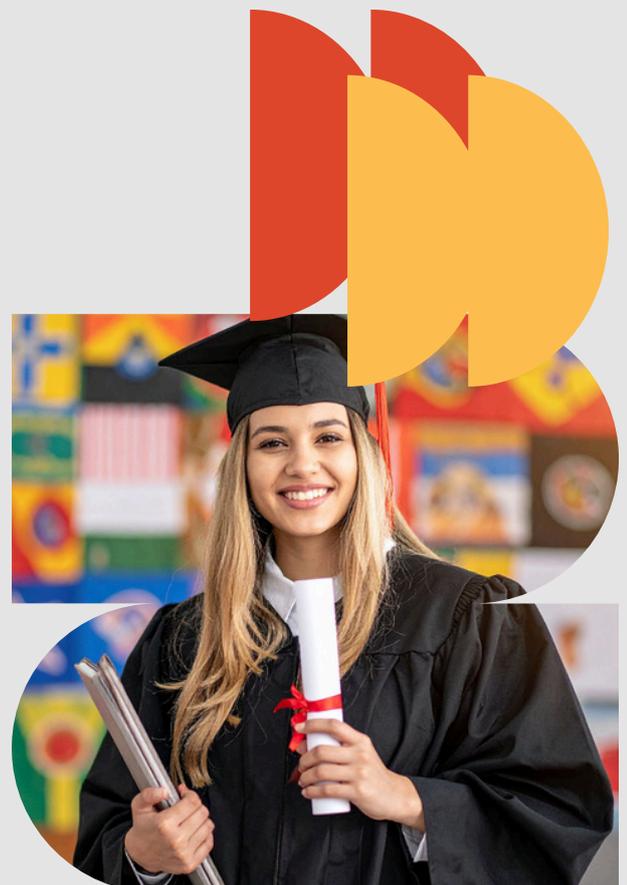
All students attend local schools with high academic standards.

### Much more than studying

The educational experience is complemented by workshops, cultural and sports activities, as well as a motivational coaching program that promotes student personal growth throughout the course.

### Performance Tracking

Our team in Spain coordinates with the teachers at each school to monitor the student's academic progress.



# Personalized approach



**At Spain & Families, we believe that each student's success depends on close, caring support. That's why we offer a unique support system that sets us apart from other agencies.**

## **Personal tutor available 24/7**

Each student is assigned a tutor from the moment they arrive in Spain. This person will be their point of contact throughout their stay and will be available 24 hours a day for any academic, personal, or family needs.

## **Real proximity, not just by phone**

Our tutors live within 10 to 15 minutes of their students' homes, allowing for rapid, effective, and consistent intervention.

## **Continuous academic monitoring**

**Individual meetings:** The tutor meets with the student regularly.

## **Coordination with teachers:**

We monitor student performance by speaking directly with the school's teaching team.

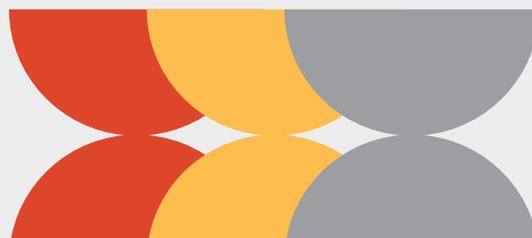
**Periodic reports:** We send academic and personal reports to families so they are informed of their progress.

## **Motivational coaching**

We hold sessions to help students organize their studies, stay motivated, set goals, and improve their performance. We work on their personal development so they learn to face new challenges with independence and confidence.

## **Continuous communication**

Contact between families, students, and tutors is constant through calls, WhatsApp, and video calls. We ensure that everyone involved stays connected and at ease.



# Host families: a second family

## Careful and personalized selection

We personally select our host families, prioritizing their experience, values, and commitment. Each family has been vetted by our team and holds a police vetting certificate of no criminal record.

## Total integration

Students participate in family life as one more:  
They share meals and daily routines.  
They follow the same rules as Spanish children.  
They integrate into local customs and are fully supported by their host families.

## Natural English learning

It's in everyday interaction that students progress most rapidly in the language. By constantly communicating with native speakers in a real-life context, they organically acquire vocabulary, fluency, and confidence.

## Mutual commitment

Families not only provide accommodation and meals, but also a truly supportive environment. In return, students are expected to show respect, help with basic household chores (such as setting the table or keeping their room tidy), and have a positive attitude.



