



SPANISH PROGRAM FOR FOREIGNERS

About us

We are a private institution of higher education that is part of the national education system devoted to providing professional formation at high school, bachelor's and postgraduate degrees in different disciplinary areas. We also offer continuing education services.

Our university was founded 46 years ago by the Guadalupe Missionaries under three guiding principles:



High Academic Level



Social Orientation



Christian Inspiration

Thus, we form people committed to their own growth and social transformation to create a just and equitable community in favor of the common good.



Presentation

The main objective of the Spanish Program for Foreigners is to provide knowledge about the Spanish language and the Mexican culture to all foreign citizens who require the language for educational, social and multicultural purposes.

The Spanish Program for Foreigners consists in 4-week intensive course from levels A1 to B2, which includes the teaching of 4 skills: oral expression, reading comprehension, writing and listening.

The number of courses to be taken depends on the need according to the placement test.

After the 4 levels from A1 to B2, students can present the DELE Certification. The Spanish diplomas (DELE) are recognized as an adequate accreditation of proficiency in Spanish for any professional or academic activity which requires the corresponding level of proficiency.

The schedule depends on the needs, but the suggested schedule is from Monday to Friday from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm.

Within each of the levels of the Spanish Program for Foreigners, students attend academic visits and cultural events that promote multiculturalism, these are included in their calendar and evaluated as part of their course.

The material consists of the ASAI (Platform for Access to Language Learning). With the option of working with the method: "Nuevo Español en Marcha" Es. SGEL.



Program

Courses start from elementary and gradually introduce more complex linguistic concepts and cultural knowledge. Below, we outline a structure program divided into four courses: beginner, elementary, intermediate and upper intermediate.

Each course is scheduled to last approximately 12 weeks, assuming

Course 1: Beginner

Objective: Introduce the students to basic Spanish grammar, vocabulary, and sentences to develop the ability to strike up simple conversations.



Course 2: Elementary

Objective: Develop fundamental skills to manage complex grammatical structures, expand the vocabulary and improve listening and speaking skills.



Course 3: Intermediate

Objective: Improve fluency by exploring more complex linguistic structures, idioms and cultural nuances.



Course 4: Upper intermediate

Objetivo: Achieve a high level of proficiency in listening, speaking and writing in Spanish, with an approach in accuracy, fluency and cultural competence.

This program is designed to progressively develop Spanish language skills while increasing the student's understanding of the culture and nuances of native Spanish-speaking countries. Importantly, we include interactive and engaging activities such as language exchange with native speakers, cultural workshops and the use of multimedia resources to enhance learning and sustain motivation.





Testimonies



Camila

Mexico City is the capital of Mexico.

It's bigger than Busan, so it has a lot of traffic. And there are many beautiful places. For example: the Zocalo, Chapultepec, Frida Kahlo Museum, Palace of Fine Arts, Coyoacan, etc. In Mexico City you can see a lot of murals, it is interesting if you are familiar with Mexican muralism.

At UIC I studied Spanish grammar, and about the cities in Mexico. As well, I experienced the Independence Day, it was fun. I was able to get to know the Mexican culture, all thanks to the university.

Some advantages of coming to Mexico are that people are so friendly and the country has a good weather. Also, you can broaden your cultural outlook. You can learn the language in this wonderful university. When you live abroad, you can learn not only the language, but also the culture and lifestyle of the Mexican people.



Gabriela

Hi, I'm Gabriela. I am now a student at UIC learning Spanish. I've been living here in CDMX for two months. Likewise, I stay at an apartment with a Mexican woman in Tlalcoyotl. The people in Mexico are very nice and friendly. Mexico is a romantic country. I visited Coyoacan, Xochimilco, Teotihuacan, San Martín and Zocalo. They are good and beautiful places. I loved Xochimilco, because the landscape is wonderful. Also, I met some new friends.

I am studying at the Universidad Intercontinental. I am learning Spanish, but it is very difficult. Therefore, when classes are over, I always study. UIC is bigger than Busan University, the university I attend. There are many Mexicans and smart professors. I love the grass in the park because there is none in Busan. My friends, who study here, are very pleasant.

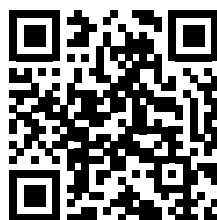
One of the advantages about coming to Mexico is the weather. Skies are always blue and high. In the morning it's cold, but in the afternoon, the sun always rises. And I like that it rains at night, it always rains. Although it's a little dry. But I like the weather in CDMX.

Foreign languages and multiculturalism

For us, acquiring a foreign language is essential, since it is a basic skill for professional development. Therefore, we offer specialized programs in certain areas that promote the development of the four skills (reading comprehension, listening, writing and oral expression), based on the CEFR guidelines and taught online:



- Study the Teacher's Course UIC, to obtain the Teaching Knowledge Test (TKT) certificate guaranteed by the University of Cambridge.
- Intended to the public in general, groups, and companies.
- Flexible schedules.
- Programs adapted to the needs of the users.
- Business English course.
- Chinese course for specific purposes.





Visit México!

Mexico is a unique country surrounded by rivers, lakes, oceans, islands, sinkholes, mountains, volcanoes, deserts, jungles, and cities full of history. Mexico offers more than mariachi, tequila and chili, it is a multicultural and diverse country.

The culture is magical, striking, and joyful; full of colors and the people are friendly, generous, and hospitable, you will enjoy its lush landscapes, beautiful cities, magical villages, idyllic beaches, archaeological sites, extreme adventures, art, music, gastronomy, traditions, and celebrations.

It is considered a “Megadiverse” country, since it has a large variety of climates and forms part of those nations which possess numerous diverse animals and plants. It is a mainly mountainous country, surrounded by seas, with a great diversity of environments, soils and climates, where the fauna and flora of North and South America are united.

Mexico has 35 sites declared World Heritage Sites by UNESCO.

It is the seventh country with the largest number of sites on this list, and the first in the Americas.

The Day of the Death festivities, gastronomy, mariachi and charrería are some examples of the 9 traditions and celebrations as Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity.

Welcome to Mexico!





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