



Barcelona, the cultural centre of northern Spain, is a beloved school languages trip destination. This bustling, lively, historic city has an excellent range of art museums, fine architecture and historic monuments.

Visiting the capital of Catalonia is fantastic for Spanish A-Level students, as it will help them to understand the diversity of Spain and its autonomous communities.

You'll explore hidden barrios full of character, treasure-hunt your way around the city's quieter corners and have the opportunity to prepare some authentic Spanish food in a cookery lesson. Visit the Gothic Quarter, La Boqueria Market & Las Ramblas, Barcelona Port and the Maremagnum Shopping Centre. Observe Spain's varied architectural styles with a visit to Poble Espanyol, before exploring the rest of the Montjuic area.

From the lively spirit of La Rambla and Boqueria Market to the architectural delights of Gaudi, your students will develop their knowledge of Spanish in a whole new way.

CURRICULUM LINKS

GCSE and A level Spanish students can practice their Spanish language in a structured workshop environment then test their skills in real-life situations in the shops or on excursions.



KS3

- Food and Drink
- Introducing yourself
- Exploring the town
- Likes and dislikes.
- Cultural traditions

GCSE

- Daily Life and free time activities
- Understanding Spanish culture and identity
- Food, Drink and Eating out
- Home, town and neighbourhood

A Level

- Art and Architecture
- Cultural Heritage
- Regional identity
- Aspects of Spanish speaking society
- Traditions and Customs

SUGGESTED ITINERARY

A 5-day Spanish language tour to Barcelona can easily be adapted to an Intensive 4-day tour taking place over a long weekend or can be adapted to combine a Spanish language experience with visits suitable for Geography, Art and Food technology students alike!

| Day 1 | Morning | Afternoon | Evening |
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| | Flight to Barcelona Meet transfer coach and check in to accommodation | Visit La Boqueria Market, Las Ramblas and the Gothic Quarter | Evening meal at hotel |
| Day 2 | Morning | Afternoon | Evening |
| | Spanish lessons | Poble Espanyol and Montjuic | Evening meal at hotel |
| Day 3 | Morning | Afternoon | Evening |
| | Spanish lessons | Parc Guell | Spanish cookery workshop Evening meal at hotel |
| Day 4 | Morning | Afternoon | Evening |
| | Spanish lessons | Sagrada Familia | Evening meal at hotel |
| Day 5 | Morning | Afternoon | Evening |
| | Coach transfer to Malaga airport | Return flight to UK | Arrive back at school |

EDUCATIONAL VISIT OPTIONS

- Nou Camp Stadium
- Maremagnum Shopping Centre
- Spanish cookery workshop



SAMPLE ACCOMMODATION

We offer a choice of hotel or hostel accommodation in the centre of Barcelona or in the nearby resort of Lloret de Mar on the Costa Brava.



HOTEL ROMA REIAL

A very busy, city centre hotel which accommodates school groups from all over Europe. Hotel Roma Reial provides budget accommodation in a lively, central location offering very good value for money. It is ideally suited to older, more self-sufficient school groups that enjoy being in the heart of a city.

It is perfectly located only a 1-minute walk from Las Ramblas. All the hotel rooms have private bathrooms, television, wifi and telephones.

BARCELONA URBANY YOUTH HOSTEL

Located right in the heart of Barcelona, La Rambla, the Gothic Quarter and Plaça Catalunya are all located within a short walking distance.

Students are normally accommodated in multi-bedded rooms and teachers in singles or twins. All rooms have private bathrooms, free Wi-Fi, towels and hair dryers. There are common rooms for students to meet in.



HOTEL GRAN GARBI

For groups that wish to stay outside of Barcelona, in a quieter environment, this hotel is located on the Costa Brava, in the resort of Lloret de Mar. All rooms have private bathrooms and have a TV, telephone, safety deposit box and balcony. Students will be accommodated in mainly twin and triple rooms, staff in twins or singles.

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