Living with a Spanish family is one of the keys to the program's success.

Our students do not stay in a boarding house or residence, but rather are integrated as members of a real, welcoming and supervised family environment.

**NO MORE THAN ONE STUDENT WILL BE ACCOMMODATED IN EACH SPANISH FAMILY.**





**All included:  
no surprises,  
just peace of  
mind**



**Our program is designed to make life worry-free for families. The fee includes all necessary expenses for the student to live, study, and enjoy their experience in Spain to the fullest.**

### What does the price include?

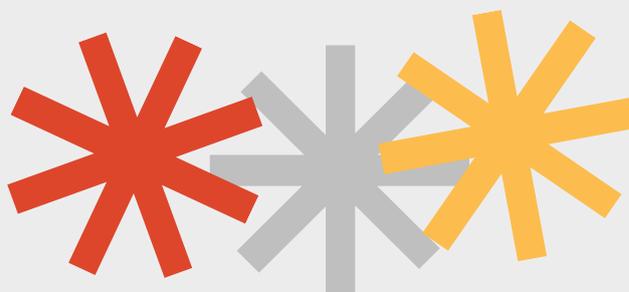
- ✓ School registration and school fees
- ✓ School uniforms
- ✓ Books and school supplies
- ✓ Accommodation with a selected host family
- ✓ Full board (breakfast, lunch and dinner)
- ✓ 24/7 tutoring and support service
- ✓ Travel and lost luggage insurance
- ✓ Regular academic and personal reports
- ✓ Coordination with the school and performance monitoring
- ✓ Transfers to and from the airport in Spain
- ✓ Assistance in organizing travel from Spain
- ✓ S&F sweatshirt
- ✓ Individualized motivational coaching
- ✓ Going to the doctor's when necessary

### Accompanied trip from Ireland

Students travel accompanied by S&F staff from Dublin Airport. Once in Seville, they are greeted by their tutor and escorted to their Spanish family.

### Flights included

ROUND TRIP at the beginning and end of the academic year (includes 10 and 20 kg suitcase and backpack) Christmas and Easter (20 kg suitcase and backpack)



# Practical Tips

SUGGESTION



## 1 MOBILE USE: YOUR BEST ALLY OR YOUR WORST ENEMY

Mobile phone use should be limited. You're in Spain to learn Spanish, and every moment you spend with family or colleagues is an opportunity to improve. Weekly calls with your family in Ireland are welcome, but avoid spending too much time on the screen.

## 2 FAMILY LIFE AND TRADITIONS

Spain is a country with a deep Catholic tradition. Many families attend Mass on Sundays, and it's a very enriching experience for the students. If they wish, they can join them and experience this part of the local culture.



## 3 HOMEWORK AND ACADEMIC RHYTHM

Homework is more common in Spain than in Ireland, so discipline and responsibility are still key. Keeping up with schoolwork is essential for successful academic integration.

## 4 ATTITUDE AND COEXISTENCE

Remember: you're not a guest, but a member of the family. Help with simple tasks like setting the table or keeping your room tidy. The experience will be much more positive if you show respect, cooperation, and a willingness to integrate.



# How to register?

- **Fill out the registration form**

Request the official form and send it to us, duly completed.

- **Reserve a place**

Make a bank transfer of €1,000 to I&F Education & Development Ltd as a deposit. Please provide the student's full name. This amount will be deducted from the final program price.

Banco: AIB Bank, North Main Street, Wexford, Ireland IBAN: IE15 AIBK 9333 4141 5170 38 SWIFT: AIBK IE 2D

- **Health and travel documentation**

Request the European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) at your health centre, which is valid for the entire stay. Also, make sure the student has all the necessary travel documents (valid ID/passport).

## Support from the first contact

- From the moment you contact us, we assign you a point of contact to answer any questions and guide you throughout the entire process.

We recommend starting the process well in advance to secure a place and ensure the correct fit for the student's profile.

### DATA OF THE ORGANIZATION'S MANAGERS

Mr. Rafael Morillo Salvador / CEO --- Ms. Gema Gallego Fuente / Tutor and head of the organization

## Contact

- Want more information? Are you ready for your child to have an unforgettable experience in Spain?

We'll be happy to assist you and answer any questions you may have. You can write, call, or come visit us. We're with you every step of the way!

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